

# TEJAS GHODKE

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## EDUCATION

### University of Cincinnati - Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

GRADUATION: MAY 2027

GPA: 3.3

- **Dean's List** – Summer' 23, Fall' 23, Summer' 24, Fall' 24, Summer' 25
- **Relevant Coursework:** Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Software Engineering, Database Design and Development, Probability and Statistics, Web Applications and Hacking, Cloud Computing, AI/ML Applications

## EXPERIENCE

### Meta Mind International | Mumbai, India

SEPTEMBER 2025 – JANUARY 2026

#### Software Engineering Intern (Next.js, React, TypeScript, FastAPI, PostgreSQL, Webhooks, REST APIs, JWT Auth, CSS)

- Architected and delivered a full-stack commerce and loyalty platform using Next.js (React + TypeScript) and Python (FastAPI), supporting 20+ product attributes, multiple pricing currencies, and 5+ product state transitions (active, archived, deleted, etc.), while enabling dynamic configuration of incentive rules at the product and plan level
- Implemented a rule-based incentive engine evaluating 10+ conditional rules per transaction to compute incentive eligibility and payouts across multiple incentive categories, ensuring accurate and auditable reward distribution
- Built secure backend APIs backed by Supabase and implemented Razorpay webhook processing with signature verification and idempotent event handling, reliably ingesting 100% of payment events in real time, triggering incentive calculations within seconds and maintaining consistent state across frontend, backend, and database layers

### iKomet Technology Solutions | Pune, India

JANUARY 2024 – APRIL 2024

#### Software Development Intern (Python, SpaCy, Pandas, NumPy, Data Visualization, Automated Data Pipelines, PowerBI)

- Designed and implemented an advanced Python program using SpaCy and pandas to extract, parse, and organize specific data from large 5,000-word documents into formatted Excel spreadsheets for streamlined analysis
- Benchmarked against the previous internal tool, the new SpaCy-based program demonstrated a 25% speed improvement and 12% higher accuracy on a large 10,000-page dataset, ensuring more reliable classification, structured representation, and seamless integration across the entire data pipeline infrastructure
- Demonstrated advanced problem-solving by designing a fully automated, scalable end-to-end data pipeline that streamlined extraction, sorting, and presentation workflows, with outputs directly integrated into dynamic Power BI dashboards for enhanced data visualization accuracy and overall analytical efficiency

### University of Cincinnati - Campus Recreation Center | Cincinnati, Ohio

MAY 2023 – PRESENT

#### Aquatics Supervisor – Part-time (Leadership, Communication, Conflict Resolution, Team Collaboration, Adaptability)

- Led and mentored a 60+ member lifeguard team by coordinating schedules, enforcing safety and compliance protocols, conducting emergency preparedness drills, and managing real-time incident response to ensure patron safety, staff readiness, regulatory compliance, and smooth daily aquatic operations

## PROJECTS

### Snake Game - AI Agent | Cincinnati, Ohio

JANUARY 2025 – MARCH 2025

#### Personal Project (Anaconda, PyTorch, Pygame, Scikit-learn, matplotlib, Reinforcement Learning, DQN, CUDA)

- Developed a Deep Q-Learning (DQN) agent that autonomously plays Snake, achieving ~300% average score improvement over 10,000+ training episodes through reward shaping and policy optimization
- Accelerated training using GPU-based PyTorch (RTX 5070 Ti) and visualized learning convergence and performance trends with matplotlib to guide iterative model improvements

### Advanced Tic-Tac-Toe Game | Cincinnati, Ohio

APRIL 2024 – JULY 2024

#### Personal Project (Flutter, Dart, Android Studio, VScode, GitHub, Canva)

- Built a feature-rich Flutter-based mobile Tic-Tac-Toe game with custom UI components, animations, and scalable game logic, including an adaptive Player-vs-AI mode with three difficulty levels driven by user performance, demonstrating strong object-oriented design, state management in Dart, and consistent performance across devices

## SKILLS

**Programming:** Python (Certified), Java (OCAJP) SE 8, C/C++, HTML5 and CSS, PHP, MATLAB, Dart, SQL, R, JavaScript

**Operating Systems:** Linux (multiple flavors), Windows, MacOS, Android, iOS, and chromeOS

**Tools and Software:** SpaCy, Pytorch, Git, Anaconda, Docker, Android Studio, MySQL, CUDA, LabView, Azure, Render

**AVAILABLE FOR 2 COOP ROTATIONS IN SUMMER 2026 & FALL 2026**