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## Summary

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An Engineering Physics Undergraduate with a strong passion for Web Development and Quantum Computing.

## Education

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### National Institute of Technology Hamirpur

*Bachelor of Technology in Engineering Physics*

**Dec. 2021 – June 2025**

*Hamirpur, Himachal Pradesh*

### Jyoti Niketan School

*Primary and Secondary Education*

**April 2006 – June 2020**

*Azamgarh, Uttar Pradesh*

## Technical Skills

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**Languages:** C++, JavaScript, TypeScript, Python

**Technologies/Frameworks:** ReactJs, ExpressJs, Storybook, Qiskit, PennyLane, Classiq, PyTorch, Numpy, Matplotlib

**Domains:** Data Structures and Algorithms, Full Stack Web Development, Quantum Computing, Community Management

## Experience

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### Google Summer of Code 2024

*Open Source Mentorship Program*

**May 2024 - Present**

*AsyncAPI Initiative*

- Developing a UI Kit for the AsyncAPI website using Storybook in Next.js and Typescript.

### Open Source Contributor at the AsyncAPI Initiative

*Web Developer and Technical Steering Committee Member*

**Oct. 2023 - Present**

*AsyncAPI Initiative*

- I am a member of the AsyncAPI Technical Steering Committee which is responsible for the oversight of the AsyncAPI Initiative.
- Migrated the AsyncAPI Website from JavaScript to TypeScript + Next.js.
- Migrated the Modelina website codebase from class-based react components to functional components.
- Developed Modelina Playground to enable visitors to try Modelina itself on the website without configuring something in the local environment.

### Quantum Computing Intern

*Internship*

**January 2024 - Present**

*Creed & Bear*

- Working on quantum computing research and software projects.
- Currently developing software for portfolio optimization using quantum computing.
- Researched and wrote a review paper on the Effect of Quantum Computing on Blockchain.
- Worked on the Optimization of the Power Distribution Network at the three-month TCS Quantum Challenge 2023.

### Quantum Games Hackathon 2023

*Participant*

**October 2023**

*Quantum AI Foundation*

- Developed QuantaVania, a 2D action-adventure platformer quantum game facilitating Quantum Computing learning.
- Winner of the Special Prize for Sanrto/Onyx Category for demonstrating Logistics optimization using QUBO in our game.

### Quantum Software Developer Trainee

*QCourse551 Mentorship Program with Classiq*

**October 2023 - January 2024**

*QWorld*

- Developing a hybrid network with classical and quantum layers to classify the MNIST dataset.
- Maintaining a weekly blog post about the project journey at <https://jaisarita.hashnode.dev/>.

## Qiskit Advocate

August 2023 - Present

*Developer Advocate*

*Qiskit*

- Resolved Bugs in Qiskit Braket Provider and Qiskit Textbook.
- Achieved certification as IBM Certified Associate Developer - Quantum Computation using Qiskit v0.2X

## QIntern 2023

July 2023 - August 2023

*Research Intern*

*QWorld*

- Optimized logistics using quantum computing.
- Solved Vehicle Routing Problem using VQE, Surrogate Optimization, and their variants.

## 11th NYUAD International Hackathon For Social Good

April 2023

*Participant*

*New York University Abu Dhabi*

- Attended workshops on QBronze and QSilver.
- Built an application to use Quantum Computing for Simulating Molecular Engineering for Fertilizer Design.

## Microsoft Learn Student Ambassador

October 2022 – Present

*Beta Microsoft Learn Student Ambassador*

*Hamirpur*

- Completed the Technical Onboarding Process and learned about Git, GitHub, and Static Web Apps.
- Reached Alpha Milestone by completing Microsoft Learn Learning Path on Quantum Computing.
- Conducted a Microsoft Student Ambassadors Azure AI Challenge at my department with 24 attendees.

## Projects

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### Open Source Contribution | *AsyncAPI, Uptane, Qiskit*

- Developed Modelina Playground, Modelina CLI, and Modelina Website. Migrated the AsyncAPI website from JavaScript to TypeScript. I am a Technical Steering Committee Member, a Maintainer, and a regular contributor at the AsyncAPI Initiative.
- Contributed to CI/CD and currently integrating Tailwind to Uptane Website.

### QuantaVania | *Qiskit, Pygame*

Oct 2023

- Designed QuantaVania, an action-adventure 2D platformer with the potential for evolving into an open-world sandbox.
- Winner of the Special Prize by Snarto/Onyx at the Quantum Games Hackathon 2023.

### Portfolio Website | *Figma, React, Typescript, Three.js, TailwindCSS, EmailJS, GraphQL, HyGraph* July - August 2023

- Developed a portfolio website for myself having features to write blogs, and showcase my projects, experiences, and resume in an interactive way using 3D components.

### AskItOut: Doubt Sharing Website for Educational Institutions | *Figma, React, Express.js*

Feb - May 2023

- Designed and developed a website enabling college students to ask and get answers to their doubts from experienced seniors.
- Code and detailed description available at <https://github.com/devilkiller-ag/AskItOut>.

