

# Tharunya Sundar

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## EDUCATION

**Binghamton University, SUNY, Thomas J. Watson College of Engineering and Applied Science**

*Master of Science in Computer Science*

*Expected December 2025*

**Cumulative GPA: 3.375/4.00**

**SASTRA University, Tamil Nadu, India**

*Bachelor of Science in Information and Communication Technology*

*August 2024*

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** Python, C/C++, Java, JavaScript, React, SQL, MongoDB, Firebase, HTML5, CSS3, TailwindCSS

**Software & Tools:** Android Studio, Jupyter Notebook, Google Colab, Git, Docker, VS Code, Anaconda, Linux, MySQL

**Frameworks & Libraries:** TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, OpenCV, Scikit-learn, Pandas, Matplotlib, Streamlit, Node.js, React.js

**Additional:** Tableau, Data Visualization, EDA, REST API, Databases, RDBMS, JSON, XML

**Certifications:** Advanced Learning Algorithms, The Complete JavaScript Course from Zero to Hero

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Verzeo, AI Project Intern | Tamil Nadu, India**

*October 2022 – December 2022*

*Tech Stack : Python, TensorFlow, Keras, CNN, OpenCV, Pillow, Streamlit, NumPy, Pandas, Streamlit Cloud, Git/GitHub*

- Created a real-time face mask detection system using TensorFlow and MobileNetV2, achieving 94% accuracy
- Developed and deployed a browser-based front end with Streamlit for real-time image-based detection using OpenCV

**Educational AI, Research Assistant**

*February 2025 -- Present*

*Tech Stack : Python, Pandas, Numpy, GenAI, LLM, JSON, OpenAI API, HuggingFace Transformers, Git/GitHub*

- Building a structured dataset of GMAT/SAT Q&A in JSON format, improving AI model evaluation efficiency
- Designing a benchmarking framework to evaluate LLM accuracy on standardized test questions, analyzing single-model vs. multi-model performance

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

**Weather Check, Full stack Development**

*March 2025 -- Present*

*Tech Stack : React, JavaScript, Node.js, Express, Firebase (Auth & Firestore), OpenWeather API, REST API, Git/GitHub*

- Utilized the OpenWeather API to fetch real-time and multi-day weather forecasts, enabling users to track both current and historical weather data based on location inputs
- Implementing Firebase Firestore to store and manage users' weather search history and responsive user interface with React and Fetch API, ensuring smooth API communication and a seamless user experience

**Library Management System, Full stack Development**

*October 2024 -- December 2024*

*Tech Stack : TypeScript, Node.js, MongoDB, Zod, Mocha, Chai, REST API, npm, Git/GitHub*

- Developed a TypeScript-based library system with MongoDB, enabling CRUD operations for book and borrower management
- Integrated Zod for type-safe validation and wrote unit tests using Mocha and Chai to ensure system reliability

**Ping Tool, Android Development**

*February 2024*

*Tech Stack : Kotlin, Android SDK, Gradle, Jetpack ViewBinding, Android Intents, XML (UI Design), GitHub*

- Created an android app that allows users to enter a domain name and test network connectivity by sending ICMP echo requests, measuring response times, and displaying real-time results

**Explorer Transportation Data Science Project, Data Science Trainee | New York City**

*January 2025 -- Present*

*Tech Stack : Python (Pandas, Matplotlib, Geopandas), Time Series Analysis (Statsmodels, STL), Geospatial Visualization (Folium, Plotly), Google Colab, GitHub, Slack*

- Applied geospatial and time-series analysis to NYC crash data (2013–2024), identifying high-risk intersections and peak crash trends for safety recommendations

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

**Binghamton University, International Student and Scholars Services (ISSS), Leadership Volunteer**

*August 2024*

- Assisted 60+ new international students, Led four campus tours, provided detailed insights on key services like health counseling, academic buildings, departments, and addressed student questions on academic life at Binghamton University

## EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE

**Binghamton University, Ernst Young Tech X Case Competition, Consulting Team Representative**

*October 2024*

- Analyzed Starbucks' market challenges and proposed AI-driven strategies like dynamic pricing and express service stations to enhance customer experience

**CodeFest Hackathon, [Winner] conducted by ColorStackBU**

*September 2024*

- Developed a real-time campus event discovery platform with the best UI design, implementing secure authentication using JavaScript, HTML, and CSS