

SOFTWARE

MASTER OF

ENGINEERING

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Can you introduce yourself?

"Hi, I'm Resindu. I'm currently studying for a Master's in Software Engineering at Yoobee College, and I'm originally from Sri Lanka. I started the programme in July and aim to finish by August 2025."

What is your academic and professional background?

"I hold a Bachelor's degree in Software Engineering from Sri Lanka, where I graduated with second-class honours. After that, I worked as a software engineer for about two and a half years. I also helped out with my father's business, which led to a slight gap in my technical knowledge."

Why did you choose Yoobee to study MSE programme?

YOOBEE COLLEGE OF CREATIVE INNOVATION

Student Profile

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NATIONALITY Sri Lanka

COURSE

Master of Software Engineering (MSE) (Accelerated)

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"You'll get a high-quality education that balances practical experience with cutting-edge technology."

I chose Yoobee for its project-based curriculum, which offers a lot of hands-on experience—something I really wanted. I also wanted to explore emerging technologies like quantum computing and blockchain. Yoobee's programme aligns with my career goals, especially since I'm looking to move into machine learning or data science.

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What differences have you noticed between studying in New Zealand and your home country?

"New Zealand is very multicultural, and my classmates come from various countries and cultures, giving me a broader perspective. The teachers here are also really supportive and give individual attention to each student, which I really appreciate."

What challenges have you faced while studying in New Zealand?

"The biggest challenge was adapting to the language and culture. Even though I'm comfortable with English, it took a little time to adjust to using it constantly. The weather was another surprise—coming from a warm country, New Zealand's colder climate was something I had to get used to. But over time, I adjusted to both."

What are your future plans after completing your Master's degree?

"I'm planning to find an internship in data science or machine learning during my trimester break. Ultimately, I want to become a machine learning engineer or a data scientist and contribute to advancements in artificial intelligence."

How would you describe your overall experience in New Zealand?

"I love it here. The natural scenery is stunning, and the people are really friendly and welcoming. I feel comfortable living in New Zealand, and the IT industry, especially in AI, is growing fast—perfect for my career."

ADVICE TO PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS



IF YOU'RE THINKING ABOUT COMING TO NEW ZEALAND, I HIGHLY RECOMMEND IT. THE IT INDUSTRY IS BOOMING, AND THE SALARIES ARE COMPETITIVE. PLUS, YOU'LL MEET GREAT PEOPLE AND HAVE THE CHANCE TO EXPLORE A BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY.

RESINDU IS SHAPING HER FUTURE.

To shape yours, enrol with Yoobee College of Creative Innovation.

