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TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages	Python, Bash, JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML/CSS/SAAS, Dart, C++	
Frontend and Backend	React.js, Next.js, Vercel, HTML, CSS, SaaS Tailwind, Material UI, Red Zustand, Node.js, FastAPI, Flask, Express.js, GraphQL	
AI (ML + Generative AI + Data Science)	OpenAl, Gemini, Claude, Unstructured.io, TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, OpenCV, Hugging Face, NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib	
Database	MongoDB, SQL, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Redis, Firebase, ChromaDB	
Cloud, CI/CD	AWS certified (ECR, EKS, EC2, S3, IAM, DynamoDB, Lambda, Athena, Glue) Azure certified (Storage, Al Services, Function App, Cosmos DB, Entra ID) BentoML, Terraform, Firebase, Git, GitHub, Docker, Kubernetes, Modal	

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Al Engineer Time Under Tension April 2024-Present

- Spearheaded development of several enterprise-scale full-stack Generative AI applications.
- Delivered projects for a diverse range of companies from retail, finance and government industries.
- Implemented features across the frontend, backend and cloud stack.
- Improved performance of a backend function by 80% by optimizing the chat processing workflow.
- Liaised with stakeholders and clients to discuss project requirements and do live product demonstrations.
- Leveraged knowledge in Git, React.js, Nest.js, TypeScript, Python, Azure's suite of Al and Compute services and GenAl APIs (OpenAl, Gemini, Claude).

Software Engineer, Intern

A.I.GORITHM

Jan-Feb 2024

- Designed and implemented an end-to-end, full-stack Property Report Generation Tool that enables farmers to get detailed agricultural reports on their geographical AOI (area of interest).
- Developed a containerized backend using a microservices architecture with Docker and Docker Compose, orchestrating 6 geospatial third-party APIs.
- Implemented a frontend application using Next.js, TypeScript and Docker.
- Managed deployment to AWS, utilizing ECS, ECR and LB & S3, Athena and Glue to store several agricultural datasets (>1TB) in Apache Parquet and CSV.
- Conducted DevOps using Terraform and GitHub Actions.

CERTIFICATIONS

-	Microsoft Certified: Azure Al Fundamentals	Aug 2024
-	Microsoft Certified: Azure Fundamentals	Jul 2024
-	AWS Certified Machine Learning - Specialty	Jun 2024
-	IBM Professional Machine Learning Certificate, IBM	Sep 2023
-	TensorFlow Developer Certificate, TensorFlow	Aug 2023

PROJECT WORK

Personal Website: <u>www.rajpulapakura.com</u> (for additional information and projects)

ClarityScan: Deep Learning for Tumour Diagnosis (<u>code</u>, <u>video</u>)

Feb-March 2024

A medical analysis tool that enhances brain MRI scans and automatically identifies glioma tumours in the scans.

- Developed a web application so that radiologists can upload their MRI scans, denoise them, and automatically identify glioma tumors.

- Implemented 2 AI models using TensorFlow for Noise Removal and Tumor segmentation, reaching a Dice Coefficient of up to 91%.
- Deployed models to APIs with GPUs using FastAPI and Modal serverless functions, ensuring inference time during production was ~5 seconds.
- Utilized: Next.JS, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS Python, TensorFlow, NumPy, FastAPI, Modal, AWS ECS & LB, Git, GitHub, AWS ECS, AWS ECR, AWS EC2

Computer Vision Search Engine (code, web, video)

Jun 2023

An app for finding similar images based on images you already own.

- Employed a pre-trained MobileNetV3 neural network in PyTorch to compute image embeddings.
- Deployed the model through to a BentoML backend, hosted using AWS API Gateway and AWS Lambda.
- Developed a web interface with drag-and-drop functionality enabling users to find similar images.
- Utilized: Python, PyTorch, REST API, BentoML, TerraForm, AWS API Gateway, AWS Lambda, Next.JS, TypeScript, Vercel, Tailwind CSS, Git, GitHub

OTHER

- Contributed to multiple open-source packages including TensorFlow and Scikit-learn, mostly documentation-related.
- Collaborated on open-source GitHub issues with fellow developers.
- Write a technical blog on <u>Medium</u>, sharing content on machine learning, deep learning, computer vision, full-stack development, and software development.
- Post videos on my <u>YouTube</u> channel, demonstrating my projects and sharing knowledge on machine learning and data science, web/mobile development, and software engineering.