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# **EDUCATION**

# Bachelor of Engineering (Information Technology),

Rungta College of Engineering and Technology ∂

2013 - 2017 | Bhilai, India

#### **COURSES**

Unreal Engine 5 C++ Multiplayer Shooter, Udemy ∂ By Stephen Ulibarri

Mastering Multithreading Programming with Go (Golang),

Udemy ∂ By James Cutajar

**Microservices Workshop,** Coffeebeans Consulting LLP

**Android Application Development,** Skyfi Labs

# **PERSONAL PROJECTS**

#### Decimated,

Online Game - ZYKOTEK

Trailer 🔗

A side-scrolling shooter with a rich storyline featuring mutants, mercenaries, and a virus outbreak. Developed using **Adobe Flash CS3** with ActionScript/Js, and designed/animated with

Photoshop, Blender, and Flash animation tools. The game won Student Game of the Year at the NASSCOM Gaming Forum Awards 2014 in Pune, India, and was licensed for publishing and branding by BubbleBox.com Ø (US).

As **ZYKOTEK**, I have developed and released multiple other games independently before and since.

#### **PROFILE**

Experienced and Passionate Software Engineer with 8+ years of experience in translating business requirements and functional specification into performant solutions, specializing in Backend (GoLang, NodeJs, .NET), Frontend (React, Angular, Js) Development. Worked extensively on a large variety of technologies and with cross-functional teams in game studios, start-ups and large corporations demonstrating adaptability and versatility. Further developing skills in C++ & Unreal Engine.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Programmer, Sumo Digital Ltd 🔗

Nov 2022 - Mar 2025 | Pune/Bangalore, India

**Implemented and Refactored Backend systems & tools** for two unannounced cross-platform games, focusing on Ranked PVP/PVE systems, ELO/Rating calculations, matchmaking, rewards, telemetry, and LiveOps tooling.

## Unannounced Sports/Soccer Game (2K Games):

- **Designed and Developed Backend services/APIs** for Ranked Mode: ELO/Rating calculations, reward distribution (daily/monthly/seasonal), and player state management.
- Hooked up various implemented systems with the game's Client and Server flows (C++).
- **Developed** currency, store, and wallet related **services**.
- Ported legacy matchmaking ELO system on the client and server.
- Implemented debugging cheats/APIs for modifying player state and match outcomes.

#### Unannounced Platformer/Co-op/Team Game (Tencent Games):

- **Designed and Implemented ELO/Rating services** for multiple game modes (Solo, FFA, Team), with layered, tweakable player state structures.
- Developed and integrated Telemetry custom and event driven services using Redis and Player KV Data.
- Upgraded matchmaking to support cross-platform pools.
- **Built LiveOps Tools** for syncing player data related templates/schemas and versioned definitions.

# **Additional Contributions:**

- Integrated above services with a Live Data System for real-time parameter tuning alongside extensive test coverage.
- Created Debug UI elements and systems for Ratings and Telemetry in Unreal Engine.
- Implemented live/title data versioning based on platform, region, and sandbox.
- Worked with the DevOps team to **develop deployment pipelines** for cloud services.
- **Investigated** various libraries, platforms and related software before implementation/integration.

**Tech Used: GoLang, .Net Core (C#), C++**, Python, **Unreal Engine**, ImGUI, **NodeJs**, **Redis**, Google Cloud, **Perforce**, **Azure DevOps**, **Docker** and, Proprietary Tools, Cloud Services/DB & Engines

# Senior/Lead Engineer - Shoptype - E-commerce platform,

CoffeeBeans Consulting LLP 🔗

Sep 2020 - Oct 2022 | Bangalore, India

- Led feature development across Frontend and Backend on a community-powered network marketplace enabling shopping, content sharing, and revenue generation for various user groups (shoppers, influencers, brands, etc.).
- Handled team management, and planning of new features with timelines based on research.
- Hands-on experience with microservices, third-party integrations (Shopify, WooCommerce, Widget development and integration), CRON jobs, and Fintech components (Ledgers, Wallets, Payment Gateways), performance optimizations and DevOps.
- Tech Used: GoLang, Apache Kafka, Neo4j, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, React, Redux, Typescript, GraphQL, Kubernetes, Jenkins, NodeJs, Javascript, Elastic Email & Search, Git, JIRA, AWS, Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins, HTML5, CSS, SEO

# Dodgket, PC Game

A full-fledged rocket dodging game developed entirely using C++ for my Senior Secondary School project which made use of classes, data file handling for storing/retrieving/manipulating scores and real time rendered animated graphics.

