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EDUCATION

Dalhousie University

Halifax, NS

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

Sep. 2023 - Apr. 2027

Experience

Computer Science Mentor

Aug. 2024 - Present

Halifax, NS

Together@Dal, Dalhousie University (Link)

- Mentored 20 first-year students, offering resources and guidance to ease their transition and boost retention.
- Organized community-building events to enhance student engagement and inclusivity.
- Strengthened collaboration within the Dalhousie Community through mentorship and event planning.

Data Analyst Intern

Apr. 2024 – Aug. 2024

Odyssey Motors Pvt. Ltd., Maruti Suzuki (Link)

Sambalpur, India

- Optimized operations by analyzing service records, customer feedback, and repair logs using advanced Excel techniques, including Pivot Tables, VLOOKUP, and conditional formatting, to identify trends.
- Designed dynamic Excel and Tableau dashboards using DAX formulas to visualize KPIs and service trends.
- Automated data workflows with **Excel macros**, reducing manual effort by **30%**.
- Managed and tracked IT assets using ServiceNow, ensuring accurate inventory records.
- Partnered with cross-functional teams to develop inventory models and deliver insights to senior management.

Projects

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

- Developed a real-time system monitoring tool using **Python** and **psutil** to track CPU, memory, and disk usage.
- Integrated Oracle SQL to store and manage historical system performance data for trend analysis.
- Created alert system with Matplotlib and smtplib to notify users of resource overuse and display usage trends.

Personal Portfolio Website | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Git (GitHub) (Portfolio)

- Built and deployed a responsive portfolio website using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to showcase skills.
- Optimized for performance, ensuring fast loading and multi-device compatibility.
- Published using GitHub and Netlify for seamless accessibility and employer outreach.

Retail Orders Analysis | Python(Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib), Kagqle API, SQL, Jupyter Notebook (GitHub)

- Analyzed and visualized retail datasets using Python libraries (Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib) and SQL.
- Automated data retrieval and updates with Kaggle API, streamlining workflows for high efficiency.
- Cleaned and processed data using **SQL queries**, ensuring consistency for accurate analysis.

Road Accident Dashboard | Tableau (GitHub) (Tableau Dashboard)

- Designed an interactive **Tableau dashboard** with **KPIs** and dynamic maps to analyze UK road accidents.
- Enhanced geospatial analysis by 25% through hotspot identification and visualization.
- Incorporated filters for detailed insights and data-driven decision-making.

Certificates

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

SQL Foundations | ShiftKey Labs Academy Up (Ongoing)

Cloud Foundations | ShiftKey Labs Academy Up (Ongoing)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python (Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib), Java, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Git, SQL

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

Developer Tools & Cloud: GitHub, Google Collab, Jupyter Notebook, Visual Studio, IntelliJ, Eclipse, ServiceNow

MS Office (365): Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, Teams, SharePoint, Visio

Interpersonal Skills: Critical Thinking, Problem-Solving, Agile, Data Driven, Communication, Team Collaboration