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📄 Profile

Highly motivated and detail-oriented professional with a background in programming and a deep passion for art seeking opportunities to leverage research skills, analytical thinking, and technology proficiency. Committed to contributing to organizations in the field of art, including collections, exhibitions, and outreach initiatives.

🎓 Education

Bachelor's in English & Psychology,
Indira Gandhi National Open University

Jun 2019 – Present

Relevant Coursework - *English Literature and Language*
Understanding Poetry, Prose, and Drama, Modern English Poetry and Prose, Creative Writing.

Relevant Coursework - *Psychology*
Social Psychology, Developmental Psychology, Abnormal Psychology, Research Methods in Psychology.

📖 Courses

Modern and Contemporary Art and Design
Specialization, Coursera

2023

- Explored the evolution of modern and contemporary art movements, studying artists, cultural contexts, and the impact of technology and social change.
- Developed a comprehensive understanding of various art forms, and critical thinking skills, and explored intersections of art, design, and society.

Tangible Things: Discovering History Through
Artworks, Artifacts, and Scientific Specimens, edX

2023

- Explored the significance of artworks, artifacts, and scientific specimens as historical sources, analyzing and interpreting objects to uncover insights about history and culture.

🎨 Artistic Passion and Self-Study

- Deep passion for art, evident through self-driven exploration of various art forms, art history, & contemporary art.
- Actively engage with online platforms, books, and articles to expand my knowledge of art, fostering a comprehensive understanding of the subject matter.

📜 Certificates

- **Creating Meaningful and Inclusive Museum Practices** — *International Council of Museums*
- **Art & Visual Culture: Medieval to Modern** — *OpenLearn*
- **Making Sense of Art History** — *OpenLearn*

🛠 Skills

- **Research and Analysis:** Proficient in conducting thorough research, analyzing complex information, and extracting key insights.
- **Problem-Solving:** Strong problem-solving skills developed through my experience as a full-stack engineer, allowing me to approach challenges with a systematic and analytical mindset.
- **Communication:** Excellent written and verbal communication skills, enabling effective conveyance of ideas and engagement with diverse stakeholders.
- **Adaptability and Quick Learning:** Adept at adapting to new environments and technologies, demonstrated by my experience working with various software tools throughout my career.

💼 Professional Experience

- **Full Stack Engineer, Freelance** — 2/2022 – Present
- **Contributor, Open Source Initiative** — 5/2020 – 11/2021. *Remote*
- **Teacher, Don Bosco Senior Secondary School** — 7/2018 – 01/2019. *Gorakhpur*
- **Web Developer, Freelance** — 11/2017 – 5/2018
- **Software Engineer, Gorakhmart** — 10/2015 – 10/2017. *Gorakhpur*
- **Web Developer, Sysadmin Syndicate** — 8/2015 – 10/2015. *Remote*
- **Web Developer, Technical Content Writer, Juz4Fun** — 8/2015 – 10/2015. *Remote*
- **Graphic Designer, Oikyo Linux** — 2/2015 – 9/2015. *Remote*

🔗 Projects

- **Christie's Bids** - Python module and CLI tool to fetch the top five bids from Christie's ongoing or previous auctions.
- **MetMuse** - Python-based command line tool for downloading high-resolution images, essays, books, and metadata from the Metropolitan Museum of Art.
- **MOMArchive** - Developed a Python web scraping script to efficiently extract the complete collection from MoMA's site. Utilized asynchronous programming techniques to send concurrent HTTP requests, improving scraping speed. Leveraged the requests library for handling network requests and custom data processing.