GetMeThat, Mobile App
Developed a multi-platform
mobile app (iOS and Android)
using NativeScript, Angular,
and Bing APIs that identifies
objects from photos (e.g., car
make/model) and lists nearby
stores selling them. Won 2nd
place in an organization-wide
hackathon.

Postonaut, VSCode Extension
Developed an open-source
REST client extension for
Visual Studio Code, inspired by
Postman, featuring a graphical
interface for making and
testing API calls. Includes a
history module for saving and
viewing requests/responses.
Built with AngularJS.

#### **INTERESTS**

Game Development, Travelling, Guitars, Vocals, Audio Engineering, Competitive Gaming, The Cosmos

#### Senior Consultant - R4 - Unibiz Software Solutions Pvt Ltd,

CoffeeBeans Consulting LLP 🔗

Dec 2019 - Aug 2020 | Bangalore, India

- **Developed and maintained** a next-gen, fully configurable Rental Equipment Management Software.
- Led performance optimizations, code refactoring, and implementation of best practices across the application & team.
- Worked on both Frontend and Backend microservices.
- Conducted deep analysis to identify and resolve bottlenecks, memory leaks, and inefficient code, resulting in 150-200% faster Backend API and Frontend performance.
- Tech Used: .NET Core (C#), React, Redux (Sagas), NGINX, NodeJS, Javscript, Typescript, MongoDB, Redis, Docker, Kubernetes, Git, JIRA, Visual Studio Profiler, JMeter, Jaeger Tracing

## Senior Consultant - WRU - Recommendation Engine,

CoffeeBeans Consulting LLP 🔗

2020 | Bangalore, India

- **Developed responsive article widgets** for WRU.ai, an advanced recommendation engine which works based on user behavior and product attributes.
- Contributed to Backend tasks including bug fixes, maintenance, and refactoring.
- Tech Used: GoLang, JavaScript, ReactJS, NodeJS

**Senior Engineer - Gurukul - LMS,** CoffeeBeans Consulting LLP *⊗* 2020 | Bangalore, India

 Designed, developed, deployed and maintained a Learning Management System (LMS) MVP independently from scratch, using Angular, NodeJs, Typescript, SQLite, Git with integrations with YouTube playlists and third-party LMS platforms.

**Senior Engineer - Travelogixx - Cox and Kings Ltd,** *Technovert/Tezo 9* Jun 2019 - Nov 2019 | Mumbai, India

- **Developed Web Experience Management application** for Cox & Kings Ltd, enabling reservations for flights, trains, buses, and hotels/packages.
- Integration of Microsoft Dynamics CRM to handle leads, customer interactions and reservations management
- Worked with Microservices built around the Helix Architecture (Sitecore) and various Frontend tasks and optimizations.
- Coordinated cross-team communication and task management/breakdown.
- Tech Used: .NET (C#), WebAPI, Redis, ASP.NET MVC 5, Sitecore, MySQL, AngularJS, Typescript, Javascript, jQuery, HTML5, CSS, IIS, Git

Full Stack Developer - Keka - HRMS, Keka ⊘

Dec 2018 - May 2019 | Hyderabad, India

- Led the implementation of a new responsive Angular 7 based Frontend codebase for Keka (A Human Resource Management and Payroll software), including customization features like themes and widgets.
- **Developed key modules** for the Engage feature (timeline, announcements, polls, and articles).
- Migrated the Performance Management System from AngularJS/JavaScript to a modern stack.
- Tech Used: .NET (C#), WebAPI, MySQL, Azure CosmosDB, Angular JS, Angular 7, Typescript, HTML5, CSS, SASS, Git

Full Stack Developer - KekaHire - ATS, Keka/Technovert/Tezo @

Jun 2017 - Nov 2018 | Hyderabad, India

- Led Development of a comprehensive Applicant Tracking System from scratch, migrating a legacy AngularJS MVP to Angular 4 (Typescript) with a complete Frontend and Backend overhaul for scalability and maintainability.
- **Implemented key features** such as resume parsing, CRON jobs, advanced role management, LinkedIn integration, interview scheduling, and email templating.
- Stepped up as the Lead when needed and handled DevOps tasks.
- Tech Used: .NET (C#), WebAPI, ASP.NET MVC 5, MySQL, Angular 4-7, Azure CosmosDB, HTML5, CSS (SASS/SCSS), Bootstrap 4, TypeScript, jQuery, Git, IIS