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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Data Scientist / ML Engineer with end-to-end delivery across data engineering, modelling, and MLOps. Experience unifying fragmented data into a **single source of truth** (BigQuery), building and evaluating predictive models (LightGBM, CNN/OCR, NLP), and deploying services to cloud-native infrastructure (Docker/Kubernetes/Vertex AI) with measurable impact (e.g., >80% manual-effort reduction, 7.9% MAPE forecasting, p95 < 300 ms at $\sim 1 \text{k req/s}$). Comfortable owning requirements \rightarrow design \rightarrow build \rightarrow test \rightarrow deploy, reporting metrics to stakeholders, and running a reliable rhythm of business.

CORE SKILLS

- Languages: Python (pandas, NumPy, scikit-learn, TensorFlow, PyTorch), SQL, Bash; Java, C
- ML: supervised/unsupervised learning, feature engineering, hyperparameter tuning, model selection, cross-validation, ROC/AUC, SHAP/feature importance; CNNs (OCR/vision), basic NLP
- Data Engineering: BigQuery/SQL, ETL/ELT, Airflow/Composer, Cloud Functions, REST APIs, dbt (familiar)
- MLOps & Cloud: Docker, Kubernetes (basic), Vertex AI, Cloud Run, MLflow (registry), CI/CD fundamentals
- Analytics & Viz: Tableau, Power BI, matplotlib, seaborn, Vega-Lite; KPI dashboards & service review decks
- Experimentation: reproducible pipelines, benchmarking, queueing/perf analysis, statistical summaries
- Collaboration: stakeholder communication, SLA tracking, incident management, Agile/Scrum, Git/GitHub

EXPERIENCE

Data Science Analyst Intern — Icon Life Sciences (Remote, Hyderabad, India)

May 2025 - Sept 2025

- Unified 12+ data silos (ERP/CRM/e-commerce/3rd-party Rx) into a golden-source data lake on GCP BigQuery with Cloud Functions & Airflow, covering 108 SKUs in 25 therapy areas; reduced manual Excel work by >80% and enabled consistent reporting.
- Designed a brand-level LightGBM demand-forecast (quarterly) with MAPE 7.9%; insights informed production planning and helped reduce stock-outs by 18% for CNS therapies.
- Ran weekly/monthly stakeholder reviews with commercial, supply-chain, and IT; tracked risks/actions/owners to keep deliverables on-SLA and communicated status to leadership.

Junior Machine Learning Engineer — iAssist Innovation Labs (Karnataka, India)

Apr 2024 - Sept 2024

- Supported go-live for a **CNN-OCR** and **auto-adjudication** solution adopted by **two top-5** Indian health insurers; triaged client queries with product/engineering to resolution.
- Implemented computer-vision quality checks (de-skew, resolution normalisation, file-type validation) in a mobile doc-collection app, reducing re-submissions and improving first-time-right uploads.
- Contributed to a Docker/Kubernetes-deployed vision microservice; achieved p95 < 300 ms latency and $\sim 1,000$ reg/s in load tests with $\sim 0.2\%$ error rate.

AI & ML Intern — iAssist Innovation Labs (Karnataka, India)

May 2023 - Sept 2023

- Automated GCP data pipelines (Cloud Storage \rightarrow BigQuery; Vertex AI; Airflow), improving data validity to 99% and reducing preprocessing latency by \sim 40%.
- Curated/labeled ~1.2M images and trained a TensorFlow EfficientNet-B3 classifier (Top-1 ~92% on hold-out); tracked artefacts in MLflow and produced handover docs.
- Delivered a FastAPI microservice prototype for model inference; documented API contracts and monitoring hooks.

Application & Web Design Intern — iAssist Innovation Labs (Karnataka, India)

May 2022 - Sept 2022

- Built a **Flutter** mobile app for pharmaceutical inventory scanning; implemented camera/scan flows, local caching, and error handling.
- Developed a **React.js** web UI for admins (product lookup, search, audit trails) backed by REST APIs.
- Shipped a FastAPI + PostgreSQL barcode/QR extraction service on cloud infrastructure; designed tables, indexes, and validation; introduced microservices & API gateway for near-real-time sync.
- Set up CI/CD pipelines (build/test/deploy), cutting release friction and improving reliability.

Business Analyst Intern — iAssist Innovation Labs (Karnataka, India)

Dec 2022 – Jan 2023

Analysed operational data with Tableau; built interactive dashboards for KPIs and trend analysis; refined KPI
definitions and data-visualisation strategies with product/engineering.

