ASHAY KARGAONKAR

Software Engineer

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Software Engineer with 4+ years of experience in backend development using .NET and AWS. Proven ability to build scalable REST APIs, microservices, and full-stack web applications using C#, React, and TypeScript. Skilled in secure authentication mechanisms with AWS Cognito, responsive front-end development using React/Next.js, and database integration and optimization with PL/SQL and T-SQL. Strong grasp of secure coding practices, vulnerability mitigation, and full-stack debugging using Postman, CloudWatch, and CI/CD pipelines. Experienced in Git-based workflows, Agile development, and modern web standards.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

SOFTWARE ENGINEER (FULL STACK DEVELOPER) Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) – Client: United Airlines

Mar 2022 - Jun 2025 Chicago, IL

- ♦ Modernized legacy .NET systems by upgrading frameworks, refactoring backend logic using MVC architecture, and migrating SQL workflows to AWS DynamoDB and Elastic Beanstalk for better scalability and performance.
- Designed and deployed scalable, secure **RESTful APIs** in **C**# using AWS services including **Lambda**, **Cognito**, and **Entity Framework**; optimized data access with **PL/SQL** and **T-SQL** for relational workloads.
- Developed responsive, accessible **UI** components using **React**, **TypeScript**, and **Next.js**; implemented **server-side rendering**, **dynamic routing**, and consistent design systems for enhanced user experience.
- Contributed to production-grade applications with thousands of daily users; maintained CI/CD pipelines (Harness, GitHub, Docker), enforced security with Veracode, created Postman test suites, and followed Agile and unit testing practices (Moq).

DATA ANALYST INTERN Instabub LLC

Jan 2021 - Mar 2021

Remote

- Analyzed **AWS RDS** sensor data with **MySQL** to identify patterns in room and device usage, uncovering key insights for operational optimization and **electricity conservation**.
- Developed predictive models in **R** and **Python** to improve energy efficiency, leveraging **statistical analysis** and **data visualization** (matplotlib, **Tableau**) to uncover usage trends and support strategic decisions, while designing dashboards for monitoring.

JUNIOR FRONTEND DEVELOPER Ezeelo Consumer Service PVT LTD

Aug 2018 - Aug 2019 Nagpur, India

- Built and maintained responsive web pages using HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, and jQuery, ensuring cross-browser compatibility and optimizing for performance.
- Collaborated with backend developers to **integrate RESTful APIs** and enhanced user experience using **Bootstrap** and **basic AJAX** for dynamic content loading.

PROJECTS

THINKMOVES

- Developed ThinkMoves, a **chess analysis platform** that helps players and coaches digitize, store, and review their games from scanned scoresheets, using custom **image classification** and analysis powered by **Azure Document Intelligence**.
- Enables users to add friends, share game records, and analyze gameplay through a responsive web interface; deployed using Vercel and AWS App Runner with Lambda, S3, and DynamoDB for backend processing and storage.

ASHAY'S PORTFOLIO

Developed a personal <u>portfolio</u> using <u>TypeScript</u>, <u>React</u>, and <u>WindSurf</u>, deployed on <u>Vercel</u>; showcases projects, technical skills, professional background, and recent work with a clean, responsive design.

EDUCATION

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE DePaul University

Sep 2019 - Aug 2021 Chicago, IL

BACHELOR OF COMPUTER ENGINEERING Pune University

Jun 2013 - Jun 2018 Pune, India