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# AKASH KURVA SHEKARAPPA

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#### **EDUCATION**

Houston, TX University of Houston-Clear Lake

May 2019

• Master of Science in Computer Science GPA: 3.55

Karnataka, India Visvesvaraya Technological University

May 2015

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science GPA: 3.76

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

## Associate Software Engineer Tata Consultancy Services, Chennai, India

July 2015- March 2016

- Part of the security team which is responsible for developing solutions and solving complex/unique problems related to vulnerability management and remediation in the company's infrastructure
- Implemented new algorithm to reduce web configuration rendering time by 80%
- Prioritized tasks and implemented tools using Python, JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, JIRA, REST to provide continuous analysis of security threat information
- Implemented application by adopting the MVC architecture using various Spring modules, JSP, JSTL and AJAX. Mapped the
  business objects to the database using Hibernate ORM which allowed us to persist the business objects and improve the
  performance using caching.
- Participated in scrum meetings, sprint planning, release and deployment

## **Software Engineer**

### Tata Consultancy Services, Chennai, India

March 2016 - July 2017

- REST agile web application development primarily with an AngularJS front end sitting atop a RESTful Java service architecture
- Developed core application components using Java, JSP, Servlets, J2EE, MySQL and UI resources with HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap, JavaScript
- Developed and tested highly scalable application which is mainly used to manipulate data from a specified website using JSOUP,
   Java Swing
- Implemented enterprise infrastructure and platforms by utilizing services in Microsoft Azure and Amazon Web Services required
  for cloud computing and managed integrations of various applications with the platform
- Designed and wrote automation tools using Python, Bash scripting required to perform operations on the application server
- Worked with customers on critical issues and solicited feedback on the existing products through Agile methodology
- Assisted new engineers in understanding AWS basics

## **LANGUAGES AND TECHNOLOGIES**

- Programming Languages: Java, C, C++, Python, C#, SQL, .NET
- Web Technologies: JavaScript, AngularJS, NodeJS, HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap, Typescript, AJAX, REST, JSON
- Databases: MySQL, MongoDB, Oracle
- Tools and Frameworks: JIRA, Windows, Unix, Scikit, NumPy, BeautifulSoup, Git, Eclipse, PyCharm, Apache Tomcat, Android Studio, Visual Studio

#### **PROJECTS**

- Quick Assistance (Android App): Developed android application using Android SDK, Google API, Firebase, Java, REST which connects and allows potential employers to post jobs that freelancers can then bid to complete. App enables the user to communicate (chat/call) in real time with another user
- Movie Recommender System (Fall 2018): Built a movie recommender website using Python, AngularJS, Flask which
  recommends top ten movie lists based on user input. Used Apache spark, Hadoop, Content and Collaborative filtering algorithms
  are compared and analyzed.
- <u>eBus Booking Management Software:</u> Designed and implemented an online web application to operate bus booking services. Created **JSP** pages for the user interface which includes all bus services and **Java, J2EE, AngularJS** technology for business logic.
- Auto Loan Website (Spring 2018): Developed an online web application portal using HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap, JavaScript,
  AngularJS, NodeJS, MongoDB, the auto loan is a line of credit extended by a lender for the purpose of purchasing a vehicle.

### **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Angular JS 2 Certified-Edureka
- International Software Testing Qualification Board (ISTQB) certified tester