Statement Of Purpose

I am Alisha Khatoon, a BTech student in Computer Science and Engineering at NIT Jamshedpur. My fascination with technology and its vast range of applications has been a driving force throughout my academic journey. From learning programming fundamentals to exploring new tools and languages, I've always been eager to deepen my technical knowledge. My project of creating a game, participation and selection in hackathons, including the Smart India Hackathon, has allowed me to collaborate with peers, think creatively, and solve problems under time constraints. These experiences have sharpened my skills in teamwork and quick problem-solving, while also expanding my understanding of technology's real-world impact.

I am drawn to D.E. Shaw because of its reputation for working on cutting-edge projects that span diverse technological fields. I believe the exposure to challenging problems and innovative solutions at D.E. Shaw would help me further develop my skills and knowledge. Working with a talented team in such an environment would be a valuable opportunity for growth.

In the future, I aspire to continue exploring different areas of technology and applying my skills in meaningful ways. I believe the D.E. Shaw program will provide a great platform to learn and grow, and I am excited about the opportunity to be part of such a dynamic team.