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SKILLS

- **Analytical Focus** : Hypothesis Testing, Machine Learning Models, Data Mining, Dimensional Modeling
- **Programming Languages** : Python, SQL/NoSQL, PostgreSQL, PHP, React, HTML/CSS
- **Software/Tools** : Jupyter Notebook, PyTorch, GIT, Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins, Terraform, VS Code
- **Libraries** : Pandas, Polars, Cython, PySpark, Seaborn, Scikit-learn, Numpy, BeautifulSoup4, FastAPI
- **Frameworks** : Django, SQLAlchemy, Flask, WordPress, Bootstrap5, Tailwind
- **Servers** : AWS, Azure, GCP, Cloudways, cPanel/WHM, Apache
- **Development Methods** : Agile(Scrum, Kanban), Test-Driven Development (TDD)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Python Application Developer

May 2023 - Present

Contract | [Marsh McLennan](#) | London, England, United Kingdom

- Developed a new integration solution for Finance Systems using Python and RESTful APIs in the MMC FIS team.
- Used **NLP models** like Logistic Regression, Random Forest, SVM and Neural Networks to process the data files and do document classification, demonstrating proficiency in machine learning techniques.
- Preprocessed and cleaned the raw data for modeling by applying techniques like tokenization, stemming, lemmatization, stop-word removal, and feature engineering.
- Utilised embedding models like **Word2Vec, Doc2Vec & BERT** to represent the textual data in a high-dimensional vector space, capturing the semantic and syntactic relationships between words and documents.
- Built, trained, and fine-tuned various ML models to achieve high accuracy in document classification tasks.
- Evaluated the performance of the models using metrics like accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score, and confusion matrix.
- Visualized the data and model's results using tools like **Matplotlib** and **Seaborn** to gain insights and make informed decisions.
- Used FastAPI framework and SQLAlchemy for developing RESTful APIs and Postgres relational database backend.
- Demonstrated excellent problem-solving skills and the ability to think laterally.

AI Python Engineer (Machine Learning)

June 2022 - Feb 2023

Part-time Contract | [Solelyweb](#) | London, England, United Kingdom

- Developed a web based E-commerce platform using Python & synchronized it with Amazon platform using Amazon API, demonstrating experience in **Microservices**, optimisation & Cloud, Distributed systems etc.
- Utilised **PyTorch, SciKit, Numpy & Pandas** libraries and **neural network** techniques to develop predictive models using time-series analysis to predict product prices and sales trends, resulting in improved inventory management and increased revenue.
- Utilized **K-means clustering algorithms** to segment customers based on their purchasing behavior and preferences, resulting in targeted marketing campaigns and improved customer engagement.
- Developed ML models to predict the likelihood of product returns and reduce the number of returns, resulting in improved profitability and reduced operational costs.
- Designed & implemented **CI/CD pipelines** using feature toggling for ML models to enable rapid iteration & deployment while ensuring code quality and reproducibility, ensuring a smooth workflow and continuous delivery of high-quality products.
- Implemented **Unit Testing** and followed the TDD approach to guarantee code quality for high-performance server-side applications catering to millions of regular users worldwide.

- Followed the **TDD** approach and implemented unit testing for high-performance server-side applications catering to millions of regular users worldwide, ensuring code quality and reliability.
- Leveraged containerization and container orchestration technologies such as **Docker, Terraform & AWS EC2** to automate the ecommerce tech stack, resulting in reduced errors, improved customer satisfaction, and saved time.
- Implemented **AWS IAM, IAM, and IAM** for secure access control and privileged access management.
- Leveraged **Kubernetes** features like auto-scaling and rolling deployments for efficient resource utilization and zero downtime deployments, resulting in improved performance and resilience.
- Gained deeper business insights for forecasting and demand planning with efficient management & communicated effectively with stakeholders for a better understanding of their requirements.
- **Technologies Used:** Python, Django, FastAPI, SQLAlchemy, MySQL, GIT, Docker, Kubernetes, Machine Learning

Senior Full Stack Developer

April 2015 - Aug 2021

Permanent | [White Way Web](#) | Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India

- **Leadership:** Supervised a team of 5+ junior web and mobile application developers.
- Provided mentorship and code review for junior developers while leading architectural sessions and participating in interviewing processes to ensure team productivity and maintain code quality.
- **Communication:** Worked for a French client and discussed various options on video calls to make sure projects meet their business requirements. Provided technical support to high-level clients regarding technology stack.
- **Automation:** Automated the deployment of **AWS IaaS environments** using Terraform scripting.
- Performed testing, optimisation and maintenance of IaaS web application in an AWS environment.
- Worked proactively in all aspects of the project: Development, Production Incident resolution, change requests and enhancements & deployment.
- **Technologies Used:** Python, Django, Flask, FastAPI, SQLAlchemy, MySQL, GIT, Docker, Terraform, AWS, VS Code

