VISHAL S. PUTTAGUNTA

Education

The Ohio State University

B.S. in Computer Science & Engineering | Minor: Business

Columbus, OH

Expected Graduation: May 2027

• Specialization: Artificial Intelligence | GPA: 3.65/4.00

• Relevant Coursework: Software 1: Software Components in Java, Engineering Calculus 2 & 3, Statistics for Engineers

Work Experience

Sherwin-Williams May 2025

Incoming Software Engineering Intern

Cleveland, OH

Columbus. OH

• Incoming Intern Summer 2025

ServiQ
Founder / Technical Operations Lead | Mar 2025 - Present

Dec 2024 - Present

• Led development and operations of ServiQ, a service hub, **coordinating with 5+ local agencies**, ensuring seamless task postings, **resulting in a 30% increase in volunteer engagement with agency postings**

• Managed agency relations by serving as primary point of contact, resolving 15+ technical/operational inquiries

Lead Software Developer | Dec 2024 - Mar 2025

• Developed an asynchronous data-fetching system using Firebase, Node.js, and Express to retrieve and display volunteer tasks from a Firebase real-time database, enabling real-time updates and handling 100+ tasks dynamically

• Deployed as a web app using Firebase Cloud Functions, optimizing backend performance and supporting 20+ users

The Ohio State University

Nov 2024 - Present

AI/ML Undergraduate Research Assistant

Columbus, OH

• Developed a Python script to automate audio segmentation by extracting 30s to 5min segments from large MP3 files, automating 10,000+ smaller instances of usable data

• Mentored 4 student researchers, guiding them in adapting to High Performance Computing, successfully overseeing execution of scraping/labeling audio data, resulting in collection of 15,000+ instances of usable data

Web Innovators Inc.

Sept 2024 - Present

Freelance Web Developer

Columbus, OH

• Developed custom websites for small businesses partnering with 15+ local companies, increasing online presence

Buckeye Autodrive

Aug 2024 - Jan 2025 Columbus, OH

Software Developer - Object Perception

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• Integrated YOLOv8 algorithms, enhancing object detection accuracy by 27% to increase vehicle safety/reliability

Projects

AI-Enhanced Wellness Coach | PyTorch, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, GPT-40

Oct 2024

• Developed AI fitness tool, improving recommendations by 30% specializing workouts based on score system

Expenditure Advisor | Python

May 2024

• Developed an application to take in income and allocate spending across categories to insure financial responsibility

Leadership Experience

Mount Leadership Society | Financial Coordinator

Aug 2024 - Present

• Chosen as 1 of 100 students to a competitive scholar program based on leadership qualities and community service

• Managing funds of \$600+ for service-oriented initiatives, presenting budget plans to 100+ members at a time

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Java, C/C++, SQL (Postgres), JavaScript, HTML/CSS, MATLAB

Tools & Frameworks: PyTorch, React.js, Node.js, CI/CD, AWS, Git, Azure, MongoDB, Firebase

Certifications: AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner, PCEP - Certified Entry-Level Python Programmer