# Milan Patel

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## **Education**

### **University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign**

Champaign, IL

Master of Computer Science

Jan 2023 - December 2024

- Courses Completed: Cloud Computing Applications, Applied Machine Learning, Deep Learning for Healthcare, Computer Security II...
- Courses In Progress: Methods of Applied Statistics

## University of California, Irvine

Irvine, CA

B.S. Computer Science

Sep 2018 - June 2022

- Courses: Information Retrieval, Artificial Intelligence, Database Management, Networks and Security, Design and Analysis of Algorithms, ...
- Extracurriculars: Member of Cyber @ UCI and competed in CCDC (Fall 2020)

#### **Certifications**

CompTIA Network+, CompTIA Security+

## Work Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Edwards Lifesciences Irvine, CA

Software Engineer - Python, JavaScript, SQL, C#

Jun 2023 - Present

- Design, develop, test, and optimize software solutions in an agile environment
- Develop Machine Learning (ML) algorithms for medical image segmentation, focusing on extracting heart valve measurements to streamline the patient screening process
- Enhanced an open-source DICOM viewer to support ultrasound data, enabling advanced segmentation capabilities to train ML models
- Conduct experiments to evaluate model performance, identify limitations, and propose improvements for ongoing R&D
- Supported the R&D BU's efforts by developing a **Python-based desktop app**, providing an intuitive GUI for analyzing stress-strain data in nitinol, a key material used in heart valve therapies
- · Communicate effectively with cross-functional teams to gather project requirements and conduct demos to showcase progress

Tevora Business Solutions Irvine, CA

#### **Information Security Consultant**

Jun 2021 - Sep 2021

- Analyzed documentation and system samples to determine if private businesses and service providers holding a contract with the U.S. government were meeting required security standards set by NIST 800-53 (FISMA).
- Authored a whitepaper and reported on the CMMC framework, which helps the U.S. Department of Defense measure an organization's capability
  to safeguard sensitive national security information and award contracts accordingly.

# **Projects**

Spotify Playlist Cleaner Oct 2022 - Dec 2022

React JS, AWS Amplify

- Developed and launched a **web app** that allows users to create clean versions of their Spotify playlists in a few clicks.
- · Utilized six Spotify API endpoints to automate this process, saving users a substantial amount of time.
- Common use cases would be found in restaurants, stores, and social events.
- App has been reviewed and approved by Spotify and is now publicly available.

GPU Tracker Feb 2022 - May 2022

Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, PostgreSQL, Heroku

- Developed and launched a web app that allows users to track GPUs and be notified when they are in stock.
- Created a web scraping service using **Selenium** to continuously query popular retailers.
- Implemented a secure authentication service using the **Passport.js** library.
- Architected a PostgreSQL database to store user credentials and GPUs being tracked by users.
- Used the **Gmail API** to automatically notify users when a GPU they are tracking is in stock.

Search Engine Mar 2021 - May 2021

Python

- Built a search engine from the ground up capable of handling tens of thousands of documents with a query response time under 300ms.
- Designed an **inverted index**, mapping words, 2-grams, and 3-grams present in each document search space to the respective TF-IDF (Term Frequency-Inverse Document Frequency) value.
- Applied Cosine similarity to check how closely related documents were to an input query and rank them accordingly.

### Skills

**Languages** Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, C++, C#, SQL, HTML, CSS

Miscellaneous Git, AWS, PostgreSQL, PyTorch, OpenCV, Node.js, Express.js, React, Angular, Selenium, Unity

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