SAI AKSHAY MENTA

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OBJECTIVE

Highly motivated AI researcher and Artificial Intelligence master's student with 4 published research papers, specializing in Generative AI. Experienced in designing, training, and deploying scalable AI systems, with hands-on expertise in large language models (LLMs) and visual-language models (VLMs). Passionate about solving complex, real-world challenges. Seeking opportunities to contribute to cutting-edge projects at the intersection of AI research and impactful applications.

EDUCATION

Northeastern University

Sep 2024 - May 2026 (Expected)

Master of Science in Artificial Intelligence

Relevant Coursework: Foundations of Artificial Intelligence, Program Design Paradigm

Natural Language Processing, Algorithms, Large Language Models

Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham University, India

Oct 2020 - Jun 2024

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence)

Relevant Coursework: AI in Natural Language Processing, AI in Speech Processing, Deep Learning for Signal

& Image Processing, Deep Reinforcement Learning, Python for Machine Learning, Big Data Analytics

SKILLS

Frameworks/Libraries

Transformers, PyTorch, TensorFlow, LangChain, OpenRouter

Specializations

Generative AI (Large Language Models), Natural Language Processing, AI Agents

Programming Languages

Python (Advanced), SQL (Intermediate), C++ (Intermediate)

Tools & Cloud

PowerBI, Git, Google Cloud Platform (Vertex AI, Compute Engine, Vision API)

EXPERIENCE

Data Analytics Intern

Feb 2024 - Jun 2024

Genpact | Power BI, Python, SQL, Generative AI, ML

 $Hyderabad,\ India$

- Created a Power BI dashboard for 500K+ HR records using Python ETL and SQL, delivering real-time workforce insights.
- Developed a Python ML pipeline with scikit-learn and PyTorch, performing feature engineering and model tuning to identify 10+ key HR predictors, increasing accuracy by 30%.
- Automated data prep by orchestrating AI-augmented Python (OpenAI API & Pandas) ETL scripts and SQL stored procedures in an Airflow DAG, cutting manual preprocessing by 40%.

PUBLICATIONS

• Semi Supervised Flood Damage Detection Using Satellite Images

Lecture Notes on Data Engineering and Communications Technologies, Springer Nature doi: 10.1007/978-981-96-0451-711

Apr 2025

• Enhancing Knee Osteoarthritis Severity Level Classification Using Diffusion Augmented Images, *ICACECS 2023*, Springer, doi: 10.2991/978-94-6463-314-6_27

Dec 2023

• A Few-Shot Approach to Dysarthric Speech Intelligibility Level Classification Using Transformers, 14th ICCCNT, IEEE, doi: 10.1109/ICCCNT56998.2023.10308067 Nov 2023

1101 2020

• Improving Reinforcement Learning Agent Training Using Text-Based Guidance: A Study Using Commands in Dravidian Languages, 3rd Workshop on Speech and Language Technologies for Dravidian Languages, ACL Anthology, https://aclanthology.org/2023.dravidianlangtech-1.5

Sep 2023

PROJECTS

EmoLingo Chatbot: Emotionally and Linguistically Adaptive AI Assistant

Feb 2025 - Apr 2025

Tech Stack: Python, PyTorch, Hugging Face Transformers, Streamlit, Groq API [GitHub]

- Built a multi-model pipeline combining emotion detection, tone classification, and English proficiency estimation to deliver personalized chatbot responses.
- Fine-tuned 4 transformer models (RoBERTa, T5, ELECTRA, DistilBERT) on GoEmotions, ICNALE, and a custom style dataset for robust multi-label emotion and writing-style detection.
- Achieved 60.8% micro-F1 for emotion detection and 77.8% accuracy across 12 writing styles, enabling inclusive, empathetic interactions.
- Developed a Streamlit UI and integrated a dynamic prompting system with LLaMA 3-70B via the Groq API for real-time, tone-aligned, simplified response generation.