Web Development Intern — iAssist Innovation Labs (Karnataka, India)

May 2021 - Sept 2021

• Delivered a cloud-hosted web solution for an insurance client (front- and back-end features); dockerised services for consistent builds and streamlined deployment.

LEADERSHIP & ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Treasurer — UCD Badminton Club & Music Society

Jan 2023 - Sept 2024

• Managed ~€25,000 budgets across events and allocations; produced monthly financial statements for committees and SU; improved transparency and on-time reporting.

Founder — FarmEasy (Backyard-to-Table Micro-Farm)

Jan 2020 - Sept 2022

• Launched and operated a COVID-era micro-farm; owned planting, harvesting, packaging, and last-mile delivery; built a recurring local customer base via WhatsApp/Instagram and coordinated weekly order cycles.

SELECTED PROJECTS & RESEARCH

- Cloud-Native Library Analytics Platform (FastAPI, PostgreSQL, RabbitMQ, Docker, GKE): 4-service microarchitecture (User/Book/Borrow/Analytics) with async messaging for GDPR-compliant events; achieved ∼1,100 req/s @ ~280 ms p95; documented APIs, manifests, and runbooks.
- SLAM on Mobile Devices using LiDAR (Open3D, NumPy, SciPy, Matplotlib): research direction evaluating ICP variants and sensor-configuration trade-offs for real-time localisation under CPU/battery constraints.
- Astronomy Classifier (SDSS) (scikit-learn, pandas, matplotlib): DT/k-NN/SVMs; filter & wrapper feature selection; CV hyperparameter sweeps; one-vs-rest ROC by class; model chosen on macro-AUC/F1.
- Healthcare Data Mining Pipeline (pandas, scikit-learn, imbalanced-learn): EDA → cleaning → imputation → scaling → SMOTE; classifier comparison with ROC/PR; metric justification.
- PostgreSQL Data Warehouse & OLAP (PostgreSQL, SQLAlchemy): snowflake schema; cohort/retention & group aggregates; reusable CRUD helpers; dashboards for decision support.
- Market-Basket Mining (Apriori/FP-Growth): one-hot baskets; mined frequent itemsets; distilled high-support/high-confidence rules; visualised lift/confidence patterns.
- Performance Engineering (Queueing Models) (Python/Excel): M/D/1, M/M/1, M/M/1, M/M/K; derived resource-scaling rules and SLO-focused recommendations; delivered plots and an executive summary video.
- Web Dev Marketplace (Java, Spring Boot, Thymeleaf, Docker): auth, catalogue, product detail, cart (update/remove/total), and admin workflows (create/update, order review, soft-hide items preserving price history); JUnit tests & UML docs.
- Software Engineering Projects (C / Java): Twitter-like (C) with linked-list news feed (Top-10) and disciplined Git; Cascadia (Java) console game with clean OOP, unit tests, UML; sprint-based delivery.
- Information Visualisation Tool (Vega-Lite): interactive multi-chart explorer with user interactions; ≤1000-word design rationale and a short demo.

RESEARCH

- LiDAR Re-localisation for Resource-Constrained Devices (BSc Final Year Project): reproducible KITTI simulation; ablations over range/FoV/voxel/noise using point-to-plane ICP; translation/rotation error analysis; plots and a future-work roadmap.
- Viability of a New Division at Icon Life Sciences (IB BM HL IA, May 2021): interviews + financial/market analysis (moving averages, PMPM, P&L, GPM/NPM, break-even); strong seasonality and margins; concluded company-viable with ~18–24 month payback; recommended staged rollout and therapy-area rebalancing.

EDUCATION

BSc (Hons), Computer Science — University College Dublin, Ireland Sept 2021 – May 2025 Relevant modules (selected): ML & Data: Machine Learning; Data Mining; Programming for Big Data; Databases & Information Systems; Information Visualisation; Human-Centred AI Systems & Cloud: Cloud Computing; Introduction to Operating Systems; Performance of Computer Systems; Computer Networking Software & Theory: Web Development; Software Engineering Projects (C/Java); Algorithms; Data Structures; Digital Systems; Graph Algorithms; Information Security; Introduction to AI; Applied & Computational Mathematics

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Tools: Git/GitHub, Jupyter/Colab, MLflow (registry), FastAPI, Spring Boot, Maven, SQLAlchemy, Docker, Kubernetes (basic), Airflow/Composer, Vertex AI, Cloud Run, BigQuery
- Operating Systems: Linux, macOS, Windows
- Languages: English (fluent); French (basic)
- Interests: applied computer vision, demand forecasting, MLOps hygiene, human-in-the-loop AI