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| Education | | | | | |
| Bowling Green State University (BGSU), Master of Computer Science, GPA 3.8/4 | | | | Aug 2023 - May 2025 | |
| Relevant courses: Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Secure Software Engineering, AI for Software Engineering, Data Science programming, Data Visualization. Teaching Assistant: Software Architecture, Parallel Computing, Operating Systems. Awarded Best Graduate Teaching Assistant (Spring 2025) | | | | | |
| Azad University (IAU), Bachelor's in Software Engineering, GPA 3.8/4 | | | | Sep 2015 - Apr 2019 | |
| Experience | | | | | |
| Graduate Teaching Assistant, Bowling Green State University | | | | Aug 2023 - May 2025 | |
| • Facilitate study sessions and labs for undergraduate students in Operating Systems and Network Architecture & Applications. | | | | | |
| • Graded assignments and quizzes in C/C++ programming using Linux-based environments and providing constructive feedback to students. | | | | eedback to students. | |
| DevOps Engineer, Hamravesh | | | | Sep 2021 - Aug 2022 | |
| Designed and implemented scalable infrastructure for web applications. | | | | | |
| Containerized backend and frontend services using Docker and deployed on OpenShift for efficient orchestration. | | | | | |
| Tuned ope | Tuned operating systems and edge proxies, improving application response times by 30%. | | | | |

Collaborated with developers to automate deployments and monitor production systems.

Software Engineer, Green Host

- Contributed to the development of backend services for the green hosting platform, focusing on performance, reliability, and energy-efficient design.
- Automated infrastructure setup and scaling using Python and Bash scripts.
- Worked on improving client-facing features in the hosting control panel.
- Monitored server uptime and collaborated with senior engineers on performance and reliability.

IT Support, Green Host

- Administered and maintained Linux/Windows infrastructure, improving uptime and security posture.
- Troubleshot and resolved network issues, reducing average downtime by 30%.
- Supported 100+ users; implemented ticketing and response best practices.
- Trained new hires on IT protocols and endpoint security hygiene.

Academic projects

Piqniq – Emergency Support for Panic Attacks (2nd Place Winner at BGSU ACM Hackathon 2025)

- Designed and developed a mobile application to assist users during panic attacks through a one-tap alert system.
- Enabled real-time location sharing and emergency contact notifications through a calming, intuitive interface.
- Integrated a virtual assistant and guided breathing feature to comfort users while help is on the way.
- Tech: TypeScript, JavaScript, CSS, HTML, Google Maps API.

CI/CD Pipeline for Face Detection App

- Containerized a Flask-based face detection app using Docker for modular deployment and reproducibility.
- Created a GitHub Actions workflow to automate linting, unit tests, and deployment to Render on every push to main.
- Managed secure file handling and version control of models and assets via GitHub.
- Tech: Flask, Docker, GitHub Actions, Render, OpenCV.

OpenStack GPU Automation

- Wrote Ansible playbooks to automate OpenStack provisioning.
- Integrated GPU passthrough and vGPU solutions for performance workloads.
- Tech: OpenStack, Ansible, Linux, vGPU, Bash, Python.

Skills

Virtualization: OpenStack (Design, Implementation, Testing), VMware, AWS (EC2, S3, IAM, RDS), Linux

Languages: Python, Bash, YAML, Shell Scripting

DevOps & Automation Tools: Docker, GitHub Actions, Jenkins (basic), Terraform (basic), Ansible (basic), Docker Compose, Cron Jobs, Kubernetes (basic) Security & Monitoring: Iptables, Fail2ban, OS Hardening, System Monitoring, Audit Tools

CI/CD: GitHub Actions, Jenkins, Docker Compose, Render, Git Software Engineering & APIs: Flask, Node.js, REST APIs, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, JSON Soft Skills: Communication, Curiosity, Teamwork, Problem-solving

Awards & Involvement

- 2nd Place, BGSU ACM Hackathon (2025) Built a mental health alert app "Pignig" in a 24-hour team challenge.
- Research Assistant, BGSU (2025–Present) Supporting digital forensics research and experimentation.
- Volunteer Pen Tester, Secure Signals Project: Tested OWASP Top 10 vulnerabilities and wrote issue reports.

Publications

 Comparing LNK File and Jump List Artifacts on Windows 11 with those on Windows 10 Breakthroughs in Brain Tumor Detection: Leveraging Deep Learning and Transfer Learning for MRI-Based Classification

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Jun 2020 - Jul 2021

Dec 2018 - Jun 2020

Certificate

Full Stack Developer, (Certified via Udemy) **AWS Cloud Practitioner**, (Certified via Udemy) **DevOps Engineering**, (Certified via Udemy) Technical Support, (Certified via Google) Python Programming, (Certified via Google)