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A Research Paper on Automated Recruitment Tool

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Abstract: The paper discusses the Automated Recruitment Tool, which aims to support students from tier 3 universities in their preparation for internships and placements. It highlights that students who receive guidance from successful businesses feel more confident in their abilities than those who lack exposure and assistance. The proposal suggests a comprehensive platform that can assess students' coding profiles, determine their level, and provide resources to help them break into any organization. Additionally, the platform offers simulated mock interviews to enhance students' communication skills and boost their confidence. The initiative aims to help students get a head start in their career and provide them with the self-assurance they need to succeed in any organization. The authors of the paper are final-year students from the Electronics and Telecommunication division of Pune Institute of Information Technology, who are undertaking this project as part of their academic requirements.

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I. INTRODUCTION

There are several recruitment platforms available that provide students with a visual representation of their scores. However, these platforms face challenges in providing adequate guidance, identifying necessary conditions, and making proper judgments by considering the student factors that affect their performance. Our algorithm offers a 360-degree perspective on the preparation required for students to succeed in getting high placements. This sets us apart from other sites, as students can better evaluate their profiles, determine their degree of preparedness, and identify areas to focus on to level up their profile for placement. Other platforms charge for each new try, while our platform provides 24/7 access and allows students to view other students' profiles to learn from their progress and ask for help.

The Automated Recruitment Tool assists students in their placement preparation by providing a clear understanding of the level of preparation required and the areas to concentrate on to secure their desired placement. Students can upload their coding profiles to our website, and our algorithm will provide information on companies that match their profiles and the additional work required to reach their goals. Our platform also offers a portal for TnP to inform students directly about internship and placement opportunities, and students can register there. Additionally, students can sign up for virtual mock interviews to assess their readiness. It is common for students to experience confusion and uncertainty while preparing for placements. Therefore, having the right guidance at the right time is crucial. Our platform aims to provide this guidance by helping students understand their level of preparation and make informed decisions about what steps to take to improve their profile and increase their chances of being selected by their dream company.

Students often face confusion and disappointment in the placement process due to a lack of proper guidance and understanding of the procedure. They need to be well-informed about the requirements and steps to be hired by their desired company or in their preferred field to achieve their placement goals and increase satisfaction. One of the main causes of this issue is a breakdown of communication between students and their seniors or alumni. Students who lack confidence may find it difficult to approach the right person for help with their placements. To address this, our platform aims to bridge the gap between students and their seniors by providing a foundation for appropriate assistance without the need for direct communication.

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II. LITERATURE REVIEW

After examining multiple academic articles and job websites, it was discovered that Satish S. Narkhede et al. [1] noted the challenges faced by manual recruitment processes that are constrained by time due to the growing requirements for different job profiles, leading to a large volume of applications for open positions. In order to simplify administrative responsibilities such as background checks and payroll, automated recruitment systems are becoming more prevalent. These systems not only guarantee the selection of the most suitable candidate, but they also save time, money, and effort. This study delves into AI-powered recruitment methods, investigating the use of machine learning techniques like decision trees to anticipate performance and suitability. Additionally, the article examines current research trends and algorithmic advancements in the development of automated recruitment systems that are ready for practical deployment, as well as future directions.

In response to the increasing demand for job profiles and the overwhelming number of applications for open positions, employers now require effective recruitment tools. Some commonly used recruitment tools include Turbohire, skillset, and talentpool. Recruitment involves the process of finding and attracting talented job candidates, starting with a search for new personnel and concluding with an application process that generates an applicant pool from which new hires are selected. According to Edwin B. Flippo, "Recruitment is the process of finding candidates for jobs and encouraging them to apply for positions with the company." Hiring connects employers with job seekers and necessitates identifying the workforce source, adhering to workforce plan requirements, and utilizing successful recruitment strategies.

