SNEHANSH NIGAM

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Education

VIT Bhopal University, Bhopal B.Tech in Computer Science & Engineering, CGPA: 9.11 Ryan International School, CBSE Intermediate XII (secondary) Podar International School, CBSE HighSchool X (secondary)

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: C++, Python,

AI/ML & Data Science: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, NLP, Computer Vision, LLMs, Recommendation Systems, Feature Engineering, Model Optimization, Data Preprocessing, EDA Frameworks & Libraries: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Scikit-Learn, OpenCV, XGBoost, NLTK, Pandas, NumPy, Seaborn, Matplotlib

Databases & Tools: MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, PL/SQL, Jupyter Notebook

Work Experience

AI Intern - Sahana System Limited

May 25 – Aug 25

- Processed and cleaned 10,000+ structured/unstructured data entries across 3+ AI projects, reducing preprocessing time by 20% and accelerating pipeline readiness.
- Designed and deployed a real-time retail theft detection system using YOLOv8 (Computer Vision, Pose Estimation)
 + XGBoost (Behavior Classification), enhancing store security with >90% precision and reducing false positives by 30%.
- Built a multi-module pipeline (7+ integrated scripts) combining OpenCV, CVZone, and custom object tracking for rack zone marking, item pickup detection, and suspicious activity alerts.

Projects

Fake News Detection | NLTK, LSTM, TF-IDF, Python

February 24 – April 24

- Lead a team of 5 in the development of a web application for identifying the authenticity of news articles
- Scraped & preprocessed 50,000+ news articles, building a balanced dataset
- Designed ML pipelines with TensorFlow, PyTorch, and Scikit-learn, boosting detection precision from 70% to 90%

Smart Spend | React, Node.js, PostgreSQL, Machine Learning

August 23 – November 23

- Directed a 4-member team to build a scalable finance tracking app
- Deployed 10+ backend services using Django & SQL, reducing system downtime by 35%
- Enhanced scalability by integrating Node.js + MongoDB, reducing API latency by 40%

Shoplifting Detection | OpenCV, YOLOv8, XGBoost, AI

- Designed an AI-powered real-time theft detection system using pose estimation + behavior classification
- Engineered 7+ integrated modules (tracking, zone marking, pickup detection), achieving >90% precision with a 30% false positive reduction
- Deployed XGBoost classifier on curated pose datasets, improving recall on suspicious activity detection

Achievements

- Selected as the only team from VIT Bhopal for Solve-A-Thon Hackathon, competing against 50+ teams across VIT campuses
- Earned several certifications across different areas of technology and professional development
- Solved 600+ Data Structures & Algorithms (DSA) problems across multiple competitive programming platforms, strengthening problem-solving, algorithmic thinking, and coding efficiency.

Certifications

• Certified in Cloud Computing (NPTEL – IIT Madras) and Data Science Bootcamp, covering cloud infrastructure, distributed systems, data preprocessing, EDA, machine learning, and model deployment.