# ADITYA VYAWAHARE

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## **EDUCATION**

#### UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN

Champaign, IL

Master of Computer Science (GPA: 3.95/4.0)

Jan 2024 - May 2025

Courses: Text Mining LLMs, Distributed Systems, Database Systems, Cloud Computing Applications

#### PUNE INSTITUTE OF COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY

Pune, India

B.E. Computer Engineering - (CGPA: 9.24/10.0)

Aug 2019 - Jun 2023

(Honors in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)

### SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Languages: Python, C/C++, SQL, HTML/CSS, Java

Libraries: LangChain, PyTorch, TensorFlow, fairseq, NLTK, Scikit-learn, Pandas, NumPy, OpenCV, Tkinter, Kivy, Gradio Software Engineering: NodeJS, React, Flask, FastAPI, MongoDB, MySQL, Git

Cloud & Big Data Technologies: AWS (S3, EC2, Lambda), GCP, Hadoop, Apache Spark, MapReduce

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Social Computing Systems Lab** | React, FastAPI, Gradio, Python, GPT-40, Gemini, Huggingface Research Assistant

Jun 2024 – Present Champaign, Illinois

- Developed a full-stack app for therapy video analysis using React, FastAPI, and MongoDB, enabling therapists to analyze client behavior with a multimodal chatbot powered by vision-language models (Gemini, GPT-40).
- Enhanced chatbot's interviewing capabilities for an emergency support application by 80%, enabling victims to report incidents and receive critical assistance in real time.
- Engineered a roleplaying chatbot in GPT-40 for training police officers at UIUC using few-shot prompt engineering and chaining techniques to simulate 20+ unique victim emotions and incident scenarios.

L3Cube | Python, Pytorch, Huggingface

Jun 2022 – Jun 2023

Machine Learning Intern

Pune, Maharashtra

- Created the first comprehensive public multi-domain Marathi sentiment analysis dataset consisting of 60,000 manually tagged samples across 4 domains- political and general tweets, movie reviews, and subtitles. (Link)
- Proposed a multi-domain model attracting 300+ downloads every month on Hugging Face. (Link)

**Pune Institute of Computer Technology** | Python, Pytorch, Fairseq, GPT Undergraduate Research Assistant

Oct 2021 – Jun 2023

Pune, Maharashtra

- Researched unsupervised and supervised **machine translation** for Dravidian and Sorbian languages where we evaluated Transformer, LSTM, BiLSTM, Conv2Seq, back-translation, and fine-tuning approaches. Secured **1st** rank in ACL workshop.
- Led a team of 3 students to implement sentiment analysis of low-resource African languages at SemEval-2023.

AlgoAnalytics Pvt. Ltd. | Python, PyTorch, OpenCV, Tkinter, Kivy, Git Software Engineering Intern

Dec 2021 - May 2022

Pune, Maharashtra

• Engineered a Kivy-based mobile app to deliver real-time factory surveillance alerts and collaborated on a Tkinter-based desktop app to implement model-driven anomaly detection, enabling instant security notifications for rapid response.

## **PROJECTS**

LEARNAI | Node.js, React, Express, MongoDB, Typescript, CSS, HTML, FastAPI, GPT-40

Aug 2024 - Present

- Developed a full-stack application, including admin and student interfaces, enabling professors to upload course content and students to query the video content using vision-language models.
- Implemented **Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG)** and **LLM agents** to query uploaded course materials across multiple formats (documents, PDFs, links, PPTs), creating a personalized and effective learning environment.

GROCKIT | Node.is, React, Google Cloud Platform, HTML, CSS, Flask, GPT-2

Mar 2024 – Apr 2024

- Finetuned GPT-2 to predict the customer's next grocery list based on past receipts, achieving a 16% improvement in prediction accuracy over baseline models.
- Built Flask APIs to handle prediction requests from a Node is backend, for generating real-time grocery list predictions.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

L3Cube-MahaSent-MD: Multi-domain Marathi Sentiment Analysis Dataset & Transformer Models Data-centric Machine Learning Research - ICML 2023 (Link)

PICT@DravidianLangTech-ACL2022: Neural Machine Translation On Dravidian Languages

The Second Workshop on Speech and Language Technologies for Dravidian Languages - ACL 2022 (Link)