Sujeet Kumar et al [2] describe recruitment as the process of quickly and cost-effectively identifying and hiring the most qualified candidate, whether from within or outside the organization, for a job opening. The recruitment process involves assessing job requirements, attracting candidates to the position, screening and selecting candidates, hiring, and integrating the new hire into the company. In today's highly competitive global environment, internet recruitment has emerged as the latest trend in the hiring process. Recruitment is crucial for every organization's success, as it creates human capital, a key element on which the performance of an organization depends. The impact of the internet has revolutionized the recruitment process, with many organizations adopting e-recruitment procedures that allow for the posting of job openings, accepting resumes online, and communication with candidates via email. This paper aims to explore the concept, benefits, challenges, and requirements for successful e-recruitment, as well as current e-recruitment strategies and trends.

The recruitment industry is evolving rapidly as new tools and technologies are being widely adopted, making the talent acquisition process more data-driven and workflow-friendly. As millennials, we are dependent on cell phones and computers, and recruiters recognize that the best raw talent can be found among millennials. As a result, more and more businesses are shifting their recruitment strategies online, using electronic resources like the internet, which is commonly known as e-recruitment. The term "e-recruitment" was first introduced in publications in the mid-1980s, and it has two primary uses: corporate websites for recruitment and commercial job boards like monster.com for job posting. Candidates can access a company's own website for job postings and career opportunities, while businesses can use commercial job boards like naukri.com, timesjob.com, monster.com, etc., to post job openings and hire new employees.

Geetha R et al [3] emphasized the importance of recruiting high-quality individuals in today's competitive business environment, particularly those who possess the skills and abilities required for the digital age. Effective recruitment strategies that incorporate data analysis are crucial for companies to attract and hire the right candidates. Artificial Intelligence (AI) plays a significant role in decision-making, particularly in recruitment. AI involves the development of intelligent machines that can perform human-like tasks, with the goal of enabling computers to perform tasks typically done by humans. This study aims to investigate the impact of AI on recruitment strategies and the methods that companies use to integrate AI into their recruitment processes. The research was conducted based on secondary sources of information, including peer-reviewed articles, books, and websites. Companies are now utilizing worker recovery methods to attract top talent and remain competitive in the digital era. AI technologies are increasingly being used by HR directors to motivate and retain employees, resulting in growth and success for both the organization and its workforce. AI in recruiting is a significant trend, with more than 30 businesses using AI to streamline the process, reduce downtime and costs, and place the right candidate in the right role. Artificial Intelligence is a field of computer science focused on developing machines capable of performing human-like tasks such as reading, logic, and language processing, with the goal of providing efficient outcomes that mimic human intelligence, logical reasoning, and problem-solving capabilities.

Jarno Einolander et al [4] The recruitment process can be challenging, especially when there are numerous qualified candidates, and the cost of making a wrong hiring decision can be high. While psychological assessments and interviews are usually used to assist in the selection process, they can also be expensive. This paper proposes a new partially automated approach consisting of two parts to aid in the selection process. Firstly, candidates answer 237 questions online using Evolute Helix, which generates data to measure their commitment level. Secondly, data analysis is used to identify clusters of individuals with similar commitment profiles, which are then compared to the intended profile. The new approach was tested on two tenure-track positions at Tampere University of Technology, with 55 applicants. The Evolute Helix application was helpful in shortlisting candidates for interviews and final selections. Automated preprocessing can effectively select the best candidates from a large pool of applicants. The evaluated application can still be used in the future for individuals on the tenure track. While recruitment traditionally involves advertising job openings, conducting interviews, and administering psychological tests, this process can be time-consuming and expensive. Various software products can help, but they usually handle applications rather than provide comprehensive tools for hiring and staffing. Psychometric evaluations have been used in job interviews for a long time, with the Woodworth Personal Data Sheet adopted by the US Army in 1919 to identify recruits prone to shell shock. Criminal profiling, now known as criminal investigative analysis, is used by the FBI to examine every detail of an unsolved violent crime scene to help identify the perpetrator.

