

# Sahil Patel

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Technical Support & Troubleshooting:** MFA resets, account access issues (MyID, MyApps, FSP), Wi-Fi configuration, network printer setup, hardware/software diagnostics, remote assistance.

**Systems & Tools:** Salesforce Service Hub, Microsoft 365 Admin, Remote Desktop, Active Directory, VPN configuration, Jira, Confluence, ServiceNow (familiar).

**Programming & Data Tools:** Python (Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib), SQL, C++, Power BI, Tableau, Excel (Pivot Tables, Power Query), Jupyter Notebook.

**Networking & Infrastructure:** LAN/WAN troubleshooting, DNS/IP configuration, Eduroam & Seneca Secure network authentication, system imaging, driver setup.

**Cybersecurity & Privacy:** MFA authentication, phishing detection, access control, Seneca data handling standards, user identity management.

**Software & Operating Systems:** Windows 10/11, macOS, Linux (basic CLI), MS Office Suite, Visual Studio Code, Replit, GitHub.

**Soft Skills:** Analytical thinking, technical documentation, communication clarity, teamwork, adaptability, customer service excellence.

## EDUCATION

**Advanced Diploma, Computer Programming/Analysis**

**May 2024- Present**

**Seneca Polytechnic College, Toronto, ON**

- **Academic Highlights:** Achieved a GPA of **3.8**, consistently recognized for academic excellence
- **Key Courses:** Web Development, Object-Oriented Programming (C++), Data Structures, Database Systems, System Analysis

**Bachelor of Engineering -Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science )**

**May 2022- April 2024**

**Vishwakarma Government Engineering College, Ahmedabad, INDIA**

- **Academic Highlights:** Achieved a CGPA of 9.18, consistently recognized on the Dean's List for academic excellence
- **Key Courses:** Data Structures & Algorithms · Database Management Systems · Machine Learning · Data Mining · Big Data Analytics · Statistical Methods · Artificial Intelligence · Python & R Programming · Distributed Systems · Data Visualization

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Seneca Polytechnic – Co-op**

**Sept 2025 - Dec 2025**

**Information Technology Systems Technologist**

- Delivered frontline **IT support to 500+ students and faculty**, resolving hardware, software, and network issues with a **95% satisfaction rate**.
- Managed MFA, MyID, and Former Student Portal (FSP) access troubleshooting, **reducing re-ticketing by 20%** through **proactive documentation and user guidance**.
- Utilized Salesforce Service Hub for end-to-end ticket tracking and escalation, achieving a **25% faster average response time**.
- Maintained **critical campus infrastructure** (Wi-Fi, printing, MyApps) ensuring **99% uptime and consistent** digital learning access.
- Authored professional support documentation and knowledge-base content improving **user self-service efficiency by 30%**.
- Applied cybersecurity and privacy best practices in every resolution to protect institutional and personal data assets.

**Walmart Canada**

**July 2024 - Present**

**Customer Service Manager**

- Provided **exceptional customer service** by assisting over 30 customers daily, increasing **customer satisfaction scores by 15%**.
- **Managed point-of-sale systems** efficiently, maintaining **100% accuracy** in cash transactions and reducing checkout time by 10%.
- Supported team initiatives that improved store operations, contributing to a 20% increase in monthly sales.
- Coordinated with the **inventory team** to ensure accurate stock levels, reducing product shortages by 20%.

**Creative Digital Marketer, Remote**

**Jan 2023 - Present**

**SMMA**

- Developed and executed data-driven ad campaigns on platforms like **Google Ads** and **Facebook Ads**, achieving a **35%** increase in click-through rates (**CTR**) and a **25%** reduction in cost per acquisition (**CPA**), while using **Python scripting** and training a **LLM** for filtering negative keywords to optimise campaign performance.
- Designed and produced engaging **visual content**, including videos and graphics, tailored for targeted audiences, leading to a 40% boost in social media engagement and brand visibility across multiple platforms.
- Utilised tools like **Crunchbase** for outreach and prospecting, successfully identifying high-value leads and expanding client acquisition efforts, resulting in a 20% growth in the customer base.

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### Freelance Data Analyst

Aug 2023 - Present

- Designed and developed small-scale applications for clients, focusing on **database integration** and user interfaces .
- **Conducted software testing and debugging** to ensure optimal performance, reducing client-reported issues by 20%
- Authored **detailed technical documentation**, including user guides and training materials, to ensure seamless adoption of solutions
- **Optimized data processing workflows** through innovative automation techniques, reducing client operational costs by 15%

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### Seneca Polytechnic

April 2025 - Present

#### Peer Mentor (Volunteer)

- Mentored and supported **first-year students** by providing **academic, technical, and personal** guidance, improving mentee **engagement and confidence**.
- Conducted orientation and onboarding sessions to help students effectively use **Seneca platforms** (MySeneca, MyApps, MyID) and access **key campus services**.
- **Collaborated** with Student Life staff and peer mentors to monitor student progress, address challenges, and promote overall retention and **success**.
- Delivered **one-on-one mentorship** focused on academic planning, time management, and digital literacy, resulting in smoother program transitions.
- Applied **strong interpersonal, leadership, and communication skills** to create an inclusive, supportive, and professional student environment.

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### Seneca Polytechnic

Sep 2024 - Present

#### Vice-President – Seneca Disruptive Technologies Club | Volunteer

- Directed a team of **150+ members** to organize and execute over 3 technology-focused events, including hackathons and workshops, driving a **30% increase in student engagement**.
- Established **cross-departmental collaborations**, promoting interdisciplinary innovation and knowledge sharing on disruptive technologies.
- Managed the club's **budget and resources**, ensuring financial transparency and efficiency in funding allocation for events and research initiatives.

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## PROJECTS

### T20 Commentary Analysis in Python | ([GitHub Link](#))

- This project analyzes ball-by-ball T20 cricket commentary to generate **insights, visualizations, and predictions**.
- It combines **NLP, statistics, and machine learning** to produce CricViz-style analytics and automated match reports.

### E-Commerce Data Analysis in SQL | ([GitHub Link](#))

- Designed schema and built SQL queries/reports to analyze sales/customer trends.
- Built dashboards for KPIs, improving decision-making by 25%.

### Library Management Systems | ([GitHub Link](#))

- CLI and GUI systems to track book inventory, borrowing, and fines.
- Increased accuracy of record-keeping by 15% through error handling and validation.

### Secure Authentication System | ([GitHub Link](#))

- Developed login/registration with salted + hashed passwords and session tracking.
- Demonstrated secure backend practices applicable to enterprise web applications.

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## CERTIFICATIONS

- Full Stack React E-Commerce Project – GreatStack (2025)
- JavaScript Fundamentals – GreatStack (2025)
- Microsoft Azure SQL – Microsoft (2025)
- Introduction to Generative AI – Google Cloud (2025)
- IT Help Desk for Beginners – LinkedIn Learning (2025)