# **KEDAR SATHE**



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#### **EDUCATION**

SB College of Science, Aurangabad Vishwakarma Institute of Technology, Pune – B.tech(Computer Engineering) 7.8 CGPA 2020-22

2022-26

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# Open-Source Contributor, Mermaid

present

- Working as a collaborator for mermaid-js/mermaid, an open-source project with over 80k GitHub stars.
- Serving as an active project maintainer
- Resolved 8+ issues and successfully merged multiple pull requests

# Machine Learning Engineer, Freelance

Nov 2024 - present

- Engineered and deployed comprehensive AI/ML solutions across 12+ projects, addressing complex challenges with diverse
- Built machine learning models with PyTorch and deployed them using MLOps techniques

### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Paper Published: Enhanced Railway Safety System Published in IEEE
- Eyantra 2023 (IIT Bombay): Ranked AIR 1 in Stage 1; top 10 globally in Stage 2.
- Paper Published: <u>Social Distancing ID Card Published in a Scopus-indexed journal</u>
  Paper Published: <u>Alzheimer's Disease Diagnosis via SVM-Driven Classification of Structural MRI Data -</u> Published in IJRASET
- Certifications:
  - Natural Language Processing & Deep Learning Certified by DeepLearning.AI
  - Fundamentals of Deep Learning Certified by NVIDIA
  - Cybersecurity Workshop Certified by Unstop

## **SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: C/C++, Python, JavaScript
- Cloud & DevOps: Google Cloud Platform (GCP), Linux, Git, Docker, Kubernetes
- Web Technologies: React.js
- Machine Learning & Deep Learning: Data Science, ML/DL (PvTorch, TensorFlow), Computer Vision
- Reinforcement Learning: Deep-Q-Learning, RLHF, RLAIF, LLM training & fine-tuning (Unsloth, PEFT)
- MLOps & Data Engineering: MLOps, Data ETL & Preprocessing, ML Pipelines
- Generative AI & LLMs: LangChain, Hugging Face, LlamaIndex, Apache Spark

# PROJECTS [ Github ]

• LocalRaG - Retrieval-Augmented Generation Application

Stack: Python, Streamlit, Docker, LangChain, PostgreSQL, PgVector

- Developed a RAG system using LLaMA 3 (70B) and a local PostgreSQL vector store, improving knowledge retrieval efficiency by 30% without hallucinations
- Containerized the app using Docker and integrated a Streamlit UI, enabling seamless user interaction with sub-1s response latency for 90% of queries
- Optimized PgVector indexing with HNSW, reducing query times by 25%

# • Snakes & The Golden Apple – AI-Powered Snake Game

#### **GitHub**

Stack: Python, Deep Q-Learning, Pygame

- Developed a competitive AI Snake game using Deep Q-Learning with an 11-parameter state representing danger zones (straight, right, left), current direction, and apple position
- Defined a discrete action space (straight, right, left) and implemented a reward system: +15 for eating an apple, +0.5 for approaching food, −10 for collisions, and −0.3 for proximity penalties
- Trained the agent using experience replay and an ε-greedy policy to optimize learning and game performance

#### • Pelvix – Multimodal AI Chatbot Live Link

- Built a multimodal AI chatbot platform that supports both text and image generation, enabling dynamic, personality-driven conversations
- Integrated DeepSeek-R1 for real-time conversational responses and Flux for generating high-quality AI visuals
- Designed a retro-themed UI with three customizable themes; focused on privacy with no data storage, session-only chats, and no tracking
- Achieved 99.9% uptime, with image generation completed in under 10 seconds for over 95% of requests