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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Full Stack Developer — 2x Hackathon Winner — 2x Runner-Up — Smart India Hackathon 2024 Finalist — Open Source Contributor Specializing in the **MERN Stack**, **Next.js**, cloud infrastructures.

Developed **InterviewPrep AI**, an AI-powered platform with **300+ students** using it for AI Driven mock interviews. Completed **400+ DSA problems** and **Open to Relocation**.

EXPERIENCE

Dhruvaatma Technologies

Internship

- Collaborated with industry experts to develop a **Multi-Tenant Import-Export Business SAAS**.
- Designed and managed large-scale relational databases using **SQL**, ensuring efficient data storage and retrieval.
- Performed **CRUD operations** and implemented user-friendly features using **React** for the front-end interface.
- Developed and integrated backend services using **Node.js**, enabling seamless communication between the client and the server.

PROJECTS

InterviewPrep AI — AI Interview Simulation Platform (Full Stack)

[Live Demo](#) // [GitHub](#)

Next.js, Node.js, Firebase, Vapi AI, TailwindCSS, shadcn/ui, Google Gemini

- **Built a voice-driven AI interview platform** that delivers realistic mock interviews with instant, actionable feedback.
- Seamlessly integrated **Vapi AI** and **Google Gemini** to enable personalized, dynamic interview simulations.
- Implemented secure authentication and session flows using **Firebase Authentication**.
- Crafted a sleek, responsive user interface with **TailwindCSS** and modern components from **shadcn/ui**.

OPEN SOURCE CONTRIBUTIONS

Excalidraw: Noticed that the **Toolbar** was taking too much space in **split-screen mode**. Raised an issue and discussed a solution with the core team. Contribution was acknowledged by maintainers.

Forem: Found that while **scheduling posts** did not specifying **timezone or local time**. Created a **React** utility using Moment.js Library to display correct local timezone and timestamps and improved user clarity for better **UX**.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Finalist, **Smart India Hackathon 2024** – Top 1% nationally.
- Interviewed for a **20 LPA** role at Richpanel.
- Cleared tech rounds at **Tracelink** and other product firms.
- Built **InterviewPrep AI** – **300+ active users**.
- Solved **400+ DSA problems** on LeetCode, GFG, and others.
- Ranked **2nd** among 400+ students in Higher Secondary.

SKILLS

- **Programming Languages:** C, C++, Java, JavaScript, SQL, HTML
- **Web Technologies:** React.js, Next.js, Node.js, Express.js, Bootstrap, Tailwind CSS
- **Database:** MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Prisma ORM, SQL
- **Cloud:** AWS, GCP
- **DevOps Tools:** Docker, Kubernetes, Terraform, Git, GitHub, CI/CD (GitHub Actions), Postman
- **Concepts:** System Design, Data Structures, Algorithms, Complexity Analysis, API Testing

EDUCATION

Dr. D.Y. Patil Institute of Technology, Pune
BE in Computer Engineering - CGPA - 9.18

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