# TIRTH PATEL

## Education

University of Waterloo

Waterloo, ON

Candidate for Bachelors in Computer Science, 3.5 GPA

Sept 2023 - May 2027

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms, Object Oriented Programming, Function, Computer Organization, Multi-variable Calculus, Stastistics

# **Technical Skills**

Languages: Python, C/C++, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Typescript, Bash(Linux), SQL, Swift

**Developer Tools:** VSCode, PyCharm, Git, AWS Redshift, Lambda, EC2, Glue, Sagemaker, MongoDB, Postgres **Frameworks:** PyTorch, SciKit-Learn, Tensorflow, OpenCV, Pandas, Selenium, Flask, React.js, node.js

Experience

# Software Developer

May 2024 - Current

Ontario Ministry of Health - Corporate and IT Solutions Division

Toronto, Ontario

- Incorporated python to create scripts in AWS glue that assisted in the migration of data to redshift clusters.
- Developed a web-app hosted on an EC2 instance, integrating Lambda functions for automated data processing.
- Wrote comprehensive unit tests for multiple scripts, ensuring reliable performance in a production environment.

### Firmware Engineer

January 2024 - Current

University of Waterloo Formula Electric

Waterloo, Ontario

- Created HIL tests using Python to validate electric car components and determine expected behavior.
- Conducted in-depth examination of C firmware code and schematics to identify source variables and functions.
- Worked collaboratively with peers to program an LED panel using an STM32 microcontroller, utilizing C programming.

#### Full Time Volunteer

June 2023 - September 2023

BAPS Akshardham

Robbinsville, New Jersey

- Joined the volunteer force to help build the largest Hindu temple in the world located in New Jersey, built using over 2 million cubic feet of stone, and 300,000 individual stones.
- Helped create a MERN stack inventory web-application that increased efficiency in stone transportation by 40%.
- Worked seamlessly alongside hundreds of other volunteers of varying ages, skill levels and professions.

#### Projects

ForexTrading | Python, Tensorflow, Keras, Sci-Kit Learn, Oanda

- Engineered and trained a **Deep Neural Network binary classification model** on 40,000+ data-points with binary cross-entropy loss and sigmoid activation for Forex market prediction.
- Leveraged grid search with **StratifiedKFold cross-validation** to optimize hyperparameters such as regularization strength and network architecture, resulting in a **3**%+ **improved prediction accuracy**.
- Implemented vectorized and iterative backtesting classes to test 10+ financial strategies on financial instruments.

# TV Reference Cylic Paradox Finder | Python, Typescript, React.js, HTML/CSS

- Utilized TMDB API and a **DFS algorithm** to identify **cylic references** between multiple TV show references.
- Developed a react web application to visualize TV show references and paradoxical connections, **implementing graph** theory to render interactive graphs that reveal the paradoxes.

# Basketball Form Corrector | Python, Sci-Kit Learn, Pandas, Numpy, OpenCV

- Generated, processed and normalized data of the different angles when someone shoots a basketball.
- Created a KNN model from the ground up to classify the most important characteristics of the persons shot.
- Presented an accurate recommendation to the user using statistical analysis based on the determined characteristics.

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- Developed a web-app where the user receives a severity report of what to do based on chosen symptoms that they have.
- Seamlessly implemented Flask for the backend for a max 15 second response time on all queries.
- Used a random forest classifier model trained on a dataset of 5000 symptom classifications to classify the severity.