

# Mahadev Balla

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## SUMMARY

Computer Engineering student with experience building backend systems and full-stack applications. Have worked with FastAPI/Django, React/Next.js, and Docker, and deployed services on AWS. Interested in distributed systems and cloud-based architectures.

## EDUCATION

### Sardar Patel Institute of Technology

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Engineering (CGPA: 9.16)

Minor in Banking Technology, Barclays (CGPA: 9.0)

Expected May 2027

Andheri, Mumbai

## EXPERIENCE

### Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay

Research Intern

Jan 2026 – Present

Mumbai

- Contributing to an urban mobility platform for automated Traffic Analysis Zone (TAZ) generation from OpenStreetMap data using Uber H3 grids and PostGIS, including spatial feature engineering and demand proxies.
- Built reproducible data pipelines and modular experiment runners with versioned outputs, enabling consistent evaluation and cross-environment execution.

### AiM4u Software Solutions Pvt. Ltd.

Backend Developer Intern

Aug 2025 – Oct 2025

Andheri, Mumbai

- Configured and deployed a Django web app for the Tech4Social initiative on an AWS EC2. Configured a new independent database for this application.
- Designed and deployed the backend for the company's SkinTara app, designed to provide personalized skin care guidance, using Django and PostgreSQL, and Docker; implemented authentication, user profiles, image analysis reports, automated reminders, and achievements tracking for users on AWS EC2.
- Set up Docker-based deployment workflow and production configuration on AWS EC2 (environment configuration, database provisioning).

## PROJECTS

### NeoDermaScan | React, Django, PyTorch, GeminiAPI

[Demo](#) 🌐 Oct 2025

- Built a responsive full-stack melanoma detection platform using React, Django REST Framework, and Supabase, implementing JWT-based authentication, patient management, dermatologist discovery, appointment scheduling, multi-channel notifications, secure image uploads, and an integrated chat assistant using Gemini API.
- Integrated a PyTorch **EfficientNet-B0** inference module; model trained using **Distributed Data Parallel (DDP)** with albumentations preprocessing on the SIIM-ISIC dataset, delivering **82%** accurate predictions with confidence scores, and risk indicators in the user interface.
- Containerized and deployed the full-stack application on **AWS EC2** with production-ready configuration, environment isolation, and database provisioning.

### Anti-Grinch Bot E-commerce Bot Protection Suite | React, Node.js, FastAPI, Google ReCAPTCHA

[Demo](#) 🌐 Jul 2025

- Developed client-side e-commerce platform and an admin-side dashboard panel with React, implementing real-time behavioral analytics employing WebSocket communication, and **IP-based blocking** via **Nginx**, enabling bot detection with low latency (< 200ms).
- Configured the FastAPI ML server with a Random Forest Regressor to classify users based on behavioral metrics; incorporated **Google ReCAPTCHA v3** with threshold-based **v2** fallback to maintain **95%** legitimate user success rate.
- Designed containerized microservices (React dashboard, Node backend, FastAPI ML server); configured **GitHub Actions CI/CD** for automated builds and deployments to **AWS EC2**, enabling reproducible releases.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Technologies/Frameworks:** FastAPI, Django, React.js, Next.js, Redux Toolkit, Tailwind CSS, Express.js, Node.js

**DevOps & Deployment:** Docker, GitHub Actions (CI/CD), AWS EC2, Nginx, Linux

**Databases:** MongoDB, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Redis

**Tools & Platforms:** Git, GitHub, Jira, Postman, Figma

**Languages:** Python, C++, C, Java, JavaScript

## CERTIFICATIONS & EXTRACURRICULAR

Oracle Certified OCI Foundations Associate

🌐 Aug 2025

HackerRank - SQL (Intermediate) Certificate

🌐 May 2025

F.A.C.E Club, SPIT

Nov 2024 – Present

Creatives Head

- Directed branding (posters, digital media) for technical and non-technical college events, increasing engagement by 20%.