

# Varad Belwalkar

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## Education

**D Y Patil college of engineering and technology, Kolhapur**  
*Bachelor, Computer Science and Engineering* | CGPA: 8.46

2021-ongoing

## Research Projects

**Load Balancing standalone docker engines** | *Hobby Research Project*

2022-ongoing

- Developing a custom **load-balancer** in **Go** to facilitate the load balancing on multiple nodes
- Service is in development and implementation following the Raft consensus algorithm

**Ethereum-Facilitated Secure Tunnelling** | *Blockchain Technology*

- Leveraging Smart Contracts on the PoA test network sepolia for End-to-End highly concurrent connectivity interface between client and server behind NAT, with RESTful client implemented in Django
- Only Contract owners will be able to communicate through the tunnel

**Bring Localhost to the Internet!** | *Blockchain Technology*

2023-ongoing

- Leveraging the off-chain framework Perun to support real-time communication between the server and multiple clients simultaneously
- Only Authorized users will be able to communicate through the tunnel

**Published PaaS Framework as Docker image which has over 2.8K+ pulls on Docker Hub**

## Experience

**Deployed and maintaining the cloud server for college**

## Key Projects

**Compute Services** | *Distributed Systems*

- Engineered backend in **Go** to provide storage and container services by utilizing docker-SDK for Go
- Used **MongoDB** for storage, **Redis** for faster workflow, Computing platform, and Cookie-based sessions
- Implemented Client in Go with conventional security practices and hybrid encryption
- Implemented CI/CD pipeline using **Jenkins** to automate the build, test, and deployment process

**Integration Service** | *Microservices*

- Built an integration platform in Go for various online services to integrate into any cloud infrastructure
- Implemented Authentication via secured cookie-based sessions, and Email verification service

**Scalable Platform as a Service** | *System Design*

- Built an **auto-scaling** container-based PaaS framework by implementing NGINX reverse-proxy to load-balance services controlled by replicated **Django-server** through Docker-Swarm
- Provided a deployment platform, auto-configuring clients for Linux and Windows systems and TLS verification and encryption from the client side

**Web-based Labs** | *Web application*

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- Developing a User-friendly Web app with **ReactJS** providing services offered by the Compute service framework
- Implementing a built-in terminal and various conventional practices and security features

**D-RAM Addressing Attack** | *Computer architecture*

- Performed a timing attack on intel core i5 to reverse engineer the confidential address mappings
- Established a **Covert-Channel** to perform illicit inter-process communication between the host and isolated VM

## Technical Skills

**Languages:** C/C++, Python, JavaScript, Bash, SQL, Go,  $\LaTeX$

**Platforms:** Linux and Windows

**Software Tools:** git, GitHub, Docker, Jenkins, Wireshark, Kubernetes

**Web servers:** Apache, Nginx

**Databases:** MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Redis

**Web Development:** HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, Node.js, ReactJS, ExpressJS, Django

## Position and Responsibility

- Carried out Linux-Wargames, took Linux-related sessions, and established DYP-Linux Users' Group