Akash Sharma

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EDUCATION

McMaster University Sept 2020 – May 2025

B.Eng, Computer Engineering (Co-op)

• Awards: Deans Honor List (2020-2022), Honors Entrance Scholarship (\$2000)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, TypeScript, JavaScript, SQL, C/C++, HTML/CSS

Libraries and Frameworks: Express.js, React, Selenium, Angular, Spring Boot, Bootstrap, Matierial UI

Developer Tools: Git, Google Cloud Platform, MongoDB, Jira, Postman, Netlify, Heroku, PostgreSQL, Docker, Kubernetes

EXPERIENCE

Sun Life Financial Sep 2023 - Dec 2023

Software Engineer Intern

Waterloo, Ontario

- Building and deploying event-driven microservices in Java Spring Boot, Apache Kafka, Docker and Kubernetes
- Developing features for an internal API portal using **React** and **Java Spring Boot** to enhance website user experience

Toronto-Dominion Bank

May 2023 - Aug 2023

Software Engineer Intern

Toronto, Ontario

- Developed new features for the TD Mortgage Pre-Approval web app to increase site efficiency for 3000+ daily users
- Built 3 Java Spring Boot end points to create applicant records in Salesforce from data provided by the Angular UI
- Architected an **Angular** and **TypeScript** co-borrower flow to facilitate seamless creation of **300+** joint applicants
- Constructed HTTP request and response JSON objects to facilitate communications between client and server
- Initiated the NAS-path migration, configuring 25+ Kotlin, PowerShell, and AutoSys jobs for new path requirements

Toronto-Dominion Bank

May 2022 - Aug 2022

Quality Engineer Intern

Toronto, Ontario

- Migrated 2200 test cases from SOAtest to REST-assured to save \$6000+ annually in SOAtest license costs
- Engineered 5+ API test suites using Java and object-oriented practices to increase test suite performance by 40%
- Incorporated multithreading design practices to run concurrent threads that sped up test suite run times by 200%
- Developed a **Selenium** script that extracts authorization tokens from **4 accounts**, saving hours of time weekly

McMaster Automotive Resource Centre

May 2022 - Aug 2022

Software Engineer Intern

Hamilton, Ontario

- Created a RabbitMQ work queue using Python Pika to distribute 1000+ time consuming tasks among workers
- Established a local and server-side database management system using **Liquibase**, **Docker**, **Kubernetes**, and **GitHub Actions** to ensure that **2000+ PostgreSQL** tables remain synchronized
- Built 4 OpenAPI schema and corresponding PostgreSQL table definitions to align with the research models required

PROJECTS

Meal Idea Generator 😯 | React, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, bcrypt.js

- Constructed a full-stack web application to help users conveniently generate meal ideas on a daily basis
- Architected a RESTful back-end to support user profiles and custom meal suggestions, increasing retention by 75%

Gym Registration Bot Python, Selenium, Docker, Google Cloud Platform

• Conceptualized an automated gym booking bot set to schedule gym sessions at the optimal time every other morning, resulting in a **65%** increase in monthly booked sessions