# SHIVANI GOWDA

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### **EDUCATION**

**Loyola Marymount University** 

**Amrita School of Engineering** 

Master of Science in Computer and Information Technology, GPA: 3.87/4.0

Los Angeles, CA 08/2021-04/2023

Bengaluru, KA, India

Bachelor of Technology in Electrical and Electronics Engineering, GPA: 3.43/4.0

06/2015-05/2019

### SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C, JavaScript, SQL

Web technologies: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, RDBMS

Tools, frameworks and technologies: React.js, Oracle Database, Jira, Jenkins, Git, Scikit-learn, NumPy,

Linux, Microsoft Excel, Latex, Postman, RedHat OpenShift, Visual Studio code, PyCharm.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## **Loyola Marymount University**

Graduate Assistance

Los Angeles, CA 01/2022-present

- Assisting in the creation of the schedule of classes and university catalog.
- Managing Student record by identifying, isolating, preparing, and gathering data.

IBM

Bengaluru, KA, India 12/2019-04/2021

Application Developer

- Raised efficiency above 23% by identifying bottlenecks and removing redundancies in project requirements with suitable rules and fragments in CPQ tool with efficient algorithms.
- Implemented several polices to set promotions/offers that are applied for products based.
- Assisted the team in migrating to RedHat OpenShift platform; provided a secure and easy to use cloud platform.
- Increased the service reliability by 10% by offering effective solutions for crucial defects.
- Led 5 minor releases, which improved quality of the product by avoiding long time wait for the changes and this strengthened our client' trust on our team.

### **PROJECTS**

## **Transfer Learning Approach for Sentiment Classification**

github.com/sgowdaks/sentiment-analysis-using-BERT

Finetuned BERT language model on twitter dataset which proved 10% better accuracy than the Support Vector Machine (SVM) model when trained on same datasets.

### **Online Catering Service**

github.com/sgowdaks/online-catering-service

This web application provides features like seamless navigation, easy and secure sign up which makes it user friendly and reliable, with Apache MySQL PHP (WAMP) server.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Reddy, P. Rampulla, **KS Shivani Gowda**, S. Charitha, and R. Mahalakshmi. "Review and Redesign of Pedal Energy-Solar Power Augmented Hybrid Bicycle." In *2020 Third International Conference on Smart Systems and Inventive Technology (ICSSIT)*, pp. 376-380. IEEE, 2020.

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