# **Nilay Patel**

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#### **Technical Skills**

- Programming: Python, Java, Bash, SQL, JavaScript, HTML, CSS
- Web Development: React, Node.js, Flask
- Cloud & DevOps: AWS (EC2, S3, IAM, Lambda, CloudFormation), Terraform, Kubernetes, Docker, CI/CD (Jenkins, GitHub Actions, ArgoCD)
- Infrastructure & Automation: Linux, Ansible, Helm, Serverless Computing
- Monitoring & Security: Prometheus, Grafana, AWS CloudWatch, Security Groups
- Databases: PostgreSQL, MySQL, DynamoDB

## **Work Experience**

# **Software Engineer - Graduate Research and Teaching Assistant**

Aug 2023 - Present

## **Georgia State University**

- Developed and maintained scalable cloud-native applications on AWS using Terraform and Kubernetes.
- Designed and implemented CI/CD pipelines, reducing deployment time by 50% and increasing system reliability.
- Automated infrastructure provisioning, optimizing resource utilization and cutting cloud costs by 30%.
- Conducted performance monitoring and troubleshooting using Prometheus and AWS CloudWatch, enhancing system uptime.
- Assisted students in Java programming, software development, and cloud computing concepts.
- Guided students on DevOps best practices, CI/CD pipelines, and cloud deployment, improving their handson experience.

## **Software Engineer Intern**

May 2024 - Aug 2024

#### **Nutracap USA**

- Developed serverless applications on AWS, improving system scalability and reducing response time.
- Designed and optimized data pipelines for analytics, integrating SQL databases with Power BI.
- Automated cloud resource allocation, reducing infrastructure costs by 25%.
- Enhanced real-time monitoring using AWS Lambda, CloudWatch, and automated alerts.

## **Education**

**Georgia State University** 

Master of Science in Computer Science | GPA: 4.0/4.0

**Gujarat Technological University** 

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science | GPA: 9.8/10

Atlanta, GA
Aug 2023 - Present
India
Aug 2019 - May 2023

## **Projects**

## Spam SMS Classification (NLP & ML)

- Developed a spam detection model using Natural Language Processing (NLP) & Machine Learning.
- Preprocessed text data using **TF-IDF vectorization** and **NLTK**, optimizing feature extraction.
- Achieved 94% accuracy in spam classification using Random Forest and fine-tuned hyperparameters.
- Deployed the model using **Flask API**, allowing real-time spam detection for SMS filtering applications.

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## Stock Price Prediction with AI

- Built time-series forecasting models (LSTM, ARIMA, SARIMA) to predict stock trends.
- Performed feature engineering and time-series analysis to enhance model accuracy.
- Integrated real-time stock data from APIs and optimized prediction intervals.
- Achieved high-accuracy predictions using advanced ML techniques and hyperparameter tuning.

## **COVID-19 Transit Simulation (Agent-Based Model)**

- Built an agent-based simulation to model virus transmission in public transit systems.
- Simulated real-world seating arrangements and infection probability using Python and NetLogo.
- Visualized simulation results with **Matplotlib** and **Seaborn** to analyze transmission trends.
- Designed an interactive dashboard for scenario-based modeling and risk assessment.