RAKSHIT KUMAR

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Education

SRM Institute of Science and Technology

Aug 2023 - May 2027

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science | CGPA: 9.21

Chennai, India

Experience

Indian Institute of Information Technology Allahabad

May 2025 - July 2025

Research and Development Intern

On-site

- Developed an edge-AI systems on Raspberry Pi 5 with AI HAT+ (13 TOPS) for task driven object detection using TFLite SSD-MobileNet and YOLOv11 models.
- Integrated LLMs (Phi-2, Gemma, Qwen) via llama.cpp with Chain-of-Thought (CoT) prompting to reason about object suitability.
- Built a real-time PiCamera2 + Vosk speech system for multimodal interaction and filtered bounding boxes using LLM responses.
- Benchmarked LLM's across six metrices, monitored system performance with **nmon** and **Matplotlib**, and **plotting comparative** graphs.

Liftoff, CTECH Association

Chennai, India

Technical Head (2024-25)

Sep 2024 – Present

- · Led the design and development of dynamic web applications, significantly improving the club's digital presence and user engagement.
- · Guided a team of developers, providing mentorship and ensuring high code quality through regular reviews and best practice implementations.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to plan and execute technical workshops and events, fostering skill development and knowledge sharing across the club.

Projects

Cuvette Clone Dec 2024 - Jan 2025

- Recreated key student-side features of Cuvette tech, including internship browsing, login/signup, and application functionality.
- Built a responsive student dashboard for managing profiles and tracking internship applications using **React.is**, Node.js, Express.js, and MongoDB.
- Designed with a focus on intuitive UI/UX to simulate real-world internship application workflow.

Real-Time Multiplayer Chess Game

Jun 2025

- · Developed a web-based multiplayer chess game enabling real-time gameplay using Socket.io for bidirectional WebSocket communication and Chess.js for move validation and game logic.
- Designed a role-based player system (white, black, spectator) with synchronized game state across clients using FEN notation.
- · Built an interactive drag-and-drop chessboard interface with Node.js, styled with Tailwind CSS, and rendered using EJS templating and express.js.

Stock Market Price Predictor

July 2025 – Sep 2025

- Developed a ML/DL forecasting pipeline (Random Forest, SVR, Lasso/Ridge, Gradient Boosting, MLP, LSTM, GRU) on Adani Ports dataset to generate short- & long-term stock price predictions, evaluated via MSE, MAE & R².
- Integrated sentiment analysis from ~1.39M financial tweets with technical indicators to enhance model robustness and capture market psychology.
- · Built end-to-end workflows (data cleaning, feature engineering, scaling, visualization, benchmarking) to streamline model comparison and deliver investor-ready insights.

Professional Skills

Languages: HTML, CSS, Tailwind CSS, JavaScript, C, C++, Python

Frameworks/Libraries: React.js, Node.js, Express.js, Redux, OpenCV, NumPy

Technical Skills: Data Structures and Algorithms, Object Oriented Programming, Operating System, Embedded

Systems, Raspberry Pi Development

Tools/Databases: Git, GitHub, MySQL, MongoDB, Version Control

Achievements

• Award of Excellence during IIIT Allahabad internship, honored for outstanding contribution in building an edge-AI task driven object detection system with Raspberry Pi 5, AI HAT+ (13 TOPS) and LLM integration.