# Teja Akella

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#### Education

# Georgia Institute of Technology | GPA: 4.0

Atlanta, GA | Expected: December 2026

- Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering w/ Cybersecurity, System and Architecture
- <u>Courses:</u> Programming HW/SW Systems, Intro to Object-Oriented Programming, Introduction to Discrete Math for CS, Linear Algebra, Digital Systems and Design 2, Statistics and Applications.

# Purdue University | GPA: 3.74

West Lafayette, IN | August 2023 - May 2024

• <u>Courses:</u> Transforming Ideas To Innovation, Modern Mechanics, Multivariate Calculus, Electrical Engineering Fundamentals I, Ordinary Differential Equations, C Programming, Electric And Magnetic Interactions

# **Work Experience**

Full Stack Developer | Reffy Inc.

Atlanta, GA | January 2024 - Present

• Collaborated with software developers to design and implement a scalable, distributed infrastructure. This infrastructure supports all application and business operations, including a client-facing web application and a microservice backend. Successfully reduced customer and enterprise labor by 80%.

#### Research Intern | Purdue VIPER Lab

West Lafayette, IN | January 2024 - May 2024

• Explored the use of convolutional neural networks for locating brain tumors in MRI scans. Automated the analysis of MRI images, resulting in a 30% increase in brain tumor detection accuracy.

## Research Scholar | Air Force Research Lab

Dayton, OH | June 2023 - July 2023

• Assisted NASA in developing a simulation to model the moon's environment for the Artemis 3 missions in 2025 and 2028. This simulation is instrumental in preparing astronauts for the lunar south pole.

#### Research Scholar | Air Force Research Lab

Dayton, OH | June 2022 - July 2022

• Developed a mixed-reality multiplayer training simulation for Rocket Propelled Grenade (RPG) training, reducing training costs by 85%.

#### Student Intern | Accenture

Columbus, OH | January 2022 - May 2022

• Collaborated with engineers to develop an internal application, improving the speed of managing surveys and data collection from clients by 40%.

## **Projects**

Prescription Management Service | Github.com/Takella6315/Prescription-Management

- Created a prototype web application that tracks and reminds elderly users of active prescriptions
- Technologies: TypeScript, TailwindCSS, React.js, Next.js, SQL, Databasing, ChatGPT API

**Network Traffic Visualization** | Github/Takella6315/network-packet-tracing

- Developed a Python tool to parse Packet Capture (PCAP) files generated by Wireshark. The tool maps IP addresses to physical locations using a geo-location database.
- Technologies: Python, Wireshark, GeolP database, SMTP, Data Visualization, Network Protocol Analysis

Re-make of Agar.io game | Github/Takella6315/Agar.io-remake

- Developed the UI and UX for an online multiplayer game remake, with ongoing work on the game's physics
- <u>Technologies</u>: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Canvas API, Game Design, UI/UX Development

## Skills

<u>Computer Programming:</u> Java and OOP concepts, Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, React.js, Next.js, Git, HTML, CSS, TailwindCSS, Bootstrap, Go, Docker, SQL, PowerShell, MATLAB, Raspberry PI, Arduino, MIPS, Postgres, AWS <u>Cybersecurity:</u> Network cabling, Cisco switch and router configuration, DNS Structure and Server Configuration, Troubleshooting tools, Networking Theory, Network Security methods, Wireshark, Nmap, Metasploit.

<u>Certifications</u>: CompTIA Network+, CompTIA Security+, and GFACT.

# **Extra-Curricular and Volunteer Experiences:**

HyTech Racing August 2024 - Present

• Designed and developed the Drivebrain system, focusing on optimizing vehicle performance.

### **SkillsUSA Technical Competition**

May 2022 - May 2023

Placed 3rd at the Ohio State Competition in Cybersecurity and 10th for IT services

FIRST Robotics

Robotics August 2015 - May 2023

FRC - Programming and Mechanical subteam lead - Outstanding Freshman Award Recipient.