# **Kunal Chand**

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3+ Years of Software Development Experience | MS in Computer Science | Aligned towards Software Roles

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Software Engineer | React, Redux, Java, Spring Boot, Kafka

Jul 2024 - Jul 2025

Baltimore, Maryland, USA

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- Created interactive UI widgets for healthcare insurance claims dashborad, powered by Generative AI and Agentic AI
  services to summarize reports, recommend next steps, and assist in intelligent claims assignment
- Crafted front-end components with React.js, TypeScript and Material UI, utilizing code-splitting and lazy loading for performance optimization, React Query for efficient data fetching, and Redux for predictable state management
- Built RESTful APIs using Spring Boot, leveraging Spring Data JPA and Hibernate ORM for seamless database integration
- Designed an Event-Driven Architecture for claims-processing system, implementing Kafka producers/consumers for real-time data exchange and scalable claims distribution across adjustors based on type, workload, and efficiency

**Associate Software Engineer** | *Java, JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, SQL, Git* 

Aug 2020 - Jul 2022

NRI (Nomura Research Institute) FinTech

Kolkata, West Bengal, India

- Developed a fintech portal with a responsive UI built with JavaScript, HTML, and CSS, consuming RESTful APIs powered by a Java backend to display financial transaction data, validation alerts, and dynamic content updates for 10K+ users
- Improved database performance via indexing & DDL/DML tuning; boosted storage efficiency via 3NF normalization

## **EDUCATION**

#### Master of Science in Computer Science and Engineering

Aug 2022 - Dec 2023

University at Buffalo, The State University of New York

Buffalo, New York, USA

• Relevant Coursework: Analysis of Algorithms; Data Intensive Computing; Machine Learning; Computer Architecture

# **Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering**

Jul 2016 - May 2020

*Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology (KIIT University)* 

Bhubaneshwar, Odisha, India

• Relevant Coursework: Data Structures; Computer Networks; Computer Graphics; Operating System

## **PROJECTS**

**Timesheet Auto Filler** | *Java, Selenium, Eclipse* 

GitHub Link

Automated timesheet entry in an in-house app using Selenium, cutting manual effort by 75% with a one-click workflow

PDF Gen AI Chatbot | Python, LangChain, Streamlit, Groq, Pinecone, Llama3

<u>Live Demo</u> | <u>GitHub Link</u>

- Engineered a RAG-based LLM chatbot to answer queries from uploaded PDFs, improving research speed by 60%
- Created Pinecone vector database with HuggingFace embeddings for optimized context retrieval in the RAG pipeline

# **Distributed CLI Chat System** | *C/C++, Socket Programming, TCP/IP*

GitHub Link

- Built a centralized client-server model for a text chat app using TCP sockets & C++ for multi-client communication
- · Deployed and tested application on dedicated hosts, ensuring cross-platform compatibility and robustness
- Provided dual functionality, acting as a UNIX Shell accepting commands, simultaneously handling network operations

# **SKILLS**

Languages: Java, Python, C, C++, Go, SQL, PHP, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

Frameworks & Libraries: Spring Boot, React, Redux, React Router, TanStack, Material UI, Selenium, Streamlit, LangChain

Databases: PostgreSQL, OracleDB, MySQL, Microsoft SQL Server, MongoDB, Cassandra, Redis, HBase

**Analytics & Monitoring**: Hadoop, Spark, Power BI, Splunk, Datadog, Prometheus, Grafana

Cloud & DevOps: AWS, Azure, GCP, Linux, Docker, Kubernetes, Terraform, Jenkins, CI/CD

Other: Data Structures, Algorithms, Design Patterns, OOP, Agile, SDLC, Pair Programming, Test-Driven Development, Microservices, Kafka, REST APIs, Git, Jira, Postman, Maven, JMeter

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

**Publications**: Articulated 2+ editorials/blogs/articles (<u>Brick Wall</u> | <u>Minimum Area Rectangle</u> | <u>Recursion Guide</u>)

Certifications: DevOps Professional Certificate by PagerDuty and LinkedIn | Hands-On Approach to OOP with Python