# Shakil Ansari

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#### **About**

Entry-level data scientist with a Mechatronics and Life Sciences foundation, seeking to apply advanced ML techniques in NLP, time series, and deep learning to build innovative solutions.

## **Projects**

#### **Abstractive Dialogue Summarization using Transformers**

[Try Live Demo]

• Fine-tuned FLAN-T5 on the DialogSum dataset to generate abstractive summaries from multi-turn dialogues using prompt-based sequence modeling.

## **Domain-Specific NLP: Indian Recipe Generation**

[Try Live Demo]

• Developed a prompt-based NLP model for Indian recipe generation, mastering dataset preparation and fine-tuning for domain adaptation and text generation.

#### Fake News Detection (GloVe + LSTM)

[Try Live Demo]

• Classified headlines using word embeddings and deep learning.

#### Lyrics Generator (RNN-LSTM)

[Try Live Demo]

• Developed a character-level LSTM sequence model for generating diverse song lyrics.

# Movie Recommendation (IMDB)

[Try Live Demo]

• Built a collaborative filtering system for personalized suggestions.

#### Stock Forecasting (ARIMA/SARIMA):

[Try Live Demo]

• Predicted stock trends using time series models with seasonal analysis.

#### Stellar Object Classifier

[Try Live Demo]

- Classified celestial objects using supervised ML models and neural networks on astronomical datasets.
- Customer Segmentation (K-Means) Clustered users by transaction patterns

#### **Experience**

#### Educator, Vidhyanjali Rising Point, Delhi

June 2019 - Present

Developed structured learning modules aligned with CBSE to enhance analytical thinking and performance.

#### Engineer Intern, Northern Indian Railways, Delhi

Aug 2022 - Aug 2022

• Observed manufacturing processes and systems; built a working Axle Box Temperature Sensor prototype.

#### Research Trainee, Abyom SpaceTech and defense Pvt. Ltd.

June 2022 - Aug 2022

• Performed collection and analysis of research papers and Planetary data on the topic of research

#### **Education**

**Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University**, B-Tech [Mechatronics Engineering]

Oct 2020 - June 2024

• GPA: 8.0/10.0

Indira Gandhi National Open University, B.Sc - Life Sciences [Botany]

July 2018 - Sept 2021

• GPA: 6.0/10.0

#### Certifications

Diploma in Data Science - Boston Institute of Analytics (BIA), 2025

IBM Data Science Professional Certificate (Coursera, 2025)

### **Technologies**

Programming Languages: Python, R, JavaScript, SQL, HTML, CSS

Technologies: Jupyter Notebook, MySQL, GitHub, Power BI, Tableau, Excel(Advanced), Kaggle

Data Science: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, NLP, Statistical Analysis, Python(scikit-learn, numpy, pandas,

matplotlib, PyTorch etc.), DSA

## **Cover Letter**

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Dear Hiring Manager,

I'm writing to express my interest in a **Data Science or Machine Learning** opportunity at your organization. With a multidisciplinary foundation in Mechatronics Engineering and Botany, and hands-on experience in NLP, forecasting, and machine learning, I bring a perspective that's both analytical and unconventional — one that thrives at solving problems from multiple angles.

I've built a range of end-to-end projects including a fake news detector using LSTM and GloVe, a stock price forecaster using SARIMA, a movie recommendation system using collaborative filtering, a dialogue summarization model fine-tuned on FLAN-T5, and a domain-specific NLP model that generates Indian food recipes from natural language queries. These weren't academic exercises — they were challenges I pursued to learn, prove, and push myself. I've applied these projects in real-world datasets and environments, using tools like Python, SQL, scikit-learn, Keras, and Tableau.

Beyond technical skills, I bring the discipline of an engineer, the observation of a botanist, and the adaptability of a self-taught problem solver. My prior experience as an educator and research trainee has honed my ability to communicate complex ideas clearly, whether to teammates, stakeholders, or students. I don't just build models — I think deeply about what they solve and how they're used.

I'm confident in my ability to contribute meaningfully from day one. I am eager to apply my skills and demonstrate the value I can add to your team. I don't seek handouts — I seek opportunities to earn my place.

Whether it's building models, cleaning data, writing documentation, or simply listening and learning — I'm ready to deliver. I would be thrilled to discuss how I can contribute to your work.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Shakil Ansari