Munavar Hussain

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EDUCATION

Virginia Tech

Falls Church, Virginia

Masters in Computer Science; GPA 3.7

Jan 2024 - Dec 2025

SKILLS

Programming: Java, Python, C/C++, SQL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS.

Frameworks: React, jQuery, Node.js, Express.js, Spring, Spring Boot, REST API's, Material-UI, RapidAPI, Tailwind CSS, PyTorch/TensorFlow, Scikit-learn, Next.js, Docker, LangChain, Matplotlib, Numpy, Pandas, DOM.

Developer Tools: Git, Jupyter, MySQL, PostgreSQL, VS Code, Visual Studio, MongoDB, IntelliJ, Jira, Eclipse,

Android Studio, Postman, Rapid API, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft PowerPoint, Dockers, Stack Overflow.

Other: AWS, React Native Mobile Apps, Data Structures, System Design, Agile Development.

EXPERIENCE

Homecation

Software Engineer Intern

Jan 2025 - Present

 $Gainesville,\ FL,\ USA$

- Collaborated as part of a student development team to design and build a university-focused software product using
 modern technologies, including Java, Python, PostgreSQL, and AI tools like GitHub Copilot and Claude
 API.
- Contributed to frontend and backend development, feature implementation, and cloud deployment with AWS,
 while gaining hands-on startup experience and shaping product decisions. Developed strong team collaboration
 skills, enhanced AI-driven software engineering expertise, and delivered impactful solutions aligned with
 user needs.

Software Development Engineer

Aug 2021 - Nov 2023

Tata Consulting Services; Client: ICICI Bank

Hyderabad, India

- Developed and deployed new features for the InstaBizz mobile application, including Pay to Contacts, Home Loans, and Fund Transfers, contributing to a 20% increase in user engagement and surpassing 5M+ app store downloads.
- Engineered scalable RESTful APIs using Java, Spring Framework, and AWS services (Lambda, RDS), ensuring seamless performance across multiple environments.
- Tested with **Postman**, debugged logs on **Linux** servers, and optimized **MySQL** operations, reducing query response times by **30%**. Ensured seamless deployment by implementing test scenarios and leveraging **GitHub** for **CI/CD** pipelines.

Full Stack Intern Dec 2019 – Apr 2020

Smart Interviews Hyderabad, India

- Worked as a Full Stack Intern at Smart Interviews, where I utilized the **MERN** stack.
- Developed API's using Express is and used Handlebars and tested with tools like Postman and Mocha.
- Incorporated authentication with PassportJs and JSON Web Token(JWT), along with email automation using Nodemailer.

Projects

Inventory Management Dashboard - AWS

• Developed and deployed a full-stack web application using Next.js, Node.js, Redux Toolkit, PostgreSQL with Prisma, and AWS services (RDS, EC2, API Gateway, Amplify, S3), featuring a responsive UI and optimized state management with Redux Toolkit Query.

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• Developed a full-stack MERN application with JWT authentication and TMDB API integration, featuring a machine learning-powered recommendation engine (Python, Sklearn, NLTK, Cosine Similarity) for personalized movie suggestions and a responsive, user-centric design.

CS-5244 - React Bookstore ☑

• Designed and prototyped a high-fidelity UI in Figma, implemented with React.js using React Router, hooks, and context, and developed a Java backend with Jakarta EE and Eclipse Jersey for RESTful APIs, optimizing data storage with DAO, JDBC, and MySQL.