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#### EDUCATION

# Birla Institute of Technology and Science

Pilani, India

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science: GPA: 8.13 / 10.0

Aug. 2014 - July. 2018

## Publications

• Learning Digital Circuits: A Journey Through Weight Invariant Self-Pruning Neural Networks Amey Agrawal, and Rohit Karlupia

Proceedings of New in ML Workshop, NeurIPS, 2019, Vancouver [Paper][Code]

Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Big Data, 2019, Los Angeles [Paper]

• Delog: A Privacy Preserving Log Filtering Framework for Online Compute Platforms Amey Agrawal, Abhishek Dixit, Namrata Shettar, Darshil Kapadia, Rohit Karlupia, Vikram Agrawal, and Rajat Gupta

• Logan: A Distributed Online Log Parser

Amey Agrawal, Rajat Gupta, and Rohit Karlupia

Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE), 2019, Macau Paper

## EXPERIENCE

Qubole Bangalore, India Jul 2018 - Present

Member of Technical Staff-II

- Qubole MLflow: Designed and built modules end-to-end across the stack to integrate MLflow in Qubole ecosystem. Designed communication interfaces to glue the MLflow service with Qubole's Jupyterlab platform.
- o Managed RStudio Service [Demo] [Blog]: Integrated RStudio as a manged service within Qubole's data science platform. Contributed to S3FS improve cache performance and added support for persistent ACLs. Received an **early promotion** as a result of this effort.
- Logan [Blog]: Developed a distributed log parsing algorithm that provides 39x speed-up over the previous state-of-the-art. The system is used to perform real-time anomaly detection for all Apache Spark by processing over 250 million log lines every day. Received **Spotlight** award for this effort.
- Application Proxy: Redesigned the application proxy layer which reduced the page load times for Apache Spark UI by over 5x.

**BITS** Pilani

Pilani, India

Teaching and Research Assistant

Dec 2017 - May 2018

o Teaching Assistant [GitHub]: Served as teaching assistant for courses on Neural Networks and Machine Learning. Design Python exercises which have been to used by more than thousand students so far.

Qubole

Bangalore, India

Software Engineering Intern

Jul 2017 - Dec 2017

o Deep Learning Cluster: Developed beta version of Qubole's enterprise distributed deep learning platform. Received **Spotlight** award for cross-team collaboration.

Norah.ai

Bangalore, India

Machine Learning Research Intern

May 2017 - Jun 2017

• Text to Humanoid Animation: Developed a sequence to sequence model for text to animation conversion using Keras.

## Selected Projects

Callisto Guide: Prof. Surekha Bhanot Jan 2018

[Blog] [Demo] [GitHub]

- Developed cross-platform desktop application built with Electron and Express for neural networks course.
- Automatically sets up uniform scientific python development environment independent of operating system.
- Allows students to download and launch assignment Jupyter notebooks with a single click.

o Evaluation mode enables programming contests using nbgrader.

## Disentanglement learning for iris image indexing

Guide: Prof. Kamlesh Tiwari

Jan 2018 - May 2018

[Blog] [Google Colab]

- Designed an autoencoder architecture to learn horizontal translation-invariant representations of normalized iris images.
- Established proof of concept on MNIST, Fashion-MNIST and CIFAR10 datasets.

# Deep Q-learning for autonomous warehouse robots

Jan 2017 - Apr 2017

Guide: Prof. Surekha Bhanot

[GitHub]

- Implemented a Deep Q-learning algorithm to make warehouse robots which can learn to navigate autonomously.
- Developed 2D simulations using pybox2D and 3D simulations using V-rep.
- Implemented the neural network using keras.

## CNN visualization toolkit

Apr 2017

Guide: Prof. Sundaresan Raman

[GitHub]

- Integrated a collection of popular CNN visualization techniques into a single framework which can take any Keras CNN model as input.
- o Developed backend web server using Flask.

# Automated news-in-shorts

Nov 2016

Guide: Prof. Poonam Goyal

[GitHub]

- Latest posts from RSS feeds of multiple news agencies are aggregated to automatically generate abstracts for top stories.
- Trending topics on twitter are mapped to clusters of news articles to identify trending news.
- All the articles on a given trending topic are summarized using extractive text summarization using sumy.
- o Developed web clients and REST API using MongoDB and Express.
- o Implemented text processing pipeline using NLTK, Scikit-learn and Gensim.

## Pokemon MMORPG

Mar 2017 - Apr 2017

Guide: Prof. Rahul Banerjee

[GitHub]

Feb 2017

- Designed and developed fully distributed multi-player online game entirely in C.
- Used Redis as message broker and MongoDB as database.

Arxiv-Sanity v2.0

Open Source Initiative [GitHub]

- Revamped Andrej Karpathy's Arxiv-Sanity for improved functionality and a better UI.
- Built upon the existing flask web server and migrated database to MongoDB for scalability.

# Predicting Election Results using Twitter

Apr~2015

Guide: Prof. Vandana Agrawal

- Built a CNN model with word embeddings to perform sentiment analysis on tweets pertaining to US presidential elections.
- Implemented CNNs from the ground up in vanilla python.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages: Proficient in Python, Scala, JavaScript, Bash, Familiar with Java, Ruby, R, C/C++
- o Data Science: PyTorch, Keras, Spark, TensorFlow, Scikit-learn
- o Web & UI: Express, Flask, Jetty, Ruby on Rails, Electron, JQuery, React
- o Databases: MySQL, Redis, MongoDB, SparkSQL
- Misc: Git, Markdown, LATEX, Jenkins, CorelDraw

#### Selected Coursework

- o Mathematics: Multivariable Calculus, Linear Algebra, Probability & Statistics, Differential Equations
- Software Engineering: Object Oriented Programming, Computer Networks
- o Systems: Database Management Systems, Database Systems
- o Data Science: Machine Learning, Information Retrieval, Neural Networks and Fuzzy Logic, Cognitive Computing