# Aditi Polkam, Software Engineer

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## SUMMARY

Software Engineer with 2+ years of experience in designing, developing, and optimizing software solutions. Skilled in backend development, API design, and crafting efficient, user-focused systems.

Jan 2025 - present

July 2023 - Jan 2025

Jan 2023 – May 2023

Jul 2023

## WORK EXPERIENCE

## Full Stack Engineer – Offline Protocol, Remote

- Built a performant, interactive website with a modern UI, optimized for all devices and accessibility standards.
- Collaborated with Design and Product to deliver smooth, consistent user experiences across the platform.
- Migrated backend from legacy JS to TypeScript with a MongoDB  $\rightarrow$  Postgres transition, reducing downtime by 99%.
- Developed a shared SDK and core utility package to enable external integrations and ensure ecosystem consistency.

## Software Engineer – <u>The Social Continent</u>, Pune

- Architected and developed scalable backend systems using Node.js, TypeScript, and PostgreSQL.
- Developed APIs for customer-facing and internal systems, leveraging caching strategies with Redis for optimal performance.
- Automated deployments using AWS Lambda and EC2, reducing deployment time by 30%.
- Established CI/CD pipelines and containerization using Docker, enhancing development workflows.
- Improved reliability by monitoring and optimizing API response time by over 40%.

#### Full Stack Developer – <u>TrueNetwork (previously Sadaiv)</u>, Remote

- Developed and maintained GraphQL APIs to support real-time data flows in web applications.
- Built a subgraph for blockchain data indexing, enhancing system performance and reducing latency.
- Contributed to product strategy and system design, resulting in acquiring over 300+ users within a week.
- Integrated third-party services like Lighthouse Storage and Biconomy to streamline workflows.

## EDUCATION

Bachelor's in Computer Engineering, Savitribai Phule Pune University - 8.96 GPA

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Programming Languages: TypeScript, Python, Solidity, SQL, C, C++, Java, JavaScript Backend: NodeJS (with Typescript), Express, Docker, Redis, Kafka Frontend: HTML, CSS, React, NextJs, Svelte Database: MySQL, SQLite, Firebase, MongoDB, PostgreSQL

Other: Git, Github, Linux, AWS, NPM, Nginx, Prisma, GraphQL

## PROJECTS

Build Domains - decentralized name service (DNS), enabling users to register, manage, and resolve ids on the blockchain. (Github, Demo)

Tech Stack - Node Js, Typescript, PostgreSQL, Prisma, GraphQL, React, Tailwind, Privy.io, Solidity, Hardhat, AWS ec2, Privy.io

- Designed and deployed a decentralized name service integrating Ethereum smart contracts, enabling secure domain registration and management.
- Built a GraphQL backend with Node.js, TypeScript, and Prisma for contract data indexing and metadata management.
- Developed a responsive React frontend with Privy smart wallet integration, facilitating seamless user interactions with the blockchain.

**Onchain Friends SDK** - social networking by leveraging blockchain activity to suggest connections and facilitate effortless user invitations (Github) Tech Stack - Node Js, NPM, Typescript, Airstack, XMTP

- Created a decentralized networking SDK using Node.js and TypeScript.
- Integrated XMTP for seamless user communication and networking.
- Contributed to the project's success, eventually winning **bounties from XMTP and Airstack at EthIndia 2023**.

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Hackathon Awards: Winner of the "XMTP+Airstack" track in EthIndia 2023, "Best Hack built on Ethereum + Polygon" track at wmn; 2023, etc Contributions to the Community: Guest Speaker and Mentor for workshops across colleges in Pune Leadership: Pune Chapter Lead for The Phoenix Guild, promoting diversity in tech by conducting workshops.

#### VOLUNTEERING

Head of Events, Foster Reads - Developing marketing strategies and managing a 4 day physical event conducted in Pune Stage Volunteer - Devcon 7, Bangkok - Assisted in managing stage logistics for a global crypto event, ensuring smooth transitions between sessions and maintaining speaker schedules.