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## EXPERIENCE

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### Research Intern - Medcaps University | Jun - Jul 2025 | [GitHub](#)

- Architected and built a CNN encoder–decoder + detector for satellite steganography, achieving **99.99% train** and **95.60% cross-domain accuracy**.
- Enabled **256-bit payload embedding** with controlled distortion (PSNR up to 147.16 dB; MSE  $\leq 0.041$ ) and validated stealth robustness through domain-generalized detectability benchmarking (92.5%  $\rightarrow$  50%).

### AI/ML Intern – Edunet Foundation | Apr - May 2025 | [GitHub](#)

- Developed a CNN-based image classifier for forest fire detection (data augmentation, training, evaluation) using binary cross-entropy and Adam optimizer.
- Built a CNN-based forest fire detection model with end-to-end training and evaluation in Google Colab.

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

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### MAKNE - SaaS Platform for Brand–Creator Collaboration - [Live](#) | [GitHub](#)

[ Tech Stack: *Next.js, TypeScript, Node.js, MongoDB, Tailwind CSS, JWT, REST APIs, Render* ]

- Architected and shipped a production-grade SaaS platform supporting 2 user roles and a 3-stage agreement lifecycle implementing milestone-driven execution workflows with strict state validation and structured MongoDB schema design.
- Engineered 40+ JWT-secured RESTful API endpoints with role-based access control (RBAC) and permission-scoped data access, while building a responsive, modular dashboard system enabling end-to-end agreement tracking, milestone submissions, and revision cycles across desktop and mobile environments.

### Noctura - Production-Grade Full-Stack Productivity Platform - [Live](#) | [GitHub](#)

[ Tech Stack: *React, Node.js, Express, MongoDB, JWT, Render* ]

- Architected and shipped a production-grade full-stack productivity platform with 5+ modules and persistent user state across task, habit, Kanban, and calendar workflows.
- Designed 100+ JWT-secured REST APIs with role-based access and structured MongoDB schemas, delivering secure data handling and a fully responsive cross-device UI.

### Anomate Stream - ML-Driven Anomaly Detection for Containerized Systems - [GitHub](#)

[ Tech Stack: *Python, Isolation Forest, Falco, scikit-learn, Pandas, Streamlit* ]

- Designed a 5-stage modular anomaly detection pipeline for container runtime security using Falco-mimic system call logs, spanning data ingestion, preprocessing, ML inference, visualization, and deployment in a unified workflow.
- Trained an unsupervised Isolation Forest model (100 trees, 10% contamination) on encoded syscall, CPU, and memory features, achieving 94.6% accuracy, 91.2% precision, and 90.3% F1-score, and integrated results into a Streamlit dashboard for log uploads, anomaly labeling, and exportable analysis.

## EDUCATION

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| • <b>Bachelor of Technology - Computer Science Engineering</b> | <b>2022-2026 (pursuing)</b> |
| Medi-Caps University, Indore                                   | Indore, India               |
| • <b>CBSE XII [Aggregate: 87.6%]</b>                           | <b>2021-2022</b>            |
| SICA S.S. School, Indore                                       | Indore, India               |

## SKILLS

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**Frontend:** Next.js, React.js, Tailwind, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, UI Component Libraries, Responsive UI Design

**Backend:** Node.js, Express.js, REST APIs, JWT-based Authentication, Firebase

**Databases & Tools:** MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Redis, Git/GitHub, Postman, Docker, GitHub Actions

## ACHIEVEMENTS

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- **Hack'Nore (National Hackathon)** | Top 100 teams nationwide for building and presenting a functional prototype.
- **Re-Imagine (National Frontend Hackathon)** | Top 800 teams nationwide for UI implementation.