Pshdar Abdalla Hamza et al [5] The HR department plays a critical role in recruitment, and the early stages of the hiring process are vital for attracting top candidates and gaining a competitive advantage. In a quantitative analysis, researchers developed a questionnaire and distributed it among telecom companies in Erbil, Kurdistan to examine their recruiting and selection processes. This study aimed to gain insights into the various factors influencing hiring decisions, including qualifications, credentials, gender, color, and culture. The questionnaire was administered to around 220 employees, and 69 questionnaires were returned, with 60 completed correctly. Using SPSS version 23, the researchers analyzed the data with descriptive statistics. The study found that gender and race did not affect the internal advancement of candidates in Erbil, Kurdistan. The participants in the organization viewed selection processes (including application forms, assessment centers, psychometric tests, interviews, CV data, references, and group interviews) as significant. This study aimed to enhance the understanding of organizational support and the effectiveness of recruitment efforts. Measuring recruitment effectiveness has become commonplace in evaluating recruitment processes and developing strategies, but there is limited empirical data on recruitment effectiveness in this organization. To address this issue, the researchers explored how demographic factors and personal aspects interact by using various variables that influence individual upbringing. The researchers used statistical techniques, such as regression, correlation, and percentage analysis.

III. EASE OF USE

Automated recruitment tools have become increasingly popular in recent years due to their ability to streamline the hiring process and reduce the workload of recruiters. These tools offer numerous benefits, such as increased efficiency, reduced hiring costs, and improved accuracy in candidate selection. However, the use of automated recruitment tools in the college student job market has been limited, despite the potential benefits they can offer. One reason for this may be that college students are often unfamiliar with the automated recruitment process and may be hesitant to use these tools. However, with the right approach, automated recruitment tools can be made user-friendly and accessible to college students. For instance, the interface can be designed to be intuitive and straightforward, with clear instructions provided for each step of the process. Another concern is that the use of automated recruitment tools may disadvantage students who are less tech-savvy or who lack access to technology. However, with the increasing availability of technology, this is becoming less of an issue. Additionally, efforts can be made to ensure that students are provided with the necessary resources and support to use these tools effectively. Overall, the use of automated recruitment tools can benefit college students by providing them with more opportunities to apply for jobs and increasing their chances of being selected for interviews. These tools can also help employers by reducing the time and effort needed to sift through applications and identify qualified candidates. Therefore, it is important to promote the use of these tools and ensure that they are accessible and easy to use for all college students.

IV. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

The proposed methodology for the development of an automated recruitment tool using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Django can be divided into several stages.

- 1.Planning and Design: In this stage, the team will gather information on the requirements of the automated recruitment tool. The team will then create a detailed project plan, including timelines and milestones. Once the plan is finalized, the design of the tool will be created using HTML and CSS.
- 2.Development: The development stage will involve creating the functionality of the tool using JavaScript and Django. The team will develop the back-end and front-end of the tool, including the database structure, user interface, and user experience.
- 3. Testing: Once the development is complete, the tool will be thoroughly tested to ensure that it is working correctly. The team will conduct unit testing, integration testing, and system testing to ensure that the tool meets the requirements.
- 4.Deployment: After the tool has been tested and approved, it will be deployed to the production environment. The team will ensure that the tool is installed correctly and that it is available to the intended users.
- 5. Maintenance: Once the tool is deployed, the team will continue to maintain it, fixing any bugs or issues that arise and providing support to the users. The team will also monitor the performance of the tool and make updates as necessary to ensure that it continues to meet the needs of the users.

The use of HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Django provides a robust platform for the development of an automated recruitment tool that is user-friendly and efficient. By using Django as the web framework, the team can create a scalable and modular tool that can handle large amounts of data and provide a customizable user experience. Overall, this methodology provides a reliable and effective approach to the development of an automated recruitment tool for college students.

