Skand Sharma

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EDUCATION

National Institute of Technology, Jamshedpur

BTech Hons. in Electronics and Communication Engineering

- · Member, Literary & Debating Society Organized campus-wide events, curated content, and hosted debates
- Open-source contributor: GirlScript Summer of Code 22, Hacktoberfest 22

PRODUCT SKILLS & TOOLS

NextLeap Product Management Fellowship

Graduated as a Top Fellow from the Fellowship, acquiring the following skills

- Problem Framing, User Research, Wireframing, UX/UI Principles, Defining & Analyzing Metrics, System Design, SQL
- Built case studies on live products and led usability evaluations, user personas, and KPI trees
- Product & Design Tools: Figma, Whimsical, Notion

Independent Art Print Business

Designed and launched a DM-to-buy e-commerce website to sell art prints

- Enabled seamless ordering with email & WhatsApp integration, shipping logistics, and confirmation flows
- Generated 12K+ revenue in a month before winding down to focus on a full-time role

EXPERIENCE

DMI Finance

Software Engineer, Former IT Intern

- Built & migrated a loan journey dashboard (Python to TypeScript), improving query resolution speed by 30%
- Saved 8+ hours/week in manual effort, by automating SFTP data pipelines to Finbox, improving data accuracy.
- Reduced processing time by 40% by refactoring batch processes (penal charges, NACH errors, write-offs)
- Accelerated processing and reduced customer escalations by adding non-NACH loan flagging logic
- Tech Stack: Python, Dash, TypeScript, Linux, MySQL, Java

Texas Instruments

Application Developer Intern

- Contributed to e-commerce microservices migration, improving checkout stability, reducing downtime by 20%.
- Coordinated with UI/DB teams to implement backend features & fix critical bugs, enhancing platform reliability.
- Reduced page load time by 35%, by refactoring SQL queries, improving response time in production.
- Supported QA testing for end-to-end flows, helping ensure 100% compliance with release requirements.
- Tech Stack: Spring boot, Java, MyBatis, Oracle SQL Developer, JUnit

PROJECTS

BookJar | Web Dev Project

Built during The Web Developer Bootcamp 2022 by Colt Steele

- Built a virtual bookshelf web app with features for adding books, managing reading lists, and browsing curated titles.
- Tech Stack: React, Express, Node.js, MongoDB

PERSONAL

Fluent in English and Hindi; beginner in Spanish. Avid reader, digital illustrator on weekends and a big fan of musical theatre

May 2023 - July 2023

Bengaluru, Karnataka

Dec. 2020 - April 2024 Jamshedpur, India

Jan. 2025 – Apr. 2025

Portfolio Link

Shop Link

July 2024 - Present

Oct. 2024 - Nov. 2024

May 2022 **Project Link**

Noida, UP