Saurav Kumar

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Education

Indian Institute of Technology, Mandi

2023 - 2027

B. Tech in Bioengineering; CGPA: 8.02/10

Mandi, HP

 Relevant Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms, Machine Learning, Computing and Data Science, Probability and Statistics

Experience

HIMPACT LAB, IIT Mandi

Aug 2024 - Dec 2024

Frontend Developer (Intern)

- Initial UI Development: Architected and developed the first production-ready UI for Inlicne, leveraging Django templates,
 HTML/CSS, and vanilla JS. Delivered responsive layouts for cross-device compatibility.
- **Backend Integration**: Set up Django backend to serve Leaflet.js-based interactive maps; displayed real-time server-side plots and developed endpoints that responded to map clicks for dynamic location data retrieval.
- **Project Handoff**: Contributed to the first production-ready version before handing over to a new developer; current site available at incline.iitmandi.ac.in.

Technical Skills

- Languages: Python, C++, JavaScript, Perl
- Frameworks: React, ROS, TensorFlow, Django, Streamlit
- Tools: Git, Linux, Docker, SolidWorks, Raspberry Pi, Arduino
- Concepts: Sensor Fusion, Kalman Filtering, Data Preprocessing, Control Systems

Projects

AquaSweep – Underwater Rover with Edge and Motion Detection

GitHub

Python, OpenCV, Flask, ROS, Arduino, Raspberry Pi

 $Jan\ 2025-Jun\ 2025$

- Live Streaming + UI: Built MJPEG-based camera pipeline delivering 20 FPS video stream over LAN with 200ms latency using Flask sockets. Enabled stable operator feedback in underwater environments.
- Edge AI for Algae Detection: Implemented modular OpenCV pipelines with edge, motion, and algae detection; achieved ~93% accuracy in lab tests. Activated modes via keyboard shortcuts.
- **Depth Stabilization System**: Controlled 8 thrusters via ROS-Arduino communication layer. Fused IMU and Bar30 depth sensor with Kalman filter for autonomous depth holding (error margin: ±3cm).

AI Medical Chatbot - Multimodal Patient Assistant

GitHub

Python, Django, Gradio, Whisper, OpenCV, GROQ API, TTS/STT

Jun~2025

- Multimodal Interaction: Developed an AI medical chatbot that accepts both voice and image input. Used Whisper STT
 for transcription and OpenCV for visual diagnostics; achieved <1s median response time.
- LLM Integration + Output Management: Integrated GROQ-hosted LLaMA-3/4 to provide real-time diagnosis suggestions; enabled token streaming and exportable chat summaries (PDF format).
- Knowledge-Augmented Retrieval: Designed RAG architecture with LangChain and ChromaDB to ground responses in domain-specific datasets. Integration underway.

Maze Solver – Interactive AI Pathfinding Visualizer

GitHub

Python, Django, BFS/DFS/A*/Dijkstra, Reinforcement Learning, Docker

Jul~2025

- AI-Augmented Pathfinding: Implemented interactive visualizations for BFS, DFS, A*, Dijkstra, and IDDFS; added live traversal animations with path cost and visited node tracking.
- Deployment + CI/CD: Deployed via Docker and Render with GitHub Actions-based auto-deployment. Live at mazesolver-5b66.onrender.com.
- RL Agent Integration: Trained Q-Learning and DQN agents on custom grid environments; integrated into UI as auto-solvers
 with visual feedback and reward trajectory plots.
- **GNN-Based Solver**: Built GNN module using PyTorch Geometric to solve complex graphs with dynamic obstacles and sparse feedback; achieved 80%+ success rate in test set.

Leadership & Achievements

- Hospitality Head, Exodia: Led 30-member team for IIT Mandi's cultural fest; managed 1000+ attendees and logistics.
- Robotics Club, IIT Mandi: Mentored juniors in robotics design, automation; contributed to project builds and contests.
- Selected for semester exchange program (TU Darmstadt) on the basis of merit in a batch of 450+ students.
- Secured Top 5 rank in Arduino Hackathon during intra-college techfest.