# PANKAJ P. PANDEY

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## **EDUCATION**

Master of Computer Application, St. Francis College, Bangalore — Dec 2022 – Jan 2025

• CGPA: 8.58/10

• Coursework: Data Structures, Database Systems, Cloud Computing, Network Security

Bachelor of Computer Applications (Cloud Computing & Cyber Security), SJES College, Bangalore — Jun 2018 – Jul 2021

• CGPA: 8.57/10

• Coursework: Computer Networks, Web Development, Ethical Hacking, Operating Systems

## **SKILLS**

**Programming:** C, C++, Python, JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript

Web & Full-Stack: HTML5, CSS3, React.js, Next.js, Node.js, Express.js, Tailwind CSS, Framer Motion

Databases: MongoDB, MySQL, SQL, Firebase Realtime Database

ML & AI: PyTorch (CUDA 11.x), OpenAI CLIP, BLIP, Hugging Face, EasyOCR

API & Backend: FastAPI, REST, GraphQL, JWT, Nodemailer, Spoonacular API

Cloud & DevOps: AWS (EC2, S3, RDS, ECS, IAM), Docker, CI/CD

**Visualization:** Chart.js, D3.js

Tools: Git, Linux CLI, psutil, tqdm

Security: VAPT, Network Security Fundamentals

## **EXPERIENCE**

- Troubleshot Linux/Windows hardware and software issues; diagnosed OS errors and network problems.
- Tutored students in C, C++, Python, Computer Networks, and Databases, improving performance.

## **PROJECTS**

#### **GIVcat-AI** (Python, PyTorch, CLIP, BLIP, MoviePy, EasyOCR)

- Developed a CLI tool to scan and categorize GIFs, images, and videos into AI-driven, structured output folders, and recursive file discovery with JSON caching to skip already processed files.
- Leveraged PyTorch GPU-accelerated batch inference and CLIP for semantic classification, with EasyOCR as a fallback.
- Exposed configuration flags and detailed console logging for monitoring performance and errors.

#### Pcube-Portfolio (Next.js, React, Tailwind CSS, Framer Motion, Vercel)

- Developed a responsive portfolio site featuring animated sidebar navigation and scroll-triggered effects.
- Employed Framer Motion for parallax backgrounds, fade-in sections, and a rotating 3D cube component.
- Styled entirely with Tailwind CSS, including dark/light theme toggling via CSS variables.
- Integrated Next.js API route for contact form submission using Discord webhooks.

#### Plan N Prep (MERN, Spoonacular API, Nodemailer)

- Created a meal-planning app with MongoDB-backed inventory management and recipe database.
- Integrated Spoonacular API for recipe search & ingestion; normalized data with Mongoose schemas.
- Built calendar UI for scheduling meals; enabled drag-and-drop assignment and status tracking.
- Secured routes and data via JWT-based authentication.

## MoneyMap (React, Firebase Auth & Realtime Database, Chart.js)

- Engineered a personal finance tracker with user authentication and real-time data sync using Firebase.
- Enabled categorization of income/expenses with date filters and dynamic reporting.
- Visualized trends through interactive Chart.js doughnut and bar charts.
- Designed mobile-first responsive UI using Bootstrap 4 and custom CSS.
- Added email verification and password recovery workflows via Firebase Auth.

#### Basic CRUD (MERN, JWT, Redux Toolkit, Ant Design)

- Developed a full-stack user management system with secure JWT authentication and role-based access.
- Utilized Redux Toolkit for predictable state management and Ant Design for UI components.
- Exposed RESTful Express.js endpoints for create/read/update/delete operations on MongoDB via Mongoose.
- Implemented form validation, error handling, and loading states for robust UX.

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

- AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner Amazon Web Services, Apr 2024 [Link]
- MTA: Cloud Fundamentals Microsoft, Apr 2019 [Link]
- MTA: Networking Fundamentals Microsoft, Oct 2019 [Link]
- Ethical Hacking Training Internshala, Mar 2020 [Link]
- Web Development Training Internshala, Apr 2020 [Link]

# **LANGUAGES**

English (Fluent), Hindi (Fluent), Marathi (Fluent)