# KANISHK SACHDEV

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# **EDUCATION**

# The Pennsylvania State University

Pennsylvania, PA

B.S Computer Science

2022 – 2026 (Expected)

Relevant Courses: Programming and Computation, Calculus With Analytic Geometry, Microeconomic Analysis and Policy, Rhetoric and Composition

#### Royale Concorde International School (CBSE)

Bangalore, India

2020 - 2022

Grade 12

GPA: 91/100

Relevant Courses: Mathematics, Informatics Practices, English, Physics, Chemistry

## Royale Concorde International School (CBSE)

Bangalore, India

2008 - 2020

Grade 10

GPA: 91.9 / 100

Relevant Courses: Mathematics, Information Technology, English, Science, Social Studies, Hindi

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### **Ekovert Services Pvt.. Ltd.**

Bangalore, India

Software Development Intern

Mar 2021 - May 2021

- Developed a program to scrape the GEM portal for relevant tenders, and check if the product meets the required specifications.
- Set up a database to store order and bidding history in a database.
- Used previous order history and competitor bidding history to devise bidding strategies using regression.
- Tender bid success rate grew from 32% to 46% resulting in increased sales and revenue. Technologies used: Python, Selenium, JavaScript, SQL

**Intel Corporation** Machine Learning Student Bangalore, India

1 of 100 students selected for AI4Youth program from schools across India following series of tests.

Dec 2020- Feb 2021

- Programmed a NLP Bot using Decision Tree capable of detecting and reporting spurious accounts created on social media
- Attained accuracy of 85% while used on instagram datasets.
- Learnt machine learning concepts, libraries such as scikit-learn and Keras Technologies used: Python, scikit-learn, Keras

## <u>Projects</u>

# Algorithm Visualizer

May 2022 - June 2022

- Developed an app to show the functioning of various sorting algorithms.
- Allow the user to change sample size, compare runtime and memory usage, modify cosmetics of visualizer. Technologies used: Python, PyGame

# Library Management System

Aug 2021 - Jan 2022

- Developed a scalable library management system to digitise and automate school library using MySql, Python, OpenCV
- Automated borrowing and returning of books, utilised user data to provide borrowers with book recommendations
- Created a OpenCV system that scans ID card to handle logins and scans books to manage borrowing of books
- Made the system touchless and eliminated the requirement of face-to-face interactions with library staff Technologies used: Python, MySQL, TKinter, OpenCV

## **Bitcoin Mining**

2018 - 2019

- Set up a Bitcoin Mining rig consisting of Gridseed Blade and Gridseed Multi processor miners.
- Set up the devices using C with help of online tutorials.

Technologies used: C

## LEADERSHIP & ACTIVITIES

**School Captain** Bangalore, India

Royale Concorde International School

2021 - 2022

- Elected representative of student body comprising of 2000 students
- Revamped student council, created and led 5 committees comprising of 50 members
- Organised various Inter & Intra-school events such as Annual inter-school Cultural fest, art and singing competitions
- Initiated the school's first ever monthly newsletter.
- Took initiatives to encourage use of preferred pronouns, requested management to introduce Gender-Neutral uniforms

**President Model UN Club** 

Bangalore, India

2020 - 2022

- Royale Concorde International School
  - Converted intra-school event to first ever inter-school competition (RoMUN)
  - Organised competition and oversaw operations, Hosted over 400 participants from 50 schools
  - Designed a website to handle registration, provide information and documents to participants
  - Conducted orientation for Juniors and Peers highlighting the rules of the competition, how to research and prepare.

# AWARDS

- Silver (Jan 2022) and Bronze (Dec 2021) at USA Computing Olympiad (USACO)
- Participated in 31 Model UN's with accolades in 26 (2019-2022)
- Received award for Best Rover Design by Synase Robotics Center (Apr 2019)

# **TEST SCORES**

SAT: 1480/1600TOEFL: 109/120IELTS: 8.0/9.0

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: Python, C, C++, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, MySQL
- Tools: Git, LaTeX, Anaconda, Abode Suite, Microsoft Office

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Languages: English, Hindi, Oriya, Sanskrit
- Hobbies: Cooking, Photography, Scuba Diving