

# Vatsal Agrawal

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## EDUCATION

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### Indian Institute of Technology Delhi

Master of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering; **GPA: 9.125**

**GATE CSE AIR: 157**

New Delhi, India

July 2021 – July 2023

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** Python, C, Java, Node.Js, Go, SQL, NoSQL

**System:** AWS, Azure, Redis, Kafka, Kubernetes, VMware

**Tools:** Docker, TeamCity, Harness, Jenkins

**Others:** Flask, YOLO, JPA, Terraform, React

## EXPERIENCE

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### AppDynamics

Software Engineer - Project Lead

Bengaluru, India

Jan. 2025 – Present

- **Renewals Support:** Led a **3-engineer** team across 2 time zones, driving **4 multi-million-dollar** renewals by delivering OpenTelemetry, Authn/Authz, and OpenShift features in the K8 VM Cluster.
- **Lossless Migration:** Designed a **TB-scale** MySQL migration service with **zero**-downtime cutover, retiring the monolith system, and reducing infra spend by **18%**.
- **Reliability:** Reduced VM image size by **36%** and resolved **42%** of customer defects by optimizing OS and infra packaging with monitoring pipelines for a distributed system.

### Software Engineer

July 2023 – Jan. 2025

- **Snapshot Ingestion:** Scaled distributed tracing throughput **5x (40K → 200K spans/min)** and cut **latency 14%** by migrating to stateless Kafka/Redis architecture with real-time cache invalidation using Spring Batch Poller.
- **Usage-Based Billing:** Drove scalable monetization of observability data by developing Kafka-driven Flask services with **HA** TimeScaleDB.
- **Cloud-Agnostic:** Consolidated serverless and cloud-native deployments into microservices, cutting redundant codebases and infra costs **24%** via unified SDK and self-managed Nginx and MySQL.
- **Unified Cloud-SDK:** Developed multi-language SDKs (Python, Node, Java) standardizing APIs across AWS/Azure; unlocking seamless migration with on-prem systems.
- **CI/CD:** Reduced AWS Dev-Cloud costs by **12%** by automating a localstack-based test framework and accelerated build cycles by **70%** through parallelized VM image creation.

## ACHIEVEMENTS

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- **Recognitions:**
  - Earned multiple internal awards at AppDynamics for critical on-time deliveries and cross-time-zone leadership.
  - Awarded **Outstanding Teaching Assistant** at IIT Delhi.
- **Industry Deployment:** Deployed a production-ready React + Flask system at AIIMS Delhi for diabetic retinopathy trial, streamlining patient data capture, fundus image uploads, and disease progression tracking for hundreds of patients
- **Research Publications:**
  - Published **NetraDeep (ACM'24)**, a hybrid YOLO + image processing model for retinal HE segmentation, achieving **93.3%** accuracy on **limited** labeled/unlabeled datasets.
  - Authored **NetraVeins (Scitepress'23)**, a hierarchical retinal vessel tree classification and ordering algorithm with MATLAB, OpenCV, UNet, and GAN models, achieving **90%+** accuracy.
- **Top Academic Projects:** Haskell lexer/parser (1st of 158), C thread library (4th of 98), NLP-based cipher breaker (9th of 211)