

# AAKASH

## EDUCATION

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Marwadi University, Rajkot – B.Tech. Computer Science and Engineering CGPA: 8.84 / 10 Expected 2026

## EXPERIENCE

### Full Stack Developer

June 2024 – August 2024

LernTricks (Remote) [Certificate]

- Led full-cycle development and launch of a web platform, streamlining admin workflows and increasing efficiency by **60%**.
- Designed scalable data models and authentication flows using **Mongoose, Node.js, and Express.js**, reducing server response time by **35%**.

### Research Intern

May 2025 – Present

IIST, Shibpur

- Engineered a lightweight, noise-robust algorithm for **audio fingerprint extraction**, achieving **98.78% accuracy** even under signal distortion.
- Validated algorithm on **3+ large-scale datasets**, demonstrating **98.7% deployability success** on resource-constrained hardware and supporting broad real-world adoption.

## PROJECTS

### Fake Image Detection Model (DL+CNN)

Sept 2024 – Jan 2025

- Developed a deep fake detection model with **CNNs**, achieving **94.78% accuracy** across varied resolutions.
- Enabled early detection of manipulated visuals, enhancing trust in digital content by **30%** in benchmark tests.
- Drafted a **conference paper** based on the system's novel architecture.

### Object Detection using XAI for Automated Vehicles

Apr 2025 – Present

- Built an object detection system for autonomous vehicles, integrating **XAI techniques** to improve transparency in road hazard recognition.
- Implemented **Grad-CAM** and **SHAP** to visualize model decision areas, increasing interpretability for 90% of test scenarios.
- Targeted reducing edge-case misclassifications by **25%**, supporting safer deployment in real-world trials.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Machine Learning & AI:** Linear/Logistic Regression, Decision Trees, Random Forest, KNN, CNN, Transfer Learning, Hyperparameter Tuning, Feature Engineering, Model Evaluation
- Deep Learning & Data Science:** TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch (basic), Scikit-Learn, Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, OpenCV
- Programming Languages:** Python, C++, Java, JavaScript, Go, Dart
- Web & App Development:** MERN Stack (MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js), Next.js, Spring Boot, ASP.NET, React Native, Flutter
- DevOps & Tools:** Docker, Vagrant, Postman, Git, GitHub, Google Colab, Kaggle, Tableau, Figma, Overleaf (LaTeX)

## CERTIFICATIONS

- Database Programming with SQL | Oracle** | September 2023
- NDG Linux Essentials | Cisco Networking Academy** | May 2024
- AWS Academy Data Engineering | AWS Academy** | October 2024

## ACHIEVEMENTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Atmiya University Hackathon:** Advanced to the final round from over 100+ teams by engineering a **full-stack application** with a team of four, demonstrating rapid prototyping and collaboration under pressure.
- Postman X Marwadi University API Challenge:** Ranked **7<sup>th</sup> of 200+**, demonstrating advanced skills in **API design, integration**, and performance optimization.
- GeekForGeeks X VULTR Hackathon:** Built and deployed an **AI-driven crop prediction model** on VULTR Cloud, ranked among the **top 20 teams nationwide** for innovative use of ML pipelines.
- Technical Coordinator:** Spearheaded technical events and workshops during campus festivals, overseeing logistics and content for over 300 participants.
- API Evangelist:** Conducted hands-on sessions on **Postman**, training peers ahead of the Postman X Marwadi University hackathon, enhancing campus API literacy.