

Riya Shigwan

Frontend Developer · UI/UX Designer · Shopify Developer

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PROFILE

Frontend developer and UI/UX designer who takes products from Figma to production — React/Next.js platforms, Shopify storefronts and UI/UX overhauls of live client sites, shipped fast with AI-assisted development. B.Tech, AI & Data Science.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages	TypeScript, JavaScript, Python, R, C, SQL
Frontend	React.js, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, Framer Motion, HTML, CSS, Flutter
Backend	Node.js, Express.js, FastAPI
Databases	PostgreSQL, MySQL
E-commerce	Shopify — store setup, theme customisation, Liquid, product catalogues, custom pages
Design	Figma (UI/UX, wireframing, prototyping), Canva
AI	AI-assisted development and rapid prototyping (Claude)
Workflow	Git & GitHub, CI/CD, Vercel, Agile (daily syncs, EOD reporting)

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer (Frontend & UI/UX) — CRITSO May 2026 – Jul 2026
Frontend Developer & UI Design Intern Jun 2025 – Jan 2026

- **Accountify** (billing software) — fixed bugs across both the backend and the frontend of the product.
- **Mediquet Events** — designed the platform's UI/UX redesign in Figma (landing, events, event overview, venue, agenda, organisers, gallery, about) and wrote the frontend code for the live site.
- **Shopify** — designed and built the **Auverra** fine-jewellery store end to end, ready for launch.
- **Client websites, UI/UX + frontend** — SolDiamonds (reworked into a premium white-and-blue theme), Maxford Healthcare and HDA Tech Growth: responsive layouts, UI polish, fixes and deployment readiness.
- **Bapji Maharaj** — fixed bugs and added new features, including a persistent floating navigation menu.
- Leveraged AI-assisted development to ship designs to production quickly, in an Agile team with daily syncs, EOD reports and GitHub CI/CD.

Freelance Shopify Developer — The India Collective (via CRITSO · remote) 25 Aug 2026 – 25 Sep 2026

- Built the Shopify storefront for an essential oils brand: an 8–10 product catalogue on the brand's agreed structure, layout and colour scheme.
- Added Privacy Policy, Customer Case and How to Use Products pages, a WhatsApp contact shortcut, and landing-page refinements requested during the engagement.
- Delivered on a fixed 3–4 week timeline with thrice-weekly syncs; formally completed and handed over on 25 Sep 2026.

Frontend Developer Intern — CRITSO Dec 2024 – Jan 2025

- Designed and developed **spacesoftindia.com** using HTML, CSS and JavaScript, with responsive layouts and Figma wireframes aligned to client branding.

SELECTED WORK — BUILT WITH AI-ASSISTED DEVELOPMENT

UI/UX design & frontend	Mediquet Events web.mediquetevents.in · SolDiamonds soldiamonds.in · HDA Tech Growth hdatechgrowth.com · Maxford Healthcare · Bapji Maharaj bapjimaharaj.com (bug fixes & new features)
Shopify storefronts, solo	The India Collective — essential oils the-india-collective.myshopify.com · Auverra — fine jewellery, launching soon auverra.com
Personal & academic	epicuRiyan's Base Camp — animated, pointer-reactive portfolio designed in Figma and built from scratch (Next.js 15 · TypeScript · Tailwind CSS · Framer Motion). Mental Health Sentiment Analysis Dashboard — text-sentiment scoring and visual exploration (R · Shiny · ggplot2) github

COMMUNITY & LEADERSHIP

Tech & Digital Innovation — Leo Club of Navi Mumbai Palm Beach Elite (youth service club / NGO)

- Designed and built the club's website end to end — team, impact metrics and an archive of its service work. leoclubofnavimumbaipalmbeachelite.vercel.app

Fundraising Intern — Pawzz (animal welfare) · certificate of completion & letter of recommendation

EDUCATION

B.Tech, AI & Data Science — VES Institute of Technology, Mumbai	2026
12th Science (PCM), 85% — Ryan International School, CBSE	2022
10th, 98.20% — St. Mary's ICSE School	2020

CERTIFICATIONS & AWARDS

AWS Academy Graduate — Cloud Developing · 40 hours · Mar 2025 credly
Best Actor (Female) — INT 48th One Act Play Competition 2023 (English), Aditya Birla Centre for Performing Arts