# Sai Durga Shashidhar Pothukuchi

#### **Education**

**Master of Science in Computer Science** | *University of South Florida* C.G.P.A – 4

August 2022 - Present

**Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science** | *MECS, Osmania University* C.G.P.A - 3.79 (WES accredited)

June 2020

# **Work Experience**

#### **Graduate Research Assistant | University of South Florida**

December 2023 - Present

• Research on Aspect-based Sentiment Analysis for generating better prompts.

#### Full Stack Developer | Cognizant — Chennai, India

November 2020 - June 2022

- Contributed to software development for a major US-based pharmaceutical company, resolved production defects and critical issues, reducing 30% of overall defects.
- Proficient in utilizing Java11, Spring Boot, React, Node.js, and various front-end technologies to deliver high-quality solutions.
- Adept at implementing microservice architecture, leveraging cloud technologies such as Azure and Kubernetes for deployment. specializing in the end-to-end development of web and enterprise applications.
- Experienced in applying modern Java features, conducting unit testing, and contributing to Azure CI/CD pipelines, ensuring the robustness and scalability of software applications.

### SDE Intern | Cognizant — Hyderabad, India

January 2020 - April 2022

• Worked on C#, .NET, SQL, Web development completing coding challenges and internship project.

#### Intern | ECIL

June 2019 – July 2019

• Worked on Aadhar based online voting system built on JSP, MySQL, and Bootstrap. Project Link.

#### **Technical Skills**

Languages: Java, Python, C, C++, JavaScript, SQL, NodeJs

Tools and Frameworks: Spring Boot, Spring MVC, Angular, React, Maven, Gradle

Frontend: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript

Databases: MySQL, PostgreSQL, Cassandra, MongoDB, Microsoft SQL Server

Cloud Platforms: Azure DevOps, Azure API Management, AWS EC2, AWS Code Pipeline, GitHub, Docker,

Kubernetes, Jira

**Development Tools:** Jenkins, Putty, XML, SOAP

IDE Tools: Eclipse, Spring Tool Suite, SQL Developer, VSCode

Design Methodologies: Agile, Scrum, MVC Pattern

**Operating Systems:** Windows, Linux

# **Projects**

#### Robotic Simulation of Object Mixing using Deep Q Learning

• Worked on simulation of mixing objects using Q learning and Deep Q learning network in CoppeliaSim and Python.

#### **Smart Grocery Management Application** | Project Link

- Created a Full-stack application that manages grocery inventory and creates a grocery shopping list. Developed the application, written report, conducted a user survey.
- Technologies used MongoDB, NodeJS, React, Express, React-Bootstrap.

#### Aspect-Based Sentiment Analysis Using Machine Learning | Project Link

- Used scraped Amazon reviews to obtain aspect-based sentiment of desired product on Amazon website which can be selected using either id, name, or URL.
- Technologies used NLTK, Flask, NodeJS, React, Material-UI.

# Achievements/Responsibilities

- Certifications NPTEL Programming, Data Structures and Algorithms Using Python.
- Social Media Head Served for Matrusri Campus Connect at MECS.