

# **AMIT KUMAR JHA**

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#### **EDUCATION:**

## Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Madras, Chennai, IN

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Financial Economics

06/2025

GPA: 8.0/10

**Relevant Courses**: Mathematical Finance, Computational Finance, Financial Economics, Financial Econometrics, Econometrics - I & II, Data Analysis for Research, Stochastic Calculus, Financial Risk Management (FRM), Money Banking & Financial Markets

### Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Jodhpur, Rajasthan, IN

Master of Science (MS) in Digital Humanities

**Minor in Computational Economics** 

04/2022

GPA: 8.8/10 GPA: 9.4/10

**Relevant Courses**: International Finance, Machine Learning, Machine Learning for Economics, Data Analytics using R & Python, Introductory Economics, Introduction to Data Science, Data Visualization, Financial Analytics, Game Theory for Business Decisions, Machine Learning for Business, Blockchain for Business, Financial Derivatives, Management of Banks, Data Structures & Algorithms, Social Media Analytics, Digital Economics

### **SKILLS:**

**Programming Languages:** Python(Intermediate), R(Intermediate), C++(Basics), SQL(Basics), Kotlin(Basics)

**Business Analytical Tools:** Microsoft Office Suites (Office, Powerpoint, Excel, Project), JIRA, Confluence, Tableau, Google Data Studio, PowerBI

Utility & Cloud Tools: Pycaret, Google Colab, GitLab, AWS, Dash, Dtale, AutoML, Dataprep, Pyfolio, PyPortfioOpt

Econometric Softwares: SPSS, Eviews, STATA, SAS, Bloomberg

### **CERTIFICATIONS:**

**Corporate Finance Institute:** Fundamentals Of Corporate Finance, Introduction to Capital Market ,Math for Capital Market ,Economics of Capital Market, Excel For Financial Analysts,

**WallStreetMojo:** Introduction to Investment Banking, Equity Valuation, Introduction to Bonds & Fixed Income trading **Great Learning:** Financial Risk Analytics, Statistics for Data Science, Python for Data Science, Python for Finance

#### **EXPERIENCE:**

# Data Scientist-I, Elint Data Private Limited, Bengaluru, IN, <u>Code</u>

04/2022-Present

- Project: PSG, Kenya for creating automated data dashboard and implementation of AI for alert system
- Project: Resume-parser using NLP ,created a resume parser where you can upload folders of CV/resumes and can get relevant information. Made life easier for HRs in organization
- Working on product building for US based clients which Deep learning based students performance prediction
- Created a dashboard for Kenya based client for different solar power plants
- Created Time series forecasting model using ARIMA and exponential smoothing for Pharma based industry

**Tech-Stack:** Django · Flask · Python (Programming Language) · Pandas (Software) · Time Series Analysis · Deep Learning

### Data Scientist, ZIGRAM India Private Limited, Gurugram, IN, Code

01/2022-03/2022

- Completed several real time industrial projects related to anti-money laundering data assets using Pytrends package.
- Gained training & hands on experience on data analysis and machine learning.

Tech-Stack: Python (Programming Language) · Pandas (Software) · MS Excel · SQL

# Research Intern in Finance, Indian Institute of Technology(IIT) Roorkee, IN, Offer Letter

02/2022-04/2022

- Studied different time series Models and its application in Financial Economics and Asset management.
- Gained some knowledge of AR,MA,ARIMA,ARCH,GARCH, Value at Risk(VaR) Models.
- Developed a strong and unique research question in Financial Econometrics titled as "Essay in Portfolio optimization".

**Tech-Stack:** R (Programming Language) · Eviews(Software) · MS Excel · SPSS

- Worked on a research project titled" Building a Classification Model for product recommendation" under the guidance of Prof. Biplab Bhattacharjee.
- We deployed all ML models & LDA for topic modeling and achieved 88 % accuracy for XG-Boost.
- Also learned how to use NLP, Text mining, and R in this case & gained some experience in research paper writing.

**Tech-Stack:** R (Programming Language) · Python(Programming Language) · MS Excel

### PROJECTS/CONFERENCES:

#### **MAJOR**

- Worked on research project titled as "Impact of digitization on bank's performance and competition" | Paper
- Presented above mentioned project paper in International conference at Woxsen University, Hyderabad | Certificate
- Paper titled as "Sentiment Analysis using ensemble of machine learning and lexicon based model" has been accept at IIM Bangalore
- Currently working on research project titled as "Real Estate Risk Exposure to Private & Public Sector Banks in India" at IIT Madras

#### **MINOR**

- Completed a project in economics titled as "Effect of Inflation Rates on the Stock Price: Evidence from Indian Market" | Paper
- Myntra reviews analysis & recommendation model building using LDA & tree regressors in machine learning | Code
- Completed an online data analytics project in association with **KPMG** on sales analysis of superstore | Certificate
- Estimated Value at Risk (VaR) by historical as well as the variance-covariance method for the portfolio of Indian stocks using Python | Code
- Project on the Impact of the sentiment of financial news on crypto as well as the stock market in financial analytics course | Code
- Historical analysis of the risk in forex market (USD/INR) using Python | Code
- Portfolio Optimization for list of NSE listed companies using Python | Code
- Fundamental Analysis of companies accounting statements( Balance, Income & Cash Flow) using Python | Code
- Merton Credit Model Market using Python package financepy | Code

### **SCORES:**

- Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering(GATE): Secured All India Rank 189 in National Level GATE Examination in Economics Subject | Score Card
- **LinkedIn Skill Assessment Test:** Secured 99% in skill assessment test for R programming language and was amongst 5% of 710K+ students.
- **LinkedIn Skill Assessment Test:** Secured 94% in skill assessment test for Python programming language and was amongst 5% of 4M+ students.

# POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY:

### Economics & Finance Club | Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Jodhpur

07/2021-03/2022

- Served as founding secretary of the club in student activity council (General Body in IITJ)
- Managed all Economics & Finance related event management, talks, career guidance etc.

### Dining Hall | Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Jodhpur

07/2021-03/2022

- Worked as dining services captain in student activity council (General Body in IITJ)
- Managed all mess related tasks & hygiene issues received from students

## Prometeo | Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Jodhpur

02/2022-03/2022

- Exhibition head and pitched top research institutions for stalls like DRDO, ISRO, IIT Delhi, IIT Kharagpur
- Managed all exhibition related Funds, works, contacting corporates, & research institutes to show their innovation.

## EconSoc | Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Madras

07/2022-Present

- Economics society head and pitched top economics institutions for workshops/webinars/conferences like DSE, IGIDR, JNU, IISc.
- Managed all events related Funds, works, contacting corporates, & research institutes to show their papers.

## **HOBBIES:**

- Coding: Solved over 1000+ problems on different coding practice platforms like leetcode/hackerrank/kaggle
- Cycling: Won zonal level prize in cycling marathon in college
- Writing: Wrote over 15+ articles on medium and gained over 300+ followers within one month with over 90% engagement rate.
- Educational Content Creator: Established a YouTube channel which is dedicated to JAM Physics students and gained 42K+ subscribers in 1 Year | Link