SHREY SHAH

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Country Financial | Urbana, USA

Software Engineer II

May 2024 — Present

- Engineered GitLab pipelines for API testing, automating 50+ data flows, cutting test runtime 40% via parallel execution
- Boosted UI regression test coverage by 75% through a Python script leveraging Robot Framework

Software Engineer Co-op

Jan 2024 — May 2024

- Managed a team of 4 to implement modern secure image registry solutions using **Docker**, **GitLab**, and **Azure Registry**
- Pioneered a GitLab pipeline for image vulnerability scanning and alerting, enhancing compliance and system security
- Designed and developed a WCAG-compliant Angular/Spring Boot single-page application, reducing policy review times by 25% for the underwriting team

Yahoo | Champaign, USA

Software Engineer Intern II

May 2023 — Aug 2023

- Reduced manual effort by 70% through Python CLI automation of AWS EMR cluster deployment using Boto3 SDK
- Boosted productivity by 35% leveraging AWS services (S3, EC2, VPC) and crafted CloudFormation templates for IAM roles
- Transformed manual verification process, cutting time from 10+ minutes to 30 seconds with intuitive feedback system
- Orchestrated large-scale deployment by developing a Chef recipe for agent installation across 50,000+ Hadoop hosts

Barclays | Pune, India

Software Engineer

Jul 2019 — Jul 2022

- Drove OpenShift v4 migration for payment inquiry service, achieving 20% reduction in pod start time and compliance
- Architected high-performance REST APIs with Spring Web, attaining 80% code coverage through robust JUnit testing
- Built a Java/Spring Boot payment validation service, delivering 10x performance boost using Kafka, microservices, and multithreading in an Agile environment
- Enabled workload virtualization to VMs and configuration management via Chef to facilitate resiliency and horizontal scaling
- Optimized SQL query performance by 25% and decreased debugging time by 30% through AppDynamics observability and Elasticsearch log monitoring
- Elevated CI/CD pipelines with Jenkins and Shell scripts enabling streamlined builds and 1-click deployments
- Mentored 40+ team members on Chef technology while collaborating with Level 2 team for seamless production releases

Intern Analyst

May 2018 — Jul 2018

- Formulated 6 critical test scenarios for trade booking models, lowering defects by 10% using JUnit and TDD
- Programmed a Java module for trading utility, enabling interconversion of 9 message types and simplifying data fields

SKILLS

Languages: Java, Python, SQL, Ruby, Shell, JavaScript, HTML/CSS

Frameworks: Spring Boot, Angular, Django, REST, Scrum AI/ML: Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, Keras, NLTK, OpenCV

DevOps: Git, Chef, Jenkins, GitLab, OpenShift, Docker

Databases: Oracle, MSSQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Neo4j

Cloud: Amazon Web Services, Microsoft Azure

Analytics: Excel, R, Tableau, Power BI

Tools: Kafka, Postman, Maven, IDEs, Jira, Confluence

EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA

Master of Science in Information Management — 3.96/4.0

Aug 2022 — May 2024

Sardar Patel Institute of Technology, University of Mumbai, India

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering — 3.89/4.0

Jul 2015 — May 2019

PROJECTS & PUBLICATIONS

Collaboration [Link]

Aug 2024 — Present

• Developed a real-time code collaboration platform using **React.js**, Node.js, Express.js, and WebSockets, enabling developers to share, edit, and sync code efficiently

Vogue Vaani [Link]

Jun 2023 — Aug 2023

Modeled a Streamlit application to recommend top 5 fashion items using ResNet50 for image classification, achieving 0.88 F1-score with OpenCV-driven image augmentation on a 44K+ image dataset

Leetcode Problem Search Application [Link]

Apr 2023 — May 2023

• Created a Django web app for Leetcode problem retrieval with 200ms response time. Secured CRUD operations via role-based access control on AWS RDS (Aurora PostgreSQL), for high availability and 99.99% uptime

Wireless IoT based Solution for Women Safety in Rural Areas (doi: 10.1109/ICCES45898.2019.9002392)

Feb 2020

LEADERSHIP & VOLUNTEERING

- MS/IM Program Representative: Assisted in course learnings, and student opinions, resulting in 20% increase in engagement
 - Represented Payments Hub Team at Barclays 2022 Tech Expo, showcasing the adoption of microservices architecture
- Guided 80+ students as TA to Prof. Prachi Gharpure, conducting lectures and labs to teach programming concepts