Akul Srivastava

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About me

Software Engineer with 5+ years of professional experience building and deploying features across websites, web applications, and hybrid mobile apps. Currently contributing as a fullstack engineer using React, Next.js, Node.js, MongoDB while leveraging AI-powered tools like Cursor to enhance developer productivity. Proficient in React, React Native, Next.js, and other modern frameworks, with a proven track record of adapting to new technologies as needed. Active contributor to open-source projects with a strong commitment to continuous learning and staying current with emerging technologies.

Professional Experience

smallcase   Bangalore, Karnataka
Software Development Engineer II - Fullstack   April/2024 - Present
- Currently contributing to the Publisher team, with a focus on improving and scaling the smallcase creation platform
- Contributed to enabling Mutual Fund-based smallcase creation on the Publisher Platform, advancing smallcase towards a multi-asset ecosystem.
- Developed the Fixed Deposits Landing Page on smallcase app.
- Actively involved in upgrading the tech stack for various projects to improve performance and maintainability as part of broader engineering efforts.

smallcase   Bangalore, Karnataka
Software Development Engineer I - Frontend   October/2022 - March/2024
- Worked on the revamp of the Microsite, the manager-facing website designed for end-user engagement.
- Developed the Subscription Retargeting Widget from scratch, enabling users to schedule one-on-one sessions or callbacks with managers and integrated it into the smallcase app.

Vogo   Bangalore, Karnataka
Software Development Engineer I - Frontend   July/2021 - October/2022
- Contributed to a range of projects across multiple platforms, including the Consumer PWA (React), iOS application (React Native), and the company website (WordPress).
- Built the exchange scooter feature from scratch.

Vogo   Bangalore, Karnataka
Software Development Intern   December/2020 - June/2021
- Worked on the redesign of the help section for better user experience.
- Involved in the integration and maintenance of chatbot system to enhance user engagement and support

Education

Babu Banarasi Das: National Institute of Technology and Management   Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
Bachelor of Technology, Computer Science   08/2017 - 08/2021
Pioneer Montessori Inter College   Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
High School + Intermediate, Computer Science   07/2015, 07/2017

Technical Skills

- **Languages**: HTML, CSS, Javascript, Typescript
- **Web**: Webpack, React, Next.js
- **Mobile**: React Native
- **Backend**: Node, Express, MongoDB, AWS

Misc.

- Vibecoded and built bazaar, multimaze and speedrace sideprojects
- Created React Native UI app, having 30k+ downloads and 4.8 average rating on Google Playstore
- Contributed to multiple opensource projects, including significant contributions to eslint-plugin-react