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EDUCATION:

Vellore Institute of Technology

B.Tech in Computer Science And Engineering-8.85 CGPA

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TECHNICAL SKILLS:

- **Machine Learning & Data Science:** Python, scikit-learn, pandas, matplotlib, seaborn.
- **Deep Learning:** Tensorflow, Neural Networks, CNNs, RNNs, LSTM, Transfer Learning, OpenCV
- **Coding Languages:** Python, MySQL.
- **MLOps Tools:** Git, GitHub, AWS (basic), Streamlit, Docker, MLFlow, Google Colab, PyCharm.
- **Other:** FastAPI, CI/CD

PROJECTS:

MindWell | **Machine learning-** Python, Streamlit, Pandas, NLP, Audio APIs May 2025 - June 2025

- Expanded an interactive mental wellness app with 3 quizzes, 6+ therapy tracks, and real-time emotional feedback using NLP sentiment scoring.
- Integrated audio APIs with embedded songs and rewards, increasing session duration by 10%.
- Used Pandas for data processing and visual feedback, improving clarity in burnout assessment.
- Designed a fully responsive and gamified front-end to enhance user retention and promote self-reflection.

RetinoScan | **Machine Learning-** Python, TensorFlow, OpenCV, CNN, Streamlit June 2024 – May 2025

- Developed a CNN-based deep learning pipeline for diagnosing Diabetes, Hypertension, and Autism from retinal images, achieving a 79% AUC score on validation data.
- Implemented 4+ preprocessing techniques and 2x data augmentation, boosting image clarity by 25% and model robustness across 1,400+ labeled images.
- Performed optic disc segmentation and feature extraction on 5,000+ retinal images, enhancing classification accuracy and confidence.
- Built an interactive Streamlit dashboard for real-time diagnosis visualization with severity scoring, identifying 3 key bottlenecks in the diagnostic workflow.

PoseSense | **Deep Learning-** Python, PyTorch, OpenCV, Keypoint R-CNN January 2024– May 2024

- Built a Keypoint R-CNN-based pose-estimation system detecting 17+ joints for real-time posture insights.
- Developed pose-angle calculations with OpenCV, improving posture-scoring accuracy by **32%**.
- Preprocessed and augmented 8,000+ images, reducing keypoint error and boosting model robustness.
- Created a Streamlit dashboard with skeleton overlays, posture alerts, and downloadable PDF reports.

ACHIEVEMENTS:

- **Hackathon Finalist:** Ranked top 50/236 teams in Health Hack 2025 by VIT Bhopal & Johns Hopkins University (JHU), USA (February 2025)-demonstrated collaboration and creative strategic-thinking.
- **Hackathon Participation:** Delivered AI and web-based solutions in domains of women empowerment, mental health, and healthcare at EY Techathon 5.0, Imagine Hackathon, and HP Power Lab Hackathon.
- **Coding Challenges:** Accomplished 100 Days of Coding & 60 Days of Data Science under Dr. G Viswanathan Challenge (2024), while actively pursuing my ongoing #JourneyToMLPro Challenge (2025).
- Provided bug-fixes and documentation improvements to open-source computer-vision repository, improving usability for 200+ developers.

EXTRACURRICULAR:

- First place in Football & 2× Runner up at Inter-University Tournament, Advitya Techno-Cultural Fest (February 2023).
- Champion (December 2022) & Runner-up (December 2023) in University Dance Competitions.
- Technical Lead of Marathi Regional Club at VIT Bhopal, mentoring 30+ members.