Nitish Prabhu Kota

My Portfolio | Arlington, TX

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Software Engineer with 3+ years of professional Full-Stack Web Development experience. Strong technical skills in designing, developing, testing, debugging, and maintaining complex websites. Graduating from The University of Texas at Arlington, Actively looking for Full-Stack Web Developer/Cloud Computing full time opportunities starting from May 2021.

EDUCATION

University of Texas at Arlington

Master of Science in Computer Science

(GPA: 3.6/4.0) Arlington, TX

Graduating in May 2021

- Major in Big Data Management, Databases and Cloud Computing; Artificial Intelligent Systems.
- **Related Courses:** Web Data Management, Artificial Intelligence I, Machine Learning, Advanced Topics in Database Systems, Data Mining, Software Testing, Software Engineering, Python Programming, Computer Networks.

NMAM Institute of Technology (GPA: 7.83/10.0) KA, INDIA

Bachelor of Engineering in Electronics and Communication

May 2016

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, JAVA, SQL, PHP, C, C++.

Frameworks: Angular JS, Angular 2/5/9, React JS, Flask, Laravel, Bootstrap 4/5.

Web Technologies: JavaScript, HTML/HTML 5, CSS 3, TypeScript, Jasmine, Karma, RESTful Web Services, jQuery,

XML, Google API's, JSON, ML Tools (NumPy, Pandas, Keras, SciPy, Scikit-learn).

Database: MySQL, Google Cloud Datastore, MongoDB, Amazon RDS, Redis. **Cloud Services:** AWS, Microsoft Azure, Google Cloud Platform, IBM Cloud (Bluemix).

Tools / Software: Visual Studio Code, Eclipse IDE, GitHub, Git, Jenkins, VSTS, Jupyter Notebook, PyCharm.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Software Engineer – Full Time – INFOSYS LIMITED, Mangaluru, India Software Engineer

May 2017 – July 2019

Oct 2016 - May 2017

- Worked on **developing and maintaining** 5 projects for PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) on technologies like Angular 5, Python and GCP etc. with **100% on-time delivery**. Redesigned and Migrated the previous systems to Cloud, thereby **reducing the yearly operational cost by 30%** with over 99% uptime.
- Actively participated in meetings with clients to determine requirements and proposed solutions. Involved in R&D while
 deciding technology stacks to be used; hence provide an efficient and cost-effective solution.
- Created modular, reusable UI tools/components that were used across in the organization and in the Google Account.
- Practiced Agile SCRUM methodology to meet aggressive deadlines every two weeks. Involved in daily stand-up meetings, sprint showcase (demos) and sprint retrospective. Created User Manual and other documentations.
- Provided technical and functional Knowledge Transfer sessions over WebEx to distributed teams in 5 locations. **Trained and guided** 5+ new entry level recruits on various technologies used.
- Collaborated with the back-end developers in the process of building and integrating the REST API. Worked with test engineering team to assure product quality.

Software Engineer Intern/Trainee – Full Time – INFOSYS LIMITED, Mysuru, India

May 2016 - Oct 2016

- Developed dynamic, interactive web application Mobile Phone Comparison using AngularJS, Java and Hibernate.
- Trained on Agile Software Methodologies, Software Engineering, Data Structures, Critical Thinking and Design Thinking.

ACADEMIC/PERSONAL PROJECTS

Cloud Computing - Python/Flask Web Application (Amazon Web Services: Elastic Beanstalk, MS Azure, IBM Bluemix)

- Developed and Hosted multiple web applications to perform various SQL queries on the USGS earthquake dataset.
- Implemented caching using **Redis**, **load balancing** and **auto-scaling** to support high load traffic and faster execution of queries, hence improving the system performance by 30%. Performed Load testing using **Apache JMeter**.

Social Distancing and Facemask Detection Monitoring System – (Python, OpenCV, COCO Dataset, YOLO v3 Algorithm)

 Implemented a model and trained it on COCO dataset from scratch, to detect if the people are maintaining social distance or not with 90% accuracy. Developed Face Recognition Model to analyze images & identify facial landmark.

Instagram Clone Web Application: MERN Stack - (MongoDB, Express.js, React.js and Node.js)

• Built a responsive web application and deployed to Heroku. Created APIs in Node Js, JWT based authentication etc.

WhatsApp Chatbot for Stock Market - (Python, Flask and Twilio APIs)

• Built a conversational chatbot leveraging the Market Stack APIs to get data from 70+ stock exchanges across the world.

Burger's on Grill: Dynamic Responsive Restaurant website - (Laravel, PHP, JavaScript, CSS, HTML, Bootstrap 5) (Demo)

 Designed and Developed two Dynamic Responsive Web Applications using PHP and Laravel, respectively. Implemented rolebased access with secure authentication, Order and Payment gateway etc. Application hosted with SSL certificate.

CERTIFICATIONS AND AWARDS

- Certified JAVA Developer Diploma in JAVA from Manipal Institute of Computer Education (MICE).
- Awarded with INSTA Award by Service Offering Head at Infosys for my contributions in Google SDM project.
- Secured 2nd place in the Organizational level Hackathon organized by Infosys Limited, presented a project titled Image to HTML conversion using Machine Learning and Tensor flow (Python).
- Won 2nd place in the events: ROBOTHON and DARE TO DESIGN at National Level Tech Fest Tech-Nidarshan.