Full Stack Web Developer

April 2012 - March 2015

Permanent | [White Way Web](#) | Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India

- **Organisational Skill:** Managed and developed websites for global clients from USA, Canada, Europe and Australia while maintaining consistent feel and brand awareness.
- Created web services(API) for mobile application development and sync it with web based platforms.
- **Technical Skill:** Worked at coding level in order to customize various web based portals and their addons.
- **Technologies Used:** Developed web portals using core PHP, MySQL, Ajax, HTML, CSS, AWS, Cloudways

Junior Web developer

Sep 2010 - March 2012

Permanent | [JoomlaVogue](#) | Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India

- Consulted with clients to develop & document the initial requirements. Prepared mock-ups, storyboards and developed Website architecture & determined hardware & software requirements. Responsible for production, testing, and staging environments.
- **Technologies Used:** PHP, Wordpress, Joomla, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, Git, Photoshop, Dreamweaver, Filezilla, VPS, Dedicated Servers.

Projects: Below websites are live examples of my contributions

- ❖ **Summarizer :** <https://whitewayweb-ai-summariser.streamlit.app/>
 - Technology: Python, Machine Learning (spaCy NLP Model), FastAPI, BeautifulSoup4, Scrapy, Git
 - Description: An API service for customers. The service will be one which makes it easier for people to quickly get the gist of an article, without having to read the whole thing.
 - Role: Responsible for scrapping the plain text using **Beautifulsoup4/Scrapy** library from the web page and summarizing the web page text using the **spaCy NLP model**. Created API service using **FastAPI** for customers for easier access to summarized text.
- ❖ **Detector :** <https://whitewayweb-object-detector.streamlit.app/Yolo>

- Technology: Python, Machine Learning (YOLO), CV2, Streamlit, Git
 - Description: An API service for customers. The service will be one which makes it easier for people to quickly get the gist of an article, without having to read the whole thing.
 - Role: Prepared the dataset, loaded the YOLO model using **OpenCV's DNN** (Deep Neural Network) module, trained and fine-tuned the **YOLO** model, tested the model on new data, and deployed the model in a production environment on **streamlit**, used **Git** for version control.
- ❖ **Neutrino** : <https://wedesk.whitewayweb.in/>
- Technology: Python (Django), MySQL, Ajax, Bootstrap5.
 - Description: Neutrino is an eCommerce inventory and order management software that helps retailers automate key processes, reduce costs and grow their business.
 - Role: Responsible for developing a portal to connect, automate and manage all the ecommerce operations from one centralized location.
- ❖ **Scrapper** : <https://github.com/alpeshkumar9/Car-model-Scrapper>
- Technology: Jupyter Notebook, Python, Machine Learning Models, BeautifulSoup
 - Description: Scrapped the car data using BeautifulSoup library. Performed the machine learning model analysis on the scraped data to further analysis.
- ❖ **DataGoz**: <https://datagoz.com>
- Technology: PHP (Codeigniter), MySQL, Ajax, Bootstrap.
 - Description: Datagoz an online courses portal provides a complete hands-on learning experience to students. Improves digital literacy, empower teams with essential skills, & re-skill talent for in-demand jobs.
 - Role: Responsible for building and maintaining the database, server, and business logic behind a website. Handled the integration between the front and back end of the portal.

EDUCATION

- ❖ **Royal Holloway, University of London, UK** 🌐 **Sep 2021 - Sep 2022**
- Master of Science - MS, Artificial Intelligence | Grade – Merit (68.5%)
- Developed, validated & effectively evaluated techniques such as clustering, Regression, Decision Trees & Neural Networks. Able to implement & apply ML algorithms such as KNN, Random Forests..
 - Generated insights from large datasets which helps in generating further strategies.
 - Deep understanding of autonomous intelligent systems(AISs) principles & techniques. Familiar with Knowledge representation, Propositional Reasoning & engineering techniques based on formal logic. Tackled autonomous decision-making techniques like Markov Decision Processes.
 - Gained an understanding of Pytorch tensors, automatic differentiation, the computational graph and constructed a first neural network.
 - Familiar with gradient descent & RMSProp, Overfitting & regularisation, CNN, Siamese Networks.
 - **Relevant coursework**: Data Analysis, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Deep Learning, NLP,
- ❖ **Jodhpur Institute of Engineering and Technology** 🌐 **2006 - 2010**
- Bachelor of Technology - BTech, Computer Engineering | Grade – First Class (72%)
- ❖ **LakshmiPat Singhania School** 🌐 **2006**
- GCSE : English, Computer Science, Maths, Physics, Chemistry | Grade – First Class (75%)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Languages Known : English, Hindi (Native)
- Other Tools : MS Office Suite, VS Code, Photoshop, Filezilla
- Relocation : Ready to relocate
- Hobbies & Interests : Basketball, Chess, Walking, Travel

I hereby solemnly declare that the above-furnished information is true to the best of my knowledge & belief.

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