### QCrop | *Qiskit, React, Python*

April 2023

- Developed QCrop, an application utilizing Quantum Computing to simulate molecular engineering for fertilizer design.
- Utilized Variational Quantum Eigensolver and Error Mitigation Techniques for calculating the energy landscape of different molecules.

### Quantum Breakout | *Pygame, Qiskit, Python*

March 2023

- Created a Quantum version of the classical Breakout Game, aiding school students in learning Qubit Manipulation using different Quantum Gates.

### Website for Team Abraxas | *Figma, ReactJs, react-three-fiber, react-three-drei*

March 2023

- Developed the official website of Team Abraxas for the annual tech-fest Nimbus 2023 at NIT Hamirpur.

## Explore All Projects

- Visit <https://ashmit.dev/archives> to explore all my projects in detail.

## Workshops and Events Hosted

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### Quantum Breakout Game: Revolutionizing Quantum Learning Through Gamification 23rd Nov 2023

*Speaker at the Data Science Summit 2023*

*VoD*

- Delivered an overview of Quantum Computing, addressing challenges faced by newcomers.
- Explored the role of quantum games in overcoming learning obstacles beginners face, featuring a live demonstration of Quantum Breakout Game and QCGE.

### Surrogate Optimization for QUBO solver using QROSS Method

23rd Nov 2023

*Speaker at the Data Science Summit 2023*

*VoD*

- Presented an overview of research on Surrogate Optimization for QUBO Solver as a QIntern at QWorld.

### QuantaVania: A Quantum Computing Sandbox Platformer Game

23rd Nov 2023

*Speaker at the Data Science Summit 2023*

*VoD*

- Presented the journey at the Quantum Games Hackathon 2023 and QuantaVania, illustrating its transformation into a Sandbox game for running in-game quantum circuits on real quantum devices.

### Introductory Workshop on Quantum Computing

4th February 2023

*Team Abraxas*

*Nimbus 2023*

- Conducted a Workshop on The Introduction to Quantum Computing, instructing 100+ students about the basics and career opportunities.

### Reimagining Education in Light of NEP 2020

20th April 2023

*Physteo*

*NIT Hamirpur*

- Organized the first workshop by Physteo - The Physics Society of NIT Hamirpur.
- Facilitated talks by Prof. B.N. Jagatap and Prof. B.P. Singh on National Education Policy, Laser Photonics, Entrepreneurship, and career Paths for Engineering Physics Students.

## Leadership / Volunteering

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### Physteo - The Physics Society

Oct. 2022 – Present

*Founder and President*

*NIT Hamirpur*

- Founded the Physics Society of the National Institute of Technology Hamirpur under the Department of Physics and Photonics Science.
- Organizing National Physics Conference 2024 to bring top representatives of Industry and Academia working in the different fields of Physics to one platform and guide the students.
- Leading and managing the team of 60 individuals to promote our department in the industry world and guide our students.

### UbuCon Asia 2024

May 2024 – September 2024

*Volunteer*

*Ubuntu Asia Community*

- Organizing UbuCon Asia 2024 at Jaipur, India.
- Handling the Website Development, Sponsorship, and Management Role.

### Training and Placement Office

August 2023 – September 2024

*Training and Placement Representative (TPR)*

*NIT Hamirpur*

- Currently serving as a Core TPR managing industry and institute interaction and database.
- Served as Junior TPR during my pre-final year undergraduate studies from August 2023 - April 2024. I helped pre-final year students to grab internships by bringing and coordinating with various companies.

### Team Abraxas

Dec. 2022 – Present

*Executive Volunteer and Pre-final year Volunteer*

*Nimbus 2023 and Nimbus 2024*

- Conducted a workshop on the Introduction to Quantum Computing, instructing 100+ students about the basics and career opportunities.
- Developed a 2-D game, Quantum Breakout, to simplify learning Quantum Gates.
- Leading and guiding freshmen and sophomore volunteers.

### Society for Promotion of Electronics Culture

Dec. 2021 – Jan. 2023

*Executive Volunteer*

*NIT Hamirpur*

- Organized Electrothon 4.0, a global online hackathon with 2000+ participants.
- Created content for social media posts, emails, and speeches for various society events.
- Organized and hosted workshops to give attendees an insight into the engineering industry.

## Hackathons and Events Attended

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- Qubit by Qubit Winter Break Intensive
- Electrothon 4.0
- Smart India Hackathon 2022
- Womanium Global Quantum Computing and Entrepreneurship Program 2022
- Hacktoberfest 2022
- MIT iQHack 2023
- Xanadu QHack 2023
- Nimbus 2023
- Electrothon 5.0
- 11th NYUAD International Hackathon for Social Good
- Qiskit Spring Challenge 2023
- UnitaryHACK 2023
- Quantum Game Jam 2023
- Quantum Games Hackathon 2023
- Hacktoberfest 2023
- TCS Quantum Challenge 2023-24
- Nimbus 2024