TANVIK REDDY KOTHA

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SUMMARY

Full Stack Developer with hands-on experience building scalable web and mobile applications using Java, Spring Boot, React.js, React Native, REST APIs, and AWS. Proficient in database design (MySQL, MongoDB), cloud deployment, CI/CD, and secure authentication (JWT, OAuth2). Developed AI-powered health apps and enterprise dashboards, driving user-centric solutions by integrating AI into full stack development.

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Computer Science

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL | May 2025

Relevant Coursework: Database Management Systems, Network Security, Operating Systems, Algorithms, Affective Computing, Smart & Connected Health

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science and Engineering

CVR College of Engineering – JNTUH, Hyderabad, India | May 2023

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures, Java Programming, Web Technologies, Cloud Computing, Artificial Intelligence, Cyber Security, Blockchain

PROJECTS

Personalized Food Rx – AI-Powered Health Chatbot App

Flutter, Dialogflow CX, MongoDB Atlas, OAuth2

- Designed and deployed a cross-platform mobile app for underserved communities, delivering real-time AI-driven nutrition education through Dialogflow CX.
- Built an intuitive chatbot interface in Flutter and implemented secure, token-based API integration using OAuth2, improving response reliability by 40%.
- Architected a modular system enabling scalable future additions like recipe recommendations and food inventory tracking.
- Managed structured health data with MongoDB Atlas, enabling personalized content delivery based on medical conditions and user preferences.
- Published at IEEE SMARTCOMP 2025. [DOI: 10.1109/SMARTCOMP65954.2025.00080]

Art Gallery Store - Full-Stack MERN E-Commerce Platform

React.js, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, JWT, Mongoose, REST APIs

- Architected a secure Node.js/Express RESTful API for full CRUD operations on art listings, defining data models and business logic with Mongoose.
- Implemented end-to-end security using JWT for stateless authentication (with bcrypt hashing) and granular, owner-based authorization to restrict data modification rights to the content creator.
- Developed a dynamic React UI that mirrors backend authorization rules by conditionally rendering action controls based on user ownership, ensuring a secure and intuitive user experience.

FinDash - React Finance Dashboard

React.js, Syncfusion UI, Tailwind CSS, Context API, React Router

- Developed a dynamic and responsive dashboard for personal finance management, integrating 5+ Syncfusion components for complex data visualization including charts, grids, and a calendar.
- Architected a global state management solution using React Context API to manage UI states, effectively eliminating prop drilling and improving component decoupling.
- Implemented security best practices by storing the Syncfusion API key as an environment variable, preventing secret exposure in the public GitHub repository.

PawPal API - Secure Pet Adoption Backend

Java, Spring Boot, Spring Security, JWT, MySQL, H2, REST APIs

- Architected and developed a secure RESTful API for a pet adoption platform, managing pet listings, user authentication, and adoption workflows from end-to-end.
- Secured all endpoints using Spring Security and JWT, implementing Role-Based Access Control (RBAC) to differentiate between Adopter (read/request) and Admin (full CRUD) privileges.
- Structured the application with a clean, layered architecture (Controller, Service, Repository) to ensure high maintainability, scalability, and testability.

PUBLICATIONS

Tanvik Reddy Kotha, Jay Hiteshkumar Jariwala, Anika Anjum, Hannah M. Thomas, Jennifer Bleck, Rita DeBate, John Michael Templeton. *MyFoodRx: Design of a Personalized Food-as-Medicine Application to Promote Food Security and Chronic Disease Management.*

IEEE International Conference on Smart Computing (SMARTCOMP), 2025

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CERTIFICATIONS

- Oracle Certified Professional: Java SE 17 Developer Oracle
- Foundations of Databases for Developers Oracle
- The Complete Full Stack Web Development Bootcamp Udemy
- · React Certification Scrimba
- Software Engineering Job Simulation JP Morgan Chase (Forage)
- AWS Solutions Architect Simulation AWS (Forage)
- AI Fundamentals IBM

SKILLS

- · Languages: Java, JavaScript, SQL, Dart
- Frontend: React.js, React Native, Flutter, Tailwind CSS, SCSS, Bootstrap, Syncfusion UI
- Backend: Spring Boot, Node.js, Express.js, RESTful APIs
- Databases: MySQL, Postgres, MongoDB (Atlas), SQL Server, Firebase Realtime DB
- Auth & Security: Spring Security, JWT, OAuth2, Role-Based Access Control (RBAC)
- · Cloud & DevOps: AWS (EC2, S3, Lambda), CI/CD, Jenkins, GitHub Actions, API Gateway
- **Developer Tools:** Git, IntelliJ, VS Code, Postman, Jira, Confluence
- Testing & Practices: JUnit, Test-Driven Development (TDD), Agile/Scrum