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Work Experience

Centre for Mental Health Law and Policy

March 2023 - August 2025

Software Engineering Intern

- · Created software tools for researchers to automate and streamline manual workflows.
- Developed webscrapers and data cleaning tools for the SIREN project to scrape articles and related metadata from various E-papers, saving over 4000 hours of manual work.
- Wrote scrapers for the Public Archive, fully automating a previously manual workflow.

Art Society of India

September 2023 - February 2025

Freelance Developer

- Engineered a full-stack web app for the Art Society of India for processing user registrations, artwork submissions, payments and facilitating the judging process for the All-India Annual Art Exhibition, handling thousands of users.
- Automatically digitized membership records by moving data from paper to a database via OCR, saving hundreds of hours of manual work.

Scrivener AI

November 2024 - January 2025

Software Engineering Intern

- Engineered the memory component of the DANA legal assistant, integrating PostgreSQL with LangChain and allowing users to submit and gain insights from legal documents.
- Refactored the entire Python backend, adding type annotations, dependency management with uv and data validation with pydantic to improve maintainability.

Projects

Glowworm Rust [source, demo, blog]

A bias lighting system for Wayland that synchronizes an LED strip to your monitor's colors.

Manzar Rust [source]

An animated cat sprite that follows your cursor. Uses Rust-generated WebAssembly.

Skills

Programming Languages Python, Rust

Databases PostgreSQL, MariaDB, MongoDB

Operating Systems
Tools
Cit, Docker
Frameworks
Django, Svelte

Education

Bachelor of Computer ApplicationSymbiosis Institute of Computer Studies and Research