Darshan Aswathappa

EDUCATION

Northeastern University - Boston, MA

Master of Science in Software Engineering Systems

Visvesvaraya Technological University - Karnataka, India

Bachelor's of Engineering in Computer Science and Engineering

Jul 2022

Expected Dec. 2026

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, TypeScript

Cloud & DevOps: Docker, Terraform, AWS, GCP, CI/CD, PowerShell, Prompt engineering, GPT Frameworks & Databases: ReactJS, NodeJS, NextJS, Spring Boot, Micronaut, SQL/NoSQL

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer - Bengaluru, India

London Stock Exchange Group

July 2022 - September 2024

- Supported development of **Web Application Firewall (WAF)** for World-Check platforms, implementing zero-trust IAM authentication to protect against critical vulnerabilities (**Log4Shell, XSS**), strengthened enterprise security architecture with no recorded breaches
- Optimized database systems using Micronaut/AWS architecture, achieving 90% faster data purging and enabling parallel processing of 1000+ records within 15-minute SLA, reduced operational bottlenecks through automated workflows

Graduate Technical Engineer - Bengaluru, India

June 2021 - December 2021

Allstate Insurance

• Led feature development and optimization for Allstate Mobile using **Swift and Kotlin**, implementing critical performance enhancements and resolving high-priority defects; improved app stability and user experience through cross-platform solutions

Software Engineer Intern - Bengaluru, India

June 2020 - November 2020

Citrix Systems

• Contributed to performance optimization initiatives for Citrix-Workplace product, managing a team of interns and implementing architectural improvements that **reduced workspace load time by 45%**, streamlined development workflows and mentored team members in best practices

PROJECTS

 $\textbf{Course and Resume recommendation system} \mid \textit{LLAMA}, \textit{GPT}, \textit{ReactJs}, \textit{NodeJs}, \textit{NoSQL} - \textit{MongoDb}, \textit{Langchain} \\$

• Built a recommendation system leveraging LLAMA and GPT models to provide personalized course and resume suggestions. Developed the backend with Node.js for API handling and integrated NoSQL for scalable user data storage. The system analyzes user skills and career goals to deliver targeted recommendations

Sensibo-GPT | Python, GPT-3, Google Cloud Platform

• Developed **Sensibo GPT**, a **GPT-3 smart device** that utilizes Sensibo APIs to intelligently control and adjust AC temperature and parameters based on temperature, humidity, and other factors, contributing to and merging with Sensibo API code

What's You | Flutter, NodeJs, MongoDB

- Founded and developed "What's You," an all-in-one data privacy and education app aimed at increasing user awareness of online data exposure and data breach information
- Developed app to address data transparency challenges, enabling users to manage online data privacy effectively

Insider Shibu | JavaScript, NodeJs, AWS, MongoDB

- Created Insider-Shibu to consolidate public insider company info, achieving a **37 Product Hunt** ranking and integration with **Watcher.guru**
- Managed cloud infrastructure, optimizing back-end systems for efficiency and scalability