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Professional Summary

Full-Stack Developer (MERN) and Computer Engineering student specializing in Data Science. Experience in building 3+ full-stack applications, including an industry-level hackathon project and a backend development internship. Finalist in multiple state-level hackathons and project competitions. Skilled in React, Node.js, MongoDB, and Python with a strong foundation in backend APIs and scalable app development.

Education

Dwarkadas J. Sanghvi College of Engineering
B. Tech in Computer Science Engineering (Data Science)   08/2025 – 06/2028
Bhausaheb Vartak Polytechnic
Diploma in Computer Engineering   08/2022 – 06/2025
Utkarsha Vidyalaya English School
SSC   08/2021 – 06/2022

Experience

ResponseNET
Backend Developer Intern   06/2024 – 07/2024
- Developed authentication and authorization module using Node.js and MongoDB, securing a client platform used by 100+ users.
- Built RESTful APIs and optimized queries, reducing average response time by 20%.
- Collaborated with the frontend team to integrate APIs into a React-based web application.

Projects

Avakara
State-Level Hackathon Project | [GitHub](#)
- Built a full-stack e-waste management platform (React, Node.js, MongoDB).
- Implemented user registration, request tracking, and admin dashboards.
- Selected as a finalist at state-level hackathon Technothon 2024.

Wanderlust
Travel Planning Website | [GitHub](#)
- Developed a MERN-based travel platform with destination guides, itineraries, and user reviews.
- Integrated Google Maps API for interactive maps and trip planning.
- Designed RESTful backend services to support 200+ data entries.

College Portal Website
Diploma Final-Year Project | [GitHub](#)
- Created a web application for event notifications, student-faculty interaction, and resource sharing.
- Implemented dynamic dashboards and real-time updates using React + Express.
- Improved college event communication by building a centralized platform.

Achievements

- **Finalist -** Technothon 2024 & 2025 (State-Level Hackathon) Centralized project repository for diploma student and MERN-based recycling app solutions.
- **Finalist –** State Level Project Competition, Vidyalankar Polytechnic.
- **Finalist –** Technical Quiz Competition, Vidyalankar Polytechnic & Bhagubai Polytechnic.

Skills

- **Languages:** C, Python, Java, JavaScript
- **Web Development:** React, Node.js, Express, MongoDB, SQL, REST APIs
- **Tools:** Git, GitHub, Postman