MELISSA SEQUEIRA

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EDUCATION

Fr. Conceicao Rodrigues Institute of Technology Vashi, MH Bachelor of Engineering, Information Technology (Honors in Artificial Intelligence and machine learning) 2022-2026 Cumulative GPA: 9.92 Ramanand Arya DAV College Bhandup, MH 2020-2022 HSC-Science Percentage:90.5% Holy Cross Convent High School Thane, MH SSC 2008-2020 Percentage:89% **WORK EXPERIENCE** IISER Mohali, PJ Project Intern July 2024-Present Developing a CNN-based fake currency detection model to assist visually impaired individuals using TensorFlow and Python for real-time detection. Codesprint Technologies Thane, MH July 2024 – Aug 2024 Python Developer Intern Built Python desktop applications with Tkinter, automating repetitive tasks and enhancing UI designs. Meta Craftlab India Web Developer Intern June 2024-July 2024 Developed an Instagram clone using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and SvelteKit with responsive design for multi-device optimization. **PROJECTS** VaaniConnect-Sign Language to voice transcriber Aug 2024 • Developed a transcriber for American Sign Language using Python and Machine Learning. • Trained the model using **TensorFlow/Keras** and improved accuracy with real-time prediction optimizations. Personal Portfolio May 2024 • Designed and developed a responsive personal portfolio using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to showcase projects and skills. VogueVista-Ecommerce Website Feb 2024 • Built a responsive e-commerce platform using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to showcase and sell fashion products. Compliance Support System Jan 2024 • Created a platform using Python and Flask to automate legal and compliance tasks for businesses. Campus Event Management System Dec 2023 • Implemented using HTML, CSS, Javascript **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Second Year Engineering in Academics	Oct 2024
Achieved 1st rank overall in academics for second-year engineering.	
Summer Project 2024	Aug 2024
• Secured 1st prize for the implementation of <i>VaaniConnect</i> , a sign language to voice transcriber.	
Techsparks'24 - Intercollegiate Project Competition	Feb 2024
• Awarded 3rd place for presenting <i>VaaniConnect</i> at an intercollegiate competition.	
First Year Engineering in Academics	Oct 2023
Ranked 3rd overall in academics for first-year engineering.	
HSC in Academics	Dec 2022
Achieved 1st Rank in both 11th and 12th Science stream	

PUBLICATIONS

Eighth International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Soft Computing – AISC

Nov 2024

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• Published a research paper on Fake Currency Detection for Visually Impaired Individuals using CNN models.

1st International Conference on Emerging Trends in Computer Science and Engineering ICETCSE

Mar 2025

• Published a research paper on VaaniConnect-Sign Language to voice transcriber using CNN models and computer vision.

HACKATHONS

Mytra: HackerRamp Hackthon	Jul 2024
 This was our first online Hackathon. 	
Smart India Hackthon	Aug 2024
• Selected as one of the Top 5 teams in the internal hackathon for Smart India Hackathon 2024.	
Hackquinox 1	Feb 2025
• Selected as one of the Top 8 teams in Hacquinox 2025.	
CodeCrafters Hackathon	Mar 2024
• Finalist in CodeCrafters 2025.	
SKILLS	

- Languages: Java, C, JavaScript, Python
- Databases: MongoDB, MySQL
- Frameworks: React.JS, Node.JS, Express.JS
- Operating Systems: Linux, Windows
- Developer Tools: Git, Github
- UI/UX tools: Figma