Rishav Raj

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Professional Summary

Detail-oriented Software Engineer skilled in Python backend and REST API development. Writing clean and efficient code. Collaborative problem-solver eager to contribute technical skills and deliver impact in backend engineering roles.

Technologies

Languages: Python, SQL, Bash

Frameworks and Tools: Fast API, PostgreSQL, Redis, Postman

Cloud & DevOps: AWS, Docker, Git, Jenkins, Linux

Education

VIT Bhopal University, B.Tech in Computer Science

Sept 2022 - May 2026

• CGPA: 8.47/10

• Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms, Networking, Cloud Architecture, Software Engineering

Projects

AI-Powered Resume Analyzer ATS Optimizer, Link VIT Bhopal

March 2025 - April 2025

- Engineered a high-performance REST API using FastAPI serving 500+ concurrent users with 99.5% up time.
- Implemented resume parsing achieving 92% accuracy in extracting skills, experience, and education data.
- Designed PostgreSQL database schema with optimized indexing, handling 1000+ resume records.
- Deployed using Docker containers with automated CI/CD pipeline reducing deployment time by 70%.

Intelligent Research Assistant, Link VIT Bhopal

May 2025 - June 2025

- Engineered an AI agent (LangChain, Gemini 1.5 Flash) for automated, multi-source research, reducing manual gathering time by 40%.
- Developed a Streamlit web interface for real-time query and display, enhancing user accessibility and processing 100+ queries.
- Improved research efficiency, user interaction, and code reliability up to **90**% through a comprehensive AI-driven system.
- Optimized LangChain pipeline achieving 40% faster query processing through efficient chunking strategies

High-Performance URL Shortener Service, Link VIT Bhopal

July 2025 - Aug 2025

- Developed **production-ready** URL shortening API handling **1,000+ requests/minute** with load balancing.
- Implemented custom short URL algorithm generating collision-free 6-character codes for 56+ billion URLs
- Built Redis-based caching achieving 99.2% cache hit rate and sub-100ms response times
- Implemented database connection pooling and async operations improving throughput by 3x.
- Created rate limiting middleware preventing abuse with IP-based throttling and API key management.

Achievements

- **Problem Solving:** Solved 500+ coding problems on LeetCode and HackerRank, focusing on algorithms and system design.
- **Hobbies:** Published 15+ technical blogs on backend development best practices, reaching 200+ developers monthly.
- **Soft skills:** Organized 3 cloudzone club events, reached a total attendance of over 200 guests while leading a team of 8.