Nandini Gangrade

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Education

IES IPS Academy, Indore - B.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering (CGPA: 8.6)	2020 - 2024
Scholars Den Hr. Sec. School, Khandwa - 12th Board (CGPA: 7.7)	2019 - 2020
St. Joseph's Convent Sr. Sec. School, Khandwa - 10th Board (CGPA: 7.4)	2017 - 2018

Skills & Certifications

Technical Skills: Python, Object-Oriented Programming, Software Development Life Cycle (Agile/Scrum), APIs

Interpersonal Skills: Critical Thinking, Decision-Making, Ownership Mindset, Adaptability, Passionate Learner, Initiative, Creativity, Time Management, Analytical & Effective Communication Skills.

Certifications: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Programming Languages (C++, Java), Data Structures, React.js, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, SQL, Azure DevOps, Docker, Git, GitHub

Experience

YouTube Jan. 2023 – Present

Creator (youtube.com/@CodeCrusaders) | DSA, Problem-Solving, Fast-paced Development, Streaming

- Expanded CodeCrusaders to 136+ subscribers by strategically producing 30+ technical videos covering LeetCode, competitive programming, data structures, algorithms, and their complexities in Python, Java, Cpp.
- Developed a **text-to-speech website** (*Speech-Text-Reader*) for automated AI voiceovers, reducing manual effort by **70%** and streamlining video production by **40%**.
- Executed a strategic content roadmap, increasing viewer engagement by 50% through optimized thumbnails and video editing using Canva, leading to a 2.5x growth in video impressions within 3 months.

Hexaware Technologies

Apr 2023 - May 2024

Data Analyst (Virtual Art Gallery) | Python, OOPs, PyUnit, MSSQL, CRUD

- Developed a Python-based **CLI application** to manage and explore **500+ artworks**, integrating **CRUD functionalities** for seamless operations and efficient **database** interactions.
- Optimized inventory control and search algorithms, reducing query response time by 30%.
- Leveraged MSSQL RDBMS for structured data management, ensuring high availability, scalability, and secure
 handling of 1,000+ records.
- Maintained code integrity and streamlined collaboration through **Version Control**, enabling rapid iterations and efficient product delivery.

Projects

Code Crusaders January 2025

Web Developer (code-crusaders-dsa-patterns.vercel.app) | React, Vite, Tailwind CSS, JSON

- * Design a fully functional **DSA practice website** with **17 competitive programming patterns**, explanations, pseudocode, and practice links, demonstrating a **strong** grasp of full-stack principles.
- * Optimize platform performance, reducing load time by 40% using efficient build strategies and Vite's Hot Module Replacement (HMR), showcasing attention to detail in optimizations.
- * Achieve a perfect 100% Lighthouse score by adhering to best practices for accessibility and responsiveness. Incorporate user feedback for continuous improvement.
- * Enhance UI/UX with a collapsible sidebar, dark mode toggle, and intuitive navigation, leading to a 30% increase in engagement and improved product usability.
- * Lead deployment of new features, focusing on optimization, scalability, and end-to-end product development.
- * Implement state-of-the-art technologies for highly performant code, ensuring speed and responsiveness.

Leadership & Extracurricular Involvement

- * Solve **560+ problems** on *LeetCode* and actively participate in various coding contests, embracing an **entrepreneurial** and small approach to problem-solving.
- * Rank **2nd on** *GeeksforGeeks* among competitive programmers, demonstrating strong problem-solving skills with a **vision to build solutions** that impact the real world.
- * Lead and actively collaborate with 36 teams out of 500+ in Hackathon 2.0, leveraging Frontend Development and Back-End expertise to design and implement Aorta A Virtual Nurse, a healthcare app and website. Integrate Industry Trends to drive innovation in enhancing medical services, focusing on real-time problem-solving.
- * Contribute to **6Companies30Days** and **CrackYourPlacement**, coding challenges designed to improve DSA skills and coding proficiency while making learning **playful and engaging**.