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SUMMARY

Highly motivated and versatile Computer Science graduate (B. Tech, Graduated April 2025, CGPA 8.28) with a strong foundation in Software Engineering, Object-Oriented Programming (Python, Java), and advanced AI/Machine Learning, including Generative AI and LLMs. Proven ability to design, develop, and deploy complex end-to-end applications, with hands-on experience leveraging cloud platforms (AWS & GCP - Vertex AI) for developing and deploying solutions. Proficient in Python, Java, JavaScript/TypeScript, SQL, and experienced with modern frameworks (React/Next.js), databases (PostgreSQL), and AI/ML tools (Scikit-learn, TensorFlow/PyTorch). Excellent problem-solver with a passion for innovation, MLOps concepts, and continuous learning. My portfolio, linked above, and Google Cloud Skills Boost profile showcase live projects and extensive cloud/AI skill development.

SKILLS

- Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL, C, HTML/CSS.
- Core SWE & CS: Object-Oriented Programming (OOP), Data Structures, Algorithms, Problem Solving, SDLC, Code Quality, Software Testing Concepts, Agile Methodologies (Familiarity).
- AI & Machine Learning: Generative AI (Fundamentals, Gemini, Prompt Design), LLMs (Integration Ollama, Transformer Models/BERT concepts), Machine Learning Algorithms (Scikit-learn Gradient Boosting), Deep Learning Concepts, NLP, Model Building Cycle, Python Data Stack (Pandas, NumPy), TensorFlow, PyTorch, Vector Search & Embeddings, Image Generation Concepts.
- Cloud Platforms & MLOps:
 - AWS: Academy Graduate (Cloud Foundations, Architecting, Machine Learning Foundations, Data Engineering).
 - GCP (Google Cloud Platform): Extensive Skill Badges including Vertex AI Studio, GenAI App Development (Gemini, Streamlit), Multimodal RAG, MLOps for GenAI, Data/ML/AI Foundations, Networking & Security.
 - Concepts: MLOps (Foundational), Cloud Architecture, Data Engineering (Cloud), Serverless Concepts.
- Web Development (Full Stack): React.js, Next.js, Node.js (Backend via Next.js/Certs), REST APIs, Tailwind CSS.
- Databases: PostgreSQL (PL/pgSQL), MySQL, SQLite (Relational); MongoDB (NoSQL Basics); Database Design, Data Pipeline Development (ETL concepts).
- Tools & Platforms: Git, Docker (Basic), Linux (Proficient), VS Code, NPM, Vercel (CI/CD), Jupyter Notebooks, GitHub Actions (Conceptual).

PROJECTS

PC Building Assistant Platform | AI-Powered Full-Stack Recommendation System Tech Stack: Python (Scikit-learn, Pandas), TypeScript, Next.js (React), PostgreSQL, REST APIs, Ollama/LLM

- Engineered a complex application as a full-stack developer with a **Python** backend for **Machine Learning**-based recommendations (Gradient Boosting) and intricate compatibility logic across thousands of component combinations, coupled with a **PostgreSQL** knowledge base utilizing PL/pgSQL.
- Developed a dual-interface (conversational **LLM** & expert builder) frontend using **Next.js/React**, demonstrating practical **Generative AI** application for enhanced user experience.
- Implemented an end-to-end data pipeline (scraping, cleaning, transformation for a dataset of 5000+ components) analogous to cloud data engineering workflows, and **REST APIs** for service integration. Hosted live.

Post-Quantum Cryptography Library ('pqc') & Visualization Tool ('PQC-Vizz')

Tech Stack: JavaScript (ES Modules), NPM, Algorithms, (For Vizz: Next.js/React)

- Developed and published a pure **JavaScript** library ('pqc') implementing NIST Post-Quantum Cryptography standards, demonstrating deep algorithmic problem-solving and adherence to complex specifications.
- Achieved significant performance (1029+ NPM downloads, >2300 ops/sec for ML-KEM) and built an interactive React/Next.js visualization tool to explain these advanced concepts. Hosted live.

CareerPath Navigator | Full-Stack Educational Platform

Tech Stack: TypeScript, Next.js 14 (React), Tailwind CSS, Vercel (CI/CD)

- Architected and built a user-centric, full-stack web application using **React/Next.js** and TypeScript, focusing on performance, accessibility, and deploying via **CI/CD** (Vercel).
- Implemented recommendation **algorithms** to provide personalized career guidance and managed application state for interactive tools. Hosted live.

Math Minute | Android Application

Tech Stack: Java, Android SDK, SQLite

• Developed a native Android application using **Java**, showcasing strong **Object-Oriented Programming** skills and mobile development fundamentals.

TECHNICAL ACTIVITIES & HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE

- Proficiently use Linux (Debian) for development, leveraging command-line and managing server-like environments.
- Consistent use of **Git** for version control; experience with **Docker** basics for containerization.
- Practical experience managing home lab infrastructure (NAS, server, networking, PostgreSQL on Raspberry Pi).
- Active participation in Coding Club (Lead Member), organizing workshops and mentoring peers.
- Extensive hands-on learning via Google Cloud Skills Boost (30+ badges, Gold League).

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech) in Computer Science

Vasireddy Venkatadri Institute of Technology (VVIT), Guntur, Andhra Pradesh Graduated April 2025

- CGPA: 8.28/10.0
- Relevant Coursework: Object-Oriented Programming (Java, Python), Data Structures & Algorithms, Software Engineering, Database Management Systems, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Web Technologies, Cloud Computing Concepts.

Class 12 (94.7%): Sri Chaitanya Junior College, Guntur | SSC (9.8 GPA): Bhashyam High School, Guntur

CERTIFICATIONS

Key certifications demonstrating proficiency in Software Engineering, AI/ML, Data Science, and Cloud technologies. Extensive list including 30+ Google Cloud Skill Badges available on LinkedIn and Google Cloud Skills Boost Profile.

- DeepLearning.AI Specializations: Deep Learning, Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Tensor-Flow Advanced Techniques.
- Cloud Platforms:
 - AWS Academy Graduate: Cloud Foundations, Architecting, Machine Learning Foundations, Data Engineering.
 - Google Cloud: Computing Foundations Certificate; Numerous Skill Badges (Vertex AI, GenAI Apps with Gemini, Multimodal RAG, MLOps for GenAI, Vector Search, Responsible AI).
- Data Science & Analytics: IBM Data Science Professional Certificate; Google Advanced Data Analytics Professional Certificate.
- **Development**: Meta Front-End Developer (React.js); freeCodeCamp (Back End Development & APIs, Scientific Computing with Python).
- Core Skills: HackerRank (Problem Solving, SQL); Google Professional Certificates (Cybersecurity, IT Support, Project Management).