# LEELA SRIJA ALLA

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#### **EDUCATION**

University at Buffalo, SUNY

# Masters in Computer Science (AI/ML track)

Relevant Coursework: Operating Systems, Computer Security, Analysis of Algorithms, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Natural Language Processing, Data Models and Query Languages, Data Intensive Computing, Computer Vision University of Hyderabad, India

# Integrated Masters in Technology, Computer Science

- Publication: Opinion Maximization in Signed Social Networks Using Centrality Measures and Clustering Techniques
- Research Assistant: Collaborated with Dr. Anjeneya Swami in developing heuristic algorithms with existing diffusion models in Social Network Analysis.

### **SKILLS & OTHER**

Languages: C, Java, Python, JavaScript, PHP, HTML, CSS, Shell Scripting; Frameworks: TensorFlow, Django, Flask, Scikit-learn, NetworkX, Keras, PyTorch, Hadoop, Langchain, ReactJS, TypeScript, Node.js, Ruby on Rails; Databases: MySQL, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Scala, Pinecone; Technologies/Environments: Unix/Linux, Windows, CI/CD, AWS EC2, SageMaker, Docker, Azure, Agile Scrum, Kubernetes, Git, Latex, Tableau, Microsoft Suite

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### Senior AI Engineer Intern, Flow, New York

- Developed backend for Flow's corporate website **end-to-end** using **Django**, including designing the architecture.
- Connected backend services to Salesforce CRM for efficient business management. Contributed to creating responsive landing and support pages using **ReactJS**, ensuring a seamless user experience.

Tech Stack: ReactJS, Django, Node.js, Scrum, Python, HTML, TailWind CSS, JavaScript, Docker, Kubernetes, Selenium

### Software Engineer, DKube, Hyderabad

- Enhanced DKube UI using ReactJS and TypeScript, reducing model deployment time of ML models by 9%.
- Optimized backend with Node.js and Fast API, improving API response times by 20%, and increasing server performance.
- Implemented CI/CD with Jenkins, automating Docker image creation and zero-downtime deployments on Kubernetes.
- Integrated **Prometheus and Grafana** for monitoring, enhancing early issue detection and system performance reliability.

Tech Stack: ReactJS, TypeScript, Fast API, Python, Node.js, Express.js, Docker, Kubernetes, Prometheus, Grafana, Linux, AWS EC2, Jenkins, Jira

#### Full Stack Web Developer (Intern), Jindal Trading Co., Delhi

- Headed e-commerce platform overhaul using **ReactJS**, and **PostgreSQL**, boosting daily traffic by 21% and sales by 15%. •
- Incorporating unit testing with Jest and end-to-end testing with Cypress, enhancing code quality and reducing bugs.
- Established **CI/CD pipelines** with **Jenkins** and **Docker**, boosting development efficiency and ensuring seamless integration.
- Led a team of 4 developers, managing milestones and delegating tasks to ensure project success and business growth. Tech Stack: ReactJS, PostgreSQL, Cypress, Docker, Linux, Jest, Jenkins

#### PROJECTS

- Patient-Centric AI Health Assistant with Knowledge Graph (RAG)(Langchain, PostgreSQL, Django) Sep 2023 - Oct 2023
  - Built a health-focused chatbot using **OpenAI's LLM** and **Django**, where patient data in **PostgreSQL** is used for interactions about their conditions and treatment plans.
  - Integrated Neo4j for a knowledge graph, enabling efficient retrieval of patient-specific data. Leveraged Langchain and Graph RAG to dynamically query relevant information, enhancing response accuracy and continuity.

#### Personalized LinkedIn Bot using Gen AI (Selenium, Gemini AI)

- Developed and deployed a personalized AI chatbot using Google's Gemini 1.0 Pro LLM and AI studio, fine-tuning the model with my WhatsApp conversations.
- Automated the bot to reply to comments on a LinkedIn post, mimicking my conversational style for public interaction.

#### Textual Entailment in Clinical Trial Data (PyTorch, Hugging Face)

- Achieved an F1 Score of 72.34 by building multi-evidence NLI model with Clinical Trial Reports for breast cancer treatments.
- Improved numerical reasoning by fine-tuning **DeBERTa-v3**, applying Sebis Pipeline Model and experimented with different BERT models and LLMs.

#### RAG Based Conversational Framework (Langchain, Hugging Face, Pinecone, Streamlit, AWS)

- Engineered Generative AI for academic planning, using Langchain and Pinecone for vector database creation and retrieval.
- Created and deployed a chatbot with Meta Llama-7b-chat-hf LLM on AWS Sagemaker, enhancing query responses using all-MiniLM-L6-v2 sentence transformers.
- Implemented an end-to-end chatbot using **OpenAI** and **Flask, TypeScript** for cost efficiency and performance.

#### **AWARDS**

- Received the Best Student Paper Award in the Intelligent Technology track for my paper titled "Opinion Maximization in Signed Social Networks using Centrality Measures and Clustering Techniques" at the 19th International Conference on **Distributed Computing and Intelligent Technology**
- Winner of UB AI hackathon by Blackstone Launchpad for creating an end-to-end RAG based AI solution for the NPO Lighthouse Medical free clinic.

Oct 2020 - Dec 2020

Mar 2017 - Jul 2022

Aug 2023 - Dec 2024

Mar 2024 - May 2024

Mar 2024 - May 2024

Feb 2024 - Mar 2024

Aug 2024 - Present

Aug 2022 - Apr 2023