TANUSH KULKARNI

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EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Physics

Edison High School Sep 2021 – June 2025

STEM Academy GPA: 4.0/4.0

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C++, Java, HTML, CSS, Kotlin, JavaScript

Frameworks/Tools: Git, GitHub, Docker, Command Prompt, Flask, OpenCV, Tensorlow, Pandas, MatPlotLib, Seaborn, Numpy,

SciKitLearn, Cloud Computing, Databases, Google Workspace

Spoken Languages: English, Marathi, Kannada, Hindi

WORK EXPERIENCE

Center for Digital Transformation, Gabelli School of Business, Fordham University

Remote

Jr. Technical Member

May 2024 – Jan 2025

Expected May 2028

- **Collected** data from various reputed data sources and **compiled** them into file types suitable for analysis using a number of natural language data analysis tools.
- Sorted over 8000 total data points in formats including CSV, Excel, and PDF to filter out duplicates and irrelevant data points, reducing dataset size by more than 50% through a combination of manual and programmed filters.
- Analyzed <u>over 3000 data points</u>, including creating <u>frequency-based visualizations</u> and using <u>Natural Language Processing</u> and <u>LDA models</u> to further uncover patterns within the text.
- **Drafted** a report **detailing** my findings to my mentor and **contributed** to the writing of <u>research papers</u> currently in the process of publication.

National Business and Engineering Organization (NOBE)

Urbana, Illinois

Technology Committee Member

Sep 2025 – Present

- Collaborating with talented <u>consultants</u> to design a <u>Full Stack E-Commerce web application</u> for a sustainable fashion company.
- Implementing various <u>APIs</u> and integrating <u>PostGreSQL</u> database with <u>AWS</u> and utilizing modern <u>AI-assisted</u> practices for efficient and non-buggy code.
- **Utilizing** best collaboration practices on <u>GitHub</u> including <u>branching and PRs</u> to <u>ensure code compliance</u> and <u>prevent merge</u> conflicts.

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

Chess Tournament Finder (Python)

Feb 2023 - Oct 2024

- **Designed** an application to **find** <u>chess tournaments online</u> using various <u>user-defined parameters</u> such as the date range, location, or distance from a particular area.
- **Implemented** a feature which allowed users to **send** a <u>CSV copy</u> and an <u>ICS file</u> of the list of tournaments to their email for <u>easy online access and calendar integration</u>.
- Automated a script to run every month on laptop start to automatically find and compile new chess tournaments.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP

Schoolhouse.world

Senior SAT Bootcamp Tutor

Remote Jan 2024 - Present

• **Directing** new tutors by **guiding** them through the process of <u>creating better study materials</u> and **assisted** in the <u>peer review</u> of other tutors' sessions, helping them **understand** their weaknesses and **improve** their tutoring skills.

- Achieved positive reviews from learners, with an emphasis on my good explanations, engaging lessons, and friendliness.
- **Developed** a <u>custom-designed course</u> on chess tactics in 2024, earning <u>positive reviews</u> for the <u>fun nature</u> of my lessons.