Rishabh Arora

Education

VIT BHOPAL UNIVERSITY

Bhopal, India

B.tech in Computer Science (specilization in Cybersecurity)

Sept 2023 - present

- Studied Network Security, Web Development, and AI fundamentals!!LINEBREAK!! Built secure web apps using JtR, Hashcat, and MERN stack
- Maintained 8.22 CGPA with focus on cybersecurity and GenAI

Experience

Summer Intern

Bhopal,India

Microsoft Technical Club, VIT Bhopal

2025 - 2026

- Managed a student tech community with 30+ active members
- Conducted sessions on web development and cybersecurity tools
- Guided members on Git, GitHub, and open-source project building

Cybersecuirty Intern

Remote

TheRedUser Feb 2025 - Mar 2025

- Performed basic security testing and validation on production APIs
- Reported vulnerabilities and assisted in fixing CORS and auth misconfigurations
- Used Burp Suite, Nmap, and custom Python scripts for internal testing tasks

Projects

SafeSurf Junior May 2024 - present

Built a browser safety tool to block malicious sites and alert guardians in real-time. Secured 3rd place at MP Police Cybersecurity Hackathon 2025

- Developed a browser-based safety tool to detect and block malicious websites using Python and regex pattern matching
- Implemented real-time alerts for unsafe browsing behavior with email notifications via SMTP and Firebase
- Designed a GUI with Tkinter and integrated IP/location tracking using APIs
- $\circ~$ Won 3rd place at the Madhya Pradesh Police Cybersecurity Hackathon 2025

The Plotify 2025

Delivered a paid real estate web app using MERN stack with property search, filters, and user auth.

- Developed a responsive real estate platform with React, TailwindCSS, Node.js, and MongoDB
- $\circ~$ Implemented filters, property listings, and user login system for production use
- Delivered as a paid freelance project for a real-world client

 $\underline{\text{Deployx}}$

Delivered a paid real estate web app using MERN stack with property search, filters, and user auth.

- Developed a tool that auto-deploys submitted website code using Docker and custom shell scripts
- Automatically builds Docker images and returns a live deployment link instantly

Interview Bot for Message and Voice

2025

Built an AI-powered bot that conducts interviews via WhatsApp and phone calls using LLMs (Groq-hosted LLaMA 3) and Twilio, with automatic question flow, silence detection, and response analysis.

- Designed a full-stack AI bot that conducts interviews via WhatsApp and phone calls
- Integrated Twilio for voice-based questions and Green API for WhatsApp messaging
- Implemented LLM (Groq-hosted LLaMA 3) to analyze responses and control question flow
- Added silence detection to auto-skip questions during voice calls
- Supports real-time response capture and scoring for interview automation

Achievements

- 1. Secured Top 10 position in IIT Madras Malware Analysis Hackathon by building an AI model for malware detection
- 2. Won 1st place in MP Police Cybersecurity Hackathon 2025 for developing SafeSurfJr.
- 3. Champion of Codeverse 2025 Hackathon with project Deployx (Automated Web Deployment Tool)
- $4. \ \ Selected \ among \ Top \ 20 \ teams \ at \ HackByte \ 3.0, \ IIIT \ Jabalpur's \ national-level \ hackathon$

Skills

Cybersecurity: Network Security, Malware Analysis, Web Application Security, SIEM, John the Ripper, Hashcat, OSINT

Web Development: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React.js, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, REST APIs, JWT Auth

DevOps & Deployment: Docker, Bash Scripting, Git, CI/CD, Vercel, Netlify

AI & ML: Prompt Engineering, Generative AI (LLMs, GPT), LangChain, Python, OpenAI API

Tools & Platforms: Linux (Kali, Ubuntu), GitHub, Postman, VS Code, Figma, Firebase, Green API, Twilio

Soft Skills: Team Leadership, Technical Writing, Problem Solving, Communication, Hackathon Strategy

Publications

THE MERN STACK ALCHEMIST

June 2025

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