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### **EDUCATION**

- Undergraduate : December 2021 June 2025
  - Bachelor of Technology in Information Technology from Indian Institute of Information Technology
  - CGPA: 7.98 / 10
  - Courses: Operating Systems, Computer Networks, Database Management Systems, Object Oriented Methods, Automata Theory
- Indian Schools Certificate Examination, 2021 Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Legal Studies with a percentage of 85% from St. Joseph's College, Prayagraj.

## **RESEARCH PROJECT**

Formalising the coinductive trie representation of regular languages in Cubical Agda

June 2023 - Present

- Researching the application of cubical type theory to program and prove the completeness of a coinductive trie representation.
- Referencing Traytel's method [Traytel 2016] of viewing regular languages as coinductive tries and the proof of their representation's completeness.
- Highlighting cubical type theory as a powerful type system capable of encoding mathematical constraints and enabling "propositions as types" concept. [Wadler 2015]

#### **SOFTWARE PROJECTS**

- A Scheme to JavaScript Compiler
  - Developing a compiler that converts a subset of the Scheme programming language into executable JavaScript.
  - Utilising a slight variant of the untyped λ calculus as an intermediate representation in the compilation process.
  - Leveraging the  $\lambda$  calculus representation to **generate JavaScript code**.
- A Scheme interpreter written in Scheme
  - Developed an interpreter for the Scheme programming language written in Scheme.
  - Implemented the interpreter as a series of interpreters for successively more complicated subsets of Scheme.
  - The design of the interpreter was influenced by Friedmann's book ("Essentials of Programming

## Languages").

- Semester Project for Software Engineering Course
  - Co-authored the backend using Spring Boot and Kotlin.
  - Developed a RESTful API that supports CRUD operations for the entire database schema, including users, publications, resources, and more.
  - Implemented an object-relational mapping (ORM) layer between the H2 database instance and the server application using Spring Data JPA.
  - Utilized a Model View Controller (MVC) architecture for server-side rendering, populating template variables in Mustache templates.

## **TECHNICAL WRITING**

- The Dark Side of the Nullable Moon.
  - Authored a technical article explaining the nullable type constructor in Kotlin.
  - Provided detailed insights into the JVM level representation of nullability in Kotlin.
  - Explored the interaction of nullability at the type level with inheritance and subtyping in Kotlin.
- Multiplication in logarithmic time.
  - Developed an algorithm inspired by a problem in SICP to compute the **product** of two numbers in **logarithmic time**, leveraging the assumption of constant time operations for addition and bitshifts.
  - Explored and analyzed recurrence relations for exponentiation and multiplication, enhancing understanding of their computations.
  - Investigated the concept of "hyperoperations," a generalization of exponentiation and multiplication, to gain insights into their broader applicability and mathematical properties.
- Using fixedpoint combinators to implement recursion
  - Authored an article discussing hurdles encountered while developing a Scheme interpreter.
  - Explored challenges in implementing recursion within the interpreter.
  - Demonstrated the use of fixed-point combinators as a solution for seamless recursion implementation.

## **SKILLS**

- Languages: Java, Kotlin, C++, Rust, Scheme, Haskell, Agda
- Frameworks: JavaEE,Spring Boot, Hibernate
- · Tools: Shell, Git, Github, Pandoc, Gradle
- · OS: Linux