# PAYAS P RELEKAR

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### Summary

- Payas Relekar is an Associate Software Engineer at ACI Worldwide, Inc in Pune, India. He is an experienced software developer with 2.4 years of experience and Masters in Digital Systems from Savitribai Phule Pune University. Versatile interests and experience include multiple domains and technology stacks.
- Versatile experience in developing solutions for eCommerce Payments, Natural Language Processing,
   Embedded Electronics, system administration and more.
- Professional and academic experience developing in various technologies including Java, Python, Bash, Embedded electronics development, over platforms including Linux and NixOS, utilizing tools including Git, Gerrit, GitHub, various GNU utilities.
- Experience in architectural assessment, identifying and defining technical scope, development and migration of new APIs to match latest mandates and customer requirements.
- Demonstrated quick adaptability working across multiple domains and platforms, development as well as research, team oriented as well as independent work capability.

#### Skills

Languages/Technologies	Java, Bash, Python, Nix, Docker
Platforms	Linux, NixOS, Windows, AWS (EC2)
Databases	PostgreSQL, SQLite, MySQL
Tools	Git, Grep/Regex, Awk, Sed
Libraries/Frameworks	Spring, TestNG, Pytorch, Numpy, Pandas

## WORK EXPERIENCE

ACI WorldWide, Inc

Jul 2019 - Till Date

Project : PAY.ON Payments Gateway

 $Role : Associate \ Software \ Engineer \ (Product \ Development)$ 

- PAY.ON offers a white-label payment structure for omni-channel transaction processing through one
  payment platform: eCommerce, mCommerce and mobile point-of-sale. The payment platform is fully
  PCI-certified, and meets the highest technology and security standards.
- Development experience in PAY.ON includes platform maintenance, mandate implementations, and end-to-end feature development across multiple modules.
- Further experience includes support resolution, platform monitoring and ensuring stablility across the stack. Acquired strong understanding of development process, tooling and infrastructure.
- Exposure to multiple payments APIs across different payment acquirers, and data transformation for each. Domain level understanding and integration experience in eCommerce payments industry.
- Ownership for customer facing whitelabel service with System administration and Service Reliability responsibilities.
- Agile (Scrum and Kanban) development experience in multiple teams on separate platform modules, including APIs, configuration, business logic, platform security and front-end.
- Received accolades for customer-centricity and integrity.
- Technologies: Java, Spring MVC, PostgreSQL, Linux, Git/Gerrit, Jenkins, AWS (EC2), Docker, MySQL

ACI Worldwide, Inc Jan 2019 - Jun 2019

Project : Universal Payments Framework, Universal Online Banker

Role : Intern (Product Development)

• Universal Payments Framework (UPF) provides purpose-built payments functionality to orchestrate all aspects of payments processing for any payment type, any channel, any currency and any network.

- Developed and maintained interfaces between various payments APIs, with differing protocols such as SOAP, ReST, ISO 8583, APACS etc. Acquired understanding of payments domain and API implementations.
- Implemented and extended internal test framework to interface with UPF, to allow automated test execution with simple Excel test generation. Implemented automatic test-case generation to ease on-boarding QA staff.
- Technologies: Java, SOAP, REST, Subversion, Bash, Git

## ACADEMIC PROJECTS & OPEN SOURCE CONTRIBUTIONS

## NixOS/Nixpkgs

Jan 2021 - Till Date

Nix, Bash, Python, Go, Rust

- Nixpkgs is a collection of over 60000 packages and one of the most active projects on Github. It also describes possible configuration for a complete Linux distribution using above packages
- Contributions include new and ongoing mantainance of multiple packages, implemented in different languages.

## Sarcasm Detection using Machine Learning

Jan 2019 - Jun-2019

Python, Pytorch, SpaCy, sklearn, Pandas, Numpy

- Detect sarcasm in textual communication by understanding content as well as context of the particular comment as well as past record of the person making the comment to include known sarcastic comments.
- Reddit comment database was cleaned and analyzed to generate profile for authors for their propensity to be sarcastic. Multiple paramters were used to determine whether a comment can be sarcastic or not, including, but not limited to specific words being used, comment popularity, topic of discussion, sentiment analysis etc.
- Technologies: Python, Pandas, Numpy, Jupyter Notebooks, Bash

#### Magnetic Levitation using Real-time PID

Jan 2016 - Jun 2016

C, Arduino

• The control mechanism implements PID (Proportional-Integral-Derivative) algorithm to asses object location and velocity to adapt magnetic field strength in real time for indefinite suspension of ferromagnetic object.

# PUBLICATIONS

## Survey of Machine Learning for Sarcasm Detection

Jul 2019

International Journal of Engineering, Research and Technology

## Magnetic Levitation using Real-Time PID

Mar 2016

National Conference for Students in Electrical and Electronics Engineering, VIIT

## CERTIFICATIONS

## SCTS NextGen Expert Java

SEED Infotech, Pune

Technologies: Java, Javascript, HTML

# **Embedded Technologies**

ATS Infotech, Pune

Technologies: Embedded C, Linux, Assembly

## EDUCATION

Master of Engineering (Electronics) in Digital Systems	
Pune University	8.48
Bachelor of Engineering in Electronics & Telecommunications	
Pune University	62.5 %
HSC	
Maharashtra State Board	59.17%
SSC	
Maharashtra State Board	93.07 %