V. PROJECT CONCEPT

The process of finding a job after graduation can be a daunting task for many students. Often, students lack sufficient direction, knowledge of the placement procedure, and its methodology, leading to bewilderment and unmet expectations. In order to increase students' satisfaction with their placement in the desired location, they must be well-informed about placements, the process, and how and when to begin. To address this issue, our proposed methodology for an automated recruitment tool using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Django aims to create a platform that provides students with the necessary information to facilitate their job search process. Our platform will enable students to access information regarding the requirements to get hired by their ideal company or a job in the field they want. This will include information such as the necessary qualifications, skills, and experience required by employers. Furthermore, we recognize that the fundamental reason for the breakdown of contact between students and their seniors and alumni

is often due to a lack of self-confidence. This lack of confidence makes it difficult for students to approach the appropriate individual who can help them with their placement. Therefore, our platform will focus on bridging the gap between students and their elders and enabling them to receive appropriate assistance without ever having to speak to them directly.

By leveraging the power of technology, we aim to create a user-friendly platform that will provide students with easy access to valuable resources such as resume templates, interview preparation tips, and career advice. Our platform will also feature a job search engine that aggregates job postings from various sources and filters them based on students' preferences. Overall, our proposed methodology of an automated recruitment tool using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and Django aims to streamline the job search process for students and provide them with the necessary tools and resources to secure their desired job placement.

5.1 About the Platform

The platform is designed to offer a comprehensive approach to guiding students towards successful internships and job placements. The first step in achieving this is by sourcing all necessary information from the websites and coding profiles of selected students. This information is then used alongside our cutting-edge technology to recommend how much study time a student needs to invest to stand a good chance of succeeding in a particular company. In addition, our platform collects data from unplaced students' websites and coding profiles, which are analyzed to determine any areas of deficiency and recommend additional study to bridge the gap. This allows students to gain a deeper understanding of their strengths and weaknesses, enabling them to focus their efforts on areas that require improvement. Moreover, the platform provides access to a wide range of resources, including career advice, interview tips, and industry news. Through this portal, students can stay up to date on the latest trends in their chosen field and gain a competitive edge over their peers. Finally, our platform offers audio-based mock interviews, providing students with the opportunity to practice and refine their interview skills. This feature helps students to build their confidence and get a feel for the types of questions that they are likely to encounter during a real interview. Overall, the platform is a valuable tool for students looking to succeed in the competitive job market. By providing tailored advice and resources, it enables them to prepare thoroughly and present themselves in the best possible light to prospective employers.

VI. CONCLUSION AND FUTURE PLANS

We have developed a portal that features a login and logout page, as well as a company information section where students can view details about different companies. Additionally, we plan to expand the portal by adding virtual mock interviews and resume-building pages. This platform will provide students with appropriate guidance for selecting companies based on their interests and level of preparedness. Our team employed a variety of technologies for both front-end and back-end development to bring this idea to fruition. At present, the platform can analyze students' coding profiles and predict their coding proficiency. In the future, we intend to implement virtual mock interviews to help students assess their preparedness level and enhance their communication skills. Additionally, we plan to provide a standardized resume template to assist students in creating resumes that meet industry standards. As the needs of companies evolve, we can add new features to the portal to ensure that it remains relevant and helpful to students. In addition to the current features, we plan to incorporate more functionalities to the platform in the future. One of the features we aim to add is a section for virtual mock interviews. This feature will allow students to practice and improve their communication skills, which are essential for job interviews. Through this feature, students will be able to simulate real-world interview scenarios and receive feedback on their performance. Another important feature we plan to add is a section for standard resume templates. We understand that having a well-structured and professional resume is crucial for students when they apply for jobs. Therefore, we aim to provide students with templates and guidelines to create their resumes, which will be reviewed by our team of experts. This will ensure that students' resumes are in the proper format and meet the standards of the industry.

As the need of the companies coming in the future changes, we will also add new features to the portal to keep it up-to-date and relevant. We are committed to continuously improving and enhancing the platform to ensure that it provides the best possible support to students in their job search process. With these additional features, we are confident that our platform will become a one-stop-shop for students looking to enhance their job search capabilities and land their dream jobs.

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