## Harikrishnan Unnikrishna Pillai

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### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Languages and Web Technologies: React, Java, Python, SQL, NoSQL, Node, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Scala, C/C++ Frameworks and DB: Hadoop, Spark, TypeScript, JUnit, Jest, MySQL, MariaDB, MongoDB, Next.js, TailwindCSS Cloud and Tools: AWS, PCF, Linux, Kubernetes, Git, Bitbucket, JIRA, Docker, Postman, JMeter, Terraform, Figma

### **EDUCATION**

Northeastern University, Boston, MA

May 2025

## **Khoury College of Computer Sciences**

MS in Computer Science, GPA - 4.0

Related Courses: Programming Design Paradigm, Large-Scale Parallel Data Processing, Distributed Systems Related Work: Teaching Assistant for Fundamentals of Software Engineering - SDLC, Scrum Master, OAuth, CI/CD, Github Actions, Heroku, Render, Mentoring for end-to-end project development

### National Institute of Technology, Calicut, India

April 2019

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science & Engineering, GPA - 8.13

Related Courses: Principles of Programming Language, Object Oriented Programming (OOP), Data Structures & Algorithms

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# JPMorgan Chase & Co, Bengaluru, India

January 2022 - August 2023

Associate

- Managed **REST API**s and web services with an SLA of 150ms deployed using **Jenkins** pipeline, aiming at enhancing the overall work experience of employees spread across Asia, Europe, and North America
- Extracted millions of records of data from 4 different data sources, transformed and loaded them into the database, exposed user-friendly **Elasticsearch**-backed APIs consumed by teams, and saved 10 hours per onboarding on average
- Architected a **scalable micro front-end application** serving as a one-stop shop for users to be able to set preferred application settings for a suite of 6 in-house applications, collaborating with cross-functional teams
- Created APIs backed by **MongoDB** and deployed them on **AWS** to deliver personalized recommendations on supported applications based on user actions and varying parameters

#### JPMorgan Chase & Co, Bengaluru, India

July 2019 - January 2022

Software Engineer

- Excelled in the team's agile set-up and self-trained into a **full-stack** developer role in the first 2 months within the team
- Collaborated as an SRE team member to monitor the resiliency of around 10 applications in production within the Fintech domain to ensure availability of 99.9%
- Developed a robust and scalable portal utilizing **ReactJS** for the UI components and **Spring Boot microservices** for the backend, hosted on **private cloud infrastructure** for effectively tracking product roadmaps for over 30 clients

## **PROJECTS**

## IPL Fantasy Web App (Next.js, Firebase, TypeScript) [Link] | [Website Link]

June 2025

- Built a responsive **Next.js/Tailwind UI** with **Firebase** Auth/Firestore for real-time competition creation, joining, and player assignment; automated data ingestion and leaderboard updates via Cloud Functions; Deployed in **Vercel**
- Developed an Admin Panel with sortable rosters, Framer Motion animations, and a trade system (propose/accept/reject)
- Implemented a mobile-friendly leaderboard and 7-day points trend chart (Recharts) using Firestore composite indexes

## Image Processor Application (Java) [Link]

December 2023

- Implemented Model-View-Controller (MVC) and Command design patterns for a refined architecture while adhering to Don't Repeat Yourself (DRY) and SOLID principles
- Engineered a Java Swing GUI, facilitating seamless user interaction
- Added image editing functionalities (sepia, crop, split view, level adjust, etc.), accommodating various formats while ensuring software reliability through thorough unit testing using **JUnit**

# DigiDine: Personal Chef and Nutritionist (ReactJS, Flask, MySQL) [Link]

November 2023

- Built a ReactJS frontend with a Flask backend connected to MySQL for recipe management, containerized via Docker
- Enabled users to filter recipes by dietary restrictions, flavor, and ingredients, and empowered chefs to create recipes with automated dietary-tag assignment via **stored procedures**