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Software Developer

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I am an earnest **Software Developer** with a perfect blend of the research-oriented and application-oriented portfolio. With years of experience facilitating clean & efficient software, I am currently exploring the realms of HPC and Quantum Computing; *with a cup of coffee, of course.*

## EDUCATION

- 2024 **MS - COMPUTER SCIENCE, San Francisco State University**  
THESIS : *Benchmarking hybrid Classical-Quantum computing interaction models & exploring the associated challenges.*  
COURSE WORK : High-Performance Computing, Quantum Computing, Data Mining, Software Engineering
- 2020 **BE - COMPUTER ENGINEERING, International Institute of Information Technology (SPPU)**  
CAPSTONE : *Satellite data analysis system employing vanilla Neural Networks and Dynamic Time Warping algorithms.*  
COURSE WORK : Machine Learning & AI, Data Analytics, Cloud Computing, Cyber Security

## TECHNICAL PROFICIENCY

**Languages** Python, C/C++, Java, CUDA, TypeScript, Javascript, SQL, R, HTML/CSS, bash.  
**Frameworks** SENSEI, Qiskit, cuQuantum, Frappe, Django, Flask, SvelteJS, NodeJS, MySQL, NoSQL, Redis, Jira.  
**Tools** Git, Tensorflow, PyTorch, Keras, SciPy/NumPy, MPI/OpenMP, Linux, AWS, GCP, Docker/Kubernetes, nginx.

## EXPERIENCE

- 11/2022 - 05/2024  
(1 yr, 6 mos) **Graduate Research Assistantship - SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY**, San Francisco, CA
- Conducted feasibility studies on performing scalable FFT computations “in situ” on HPC platforms leveraging CPU, GPU & Quantum hardware to support scientific data analysis workloads in exascale NERSC projects like WarpX.
  - Collaborated with scientists at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL) to conduct research on Perlmutter (HPE Cray EX supercomputer), achieving a minimum of 10x speedup in computation time compared to traditional methods. Created a novel numerical FFT library for distributed-memory parallel architecture.
- C++ Python High-Performance Computing Massively Parallel Open Source Scientific Computing MPI Cuda Quantum Computing
- 05/2023 - 08/2023  
(3 mos) **SDE Intern - AMAZON WEB SERVICES**, Seattle, WA
- Prototyped a robust & lightweight monitoring service to ensure timely capturing and reporting of critical metrics, guaranteed to enhance service reliability by at least 10% after full-fledged deployment on thousands of live AWS servers worldwide as a part of the AWS CloudFront CDN services’ platform team.
  - Curated live dashboards to provide real-time visibility into at least 70% of all the agents running on servers, empowering the team to actively maintain reliability and diagnose potential issues.
- Python Server-side scripting Dashboarding Scalable Development Clean Coding Unit Tests Agile
- 08/2020 - 07/2022  
(2 yrs) **Software Engineer - ELASTICRUN**, Pune, IN
- Core developer of in-house ERP system to manage large-scale logistics and B2B eCommerce platform and responsible for at least 20% of the entire development workload of the ‘Velocity’ segment of the company.
  - Executed heavy Python-based server-side development and business-focused client-side scripting for progressive web apps in an agile software development environment.
  - Developed an automated testing framework and handled bi-weekly live software deployments with Kubernetes and GitLab-based CI/CD pipelines, acquiring ≈15% improvement in deployment rate and reliability.
- Python TypeScript Frappe Framework PWA SvelteJS Full stack Git CI/CD Technical Documentation
- 03/2018 - 07/2018  
(4 mos) **IoT Specialist Intern - SCMIND LLC**, Princeton, NJ
- Designed and implemented low-level code for IoT-enabled supply chain machinery firmware on Raspberry Pi micro-processor, enabling an 85% decline in unplanned downtime through real-time performance monitoring and sensor-based anomaly detection integrated via cloud pipeline feeding a global PowerBI dashboard.
- Python IoT Supply Chain PowerBI Microsoft Azure AWS Redshift Raspberry Pi Performance Optimized

## NOTABLE EXPERIENCES

- An integral member of the Early-Career Conference Review Board for the ISAV workshop at The Super-Computing conference (SC23), tasked with technical assessment of submitted research papers and complimented it with a noteworthy lightning talk on Scalable FFT project research. | Peer Reviewed Abstract from the conference : <https://arxiv.org/abs/2402.01843>
- Contributor to the Open Source SENSEI Project as a new FFT analysis backed endpoint.
- Led GIS project to perform multi-class image classification on multi-spectral & temporal satellite data employing Deep Learning, Vanilla Neural Networks & signal-matching algorithms yielding over 80% accuracy. Technical collaborations with scientists from Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO), NRSC & Geospatial Design Labs, India.