

# ANAND BABURAJAN

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## EXPERIENCE

### CQ2

Jan 2024 – present

#### Co-Founder

- Built CQ2 — a tool for RFCs, designed for thoughtfulness and coherence
- Wrote a blog post for the same which got to #2 on Hacker News and got 20k+ impressions
- Achieved 235 early access sign-ups and 300+ stars on GitHub
- 10x better than existing tools for RFCs such as Google Docs, GitHub PRs, Discourse, email threads, etc.
- Currently in talks with open source communities about their RFC process

### Frappe

Aug 2022 – Dec 2023

#### Product Engineer

- Maintained the Assets Management module of ERPNext
- Built 5+ features, fixed many bugs and improved auto depreciation performance by 30%, for the same
- Co-maintained the Lending app, revamped the Partner web pages and contributed some features to the Framework

### Samay

Nov 2020 – present

#### Founder

- Built Samay — a meeting poll tool to help people find a time which works for everyone
- Achieved 2500+ poll creations, 300+ stars on GitHub and won a prize at FOSS Hack 3.0
- Mentored 15+ student open source contributors and reviewed their pull requests

### HackerRank

Jul 2021 – Dec 2021

#### Software Engineer Intern

- Built HackerRank Interviews for Slack — an integration to make tech interviews more accessible
- Developed various AWS Lambda functions using Node.js, Bolt and DynamoDB, for the same
- Built a bunch of features in HackerRank for Work using React and Rails to make lives of recruiters easier

### FOSS Cell, GEC Palakkad

Sep 2020 - Feb 2021

#### Program Manager

- Launched and led FOSS OpenHack — a mentorship program for beginners in open source
- Mentored 3 students who went on to do a GSoC with MSS, CERN and Intel
- Mentored 25+ students building 10+ projects

### Python Software Foundation

Jun 2020 – Aug 2020

#### Google Summer of Code Developer

- Worked on LiberTEM — a platform for distributed processing of large-scale binary data sets
- Enhanced the data pipeline to allow reshaping datasets in 10 file formats using Python and NumPy
- Developed a feature for sync offset correction in datasets with synchronization/acquisition issues
- Fixed several bugs and improved UX of the React GUI

## UpWork

Jul 2017 - Jul 2018

### Freelance Wordpress Developer

- Built WordPress sites for 5 clients

## GizmoLead

Jul 2013 - Mar 2015

### Tech Writer & Video Producer

- Covered tech news, did reviews and attended tech press conferences
- Produced videos for the YouTube channel which achieved 2.7K+ subscribers and 1M+ views

## Kizhakedath Media Services

Jul 2013 - Mar 2015

### Web Developer & Webmaster

- Debugged website issues, hosting issues and implemented best WordPress practices
- Designed site layouts and built custom newsletters for 4 WordPress news sites

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages: Python, JavaScript
- Libraries / Frameworks: Next.js, Frappe, Tailwind, Express, React, Bolt, NumPy
- Tools / Platforms / Databases: Git, Node.js, AWS Lambda, Vercel, MongoDB, MySQL, DynamoDB

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## EDUCATION

## GEC Palakkad

Aug 2017 – Jun 2022

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering

Kerala, India