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## EDUCATION

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### Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Technology

Bachelor of Engineering in Information Technology

Mumbai, Maharashtra

2024 - 2027

### Government Polytechnic Mumbai, Bandra

Diploma in Information Technology – 88.75%

Mumbai, Maharashtra

2021- 2024

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### Software Development Intern (React Native Developer):

Fi Havock Digital Private Limited

Mumbai, Maharashtra

Jan 2024 – June 2024

- Developed and published **4+ mobile applications** on the Google Play Store, ensuring high performance and user engagement.
- Improved app responsiveness by **70%** by optimizing API response handling and reducing screen load time.
- Integrated Redux for state management**, improving app performance and streamlining authentication flows.
- Integrated **2 payment gateways in testing/sandbox mode**, enabling secure transaction workflows during development.
- Integrated and maintained **40+** APIs spanning data retrieval, authentication, and external services, improving overall app functionality and user experience.

## PROJECTS

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### Exblore: - React.js, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, Tailwind CSS, Cloudinary | [Live](#) | [Github](#)

A full-stack blog platform where users can create posts, explore content, and engage through community based discussions.

- Added secure user authentication using **bcrypt.js** for safe login and account access.
- Developed **community features** that allow users to create and join groups for better engagement.
- Designed a **blog categorization system** to organize posts by interest areas such as Music, Technology, Education, Sports, and Business.
- Integrated **Cloudinary** for efficient image and media handling to improve performance and scalability.

### NourishNet – MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js | [Live](#) | [Github](#)

Built a platform that connects restaurants and individual donors with NGOs to reduce food waste and support timely food distribution.

- Implemented two dedicated roles to manage operations:  
**Donors** for posting details of surplus food.  
**NGOs** for claiming available food requests and coordinating pickups.
- Integrated **Cloudinary API** for cloud image storage with MongoDB URL references, boosting donation processing capacity by **30%**.
- Created separate **Donor and NGO Portals** for posting food, claiming requests, and viewing active and completed donations.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Languages:** C, Java, Python, JavaScript, HTML/CSS

**Technologies /Framework:** React.js, React Native, Tailwind CSS, Bootstrap, Node.js, Express.js

**Databases:** MongoDB, Mysql

**Tools and Platforms:** VS code, Postman, Git, Github