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# **EDUCATION**

# **Dalhousie University**

Halifax, NS

Bachelor of Computer Science [Co-op], CGPA: 3.78

Sep. 2023 - Apr. 2027

#### Experience

# Data Analyst Intern

Apr. 2024 – Aug. 2024

Odyssey Motors Pvt. Ltd., Maruti Suzuki (<u>Link</u>)

Remote

- Optimized operations, reducing service delays by 25%, by analyzing customer feedback, service logs, and repair records using Advanced Excel(Pivot Tables, VLOOKUP, and conditional formatting) and SQL.
- Designed and automated dynamic dashboards in Excel and Tableau, improving reporting efficiency by 40%.
- Automated workflows using Excel Macros, reducing manual data entry by 30%, saving \$2,000+ in labor costs.
- Managed IT assets in ServiceNow, ensuring 100% inventory accuracy and minimizing losses.

# Computer Science Mentor

Aug. 2024 - Present

Together@Dal, Dalhousie University (Link)

Halifax, NS

- Mentored 20 first-year students, improving retention by 15% through structured guidance.
- Organized community events, **increasing attendance** and participation by **30%** based on sign-ups and feedback.
- Collaborated with TAs and student leaders to enhance academic support and peer learning.

## **PROJECTS**

SysGuard - System Health Monitor | Python(psutil, smtplib, Matplotlib), Oracle SQL, Git (GitHub)

- Developed a **real-time system monitoring tool**, preventing crashes and optimizing performance.
- Designed an alert system using smtplib that notifies users of resource overuse, reducing downtime by 35%.
- Integrated Oracle SQL to store system performance data, improving trend analysis and troubleshooting.
- Enhanced system tracking using CMDB, streamlining issue resolution and reducing response times by 40%.

#### LeetTrack - LeetCode Tracker | PHP, JavaScript, MySQL, Git (GitHub)

- Built a web application to track progress and categorize LeetCode problems
- Integrated MySQL for efficient data storage and PHP for server-side operations.
- Developed interactive features using JavaScript to filter, sort, and visualize the user's problem-solving progress.

#### Global Game Jam 2025 - Brick Breaker Game | Java (GitHub)

- Developed game in Java in under 48 hours, utilizing object-oriented principles (OOPs) and fast-paced design.
- Collaborated with a team of four to brainstorm ideas, divide tasks, and integrate features efficiently.
- Focused on gameplay mechanics, ensuring a responsive and enjoyable user experience.

# MausamApp - The Weather App | HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap 5, JavaScript, Git (GitHub)

- Built a **dynamic** weather application that allows users to search cities and view current & 7-day forecasts.
- Implemented a favorites system to allow users to save preferred cities.
- Designed a responsive **UI** with Bootstrap 5 for seamless user experience.

#### Portfolio-101 | HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, Git (GitHub) (Portfolio)

- Built a responsive, interactive portfolio to showcase developer skills, projects, and achievements.
- Designed with a **mobile-first approach** for an optimal user experience on any device.
- Published using GitHub and Netlify for seamless accessibility and employer outreach.

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C, JavaScript, PHP, HTML5, CSS3, Git, SQL(MySQL, Oracle, Postgres)

 $\textbf{Libraries} \hbox{: } Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Scikit-learn, TensorFlow}$ 

Frameworks: React, Node.js, Flask, JUnit, WordPress, Material-UI, FastAPI

Developer Tools & Cloud: AWS, Docker, GitHub, GitLab, Jupyter Notebook, Visual Studio, IntelliJ, ServiceNow

BI & Visualization Tools: Tableau, Advanced Excel (Pivot Table, VLOOKUP, Conditional Formatting)

#### CERTIFICATES

Data Analytics with Python Certification | ShiftKey Labs Academy Up (Certificate)
SQL Foundations Certification | ShiftKey Labs Academy Up(Certificate)