# Sohel Shekh











## **Technical Skills**

Languages: Java, Python, JavaScript, Typescript, SQL, LaTeX, Kotlin, HTML/CSS, YAML, Markdown

Frameworks: React.js, Next.js, Node.js, Express.js, Flask, FastAPI, Django, GraphQL, Strapi, Tailwind, GSAP, Firebase,

Supabase, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, MySQL

Dev Tools: Git, GitHub, Docker, Cloudinary, JWT, Redis, AWS, Linux, Figma, Postman, Webpack, ESLint, Prettier, Nginx, Vercel

#### **Education**

#### Sheridan College, Software Development and Network Engineering

Jan 2024 - April 2027

Relevant Coursework: Java, Python, Database, Network Security, System Administration

GPA: 3.9/4

### **Experience**

## **Backend Developer**

May 2024 – Jan 2025

Zeuty – Waterloo, ON

- Developed scalable backend solutions with Express & TypeScript, supporting onboarding of 4k+ new users.
- Designed PostgreSQL schema, creating 12 tables and 14 relationships, improving data retrieval speed by 30%.
- Created **ERD**, optimized database structure (indexes, foreign keys), reducing anomalies and improving readability.
- Developed utility functions, saving 600-650 lines of duplicated code, enhancing team efficiency.

### **Backend Executive**

May 2024 – Jan 2025

UofTHacks: University of Toronto - Toronto, ON

- Migrated backend infrastructure from JavaScript to TypeScript, improving code maintainability and scalability by 18%.
- Developed multiple API endpoints, supporting system functionality for thousands of users.
- Integrated OpenAPI documentation, improving developer onboarding and reducing integration errors.
- Upgraded the User & Admin Dashboards, improving user experience and system reliability for participants.

## **Projects**

#### eCommerce Solutions – Freelance | React.js, Next.js, Express.js, PostgreSQL, Razorpay, Analytics

- Delivered end-to-end eCommerce solutions, including inventory management, POS systems, and live delivery tracking apps, streamlining operations by 30%.
- Integrated tax billing systems and government documentation workflows as part of the platform.
- Optimized UX with secure payments, faster load times, and responsive designs increasing conversion rates by 20%.

#### Student Management System – Freelance | Node.js, Next.js, PostgreSQL, Strapi, SMS API, React.js

- Designed and developed an attendance and test result management system, integrating SMS alerts and role-based access for faculty and parents.
- Streamlined data management with Excel imports/exports, improving administrative efficiency.
- Optimized parent engagement with a dedicated dashboard for real-time access to attendance, test results, and work submissions.

#### Audio Sync App – Personal Project | Expo, React Native, Python, Socket Programming

- Built a cross-platform app using React Native and Python to sync audio across multiple devices (Android & Windows) for a combined speaker system.
- Implemented real-time audio streaming with low-latency communication using socket programming.
- Enabled multi-device setup with dynamic connectivity and precise synchronization.

# **Hackathons**

- Delivered workshops on web development topics, sharing insights on industry best practices, modern frameworks, and coding techniques with aspiring developers.
- Judged 400+ teams across multiple hackathons, evaluating innovative solutions and ensuring fairness in assessment.
- Mentored 350+ teams in 10+ hackathons across Ontario, guiding participants in mastering emerging technologies and developing impactful projects.