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EDUCATION

North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC.

May 2025

Master of Computer Science, Specialization in Data Science

GPA 3.77/4

Coursework: Foundations of Data Science, Database Management, Data Structures and Algorithms, Cloud Computing, Automated Learning and Data Analytics, Neural Networks, ML for Graphs, Geospatial Artificial Intelligence.

Vishwakarma Institute of Technology, Pune, India

May 2023

Bachelor of Technology in Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering

GPA 8.76/10.00

Coursework: Statistics, Mathematics for ML, Computer Vision, Object Oriented Programming, Signal Processing. **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: Python (Pandas, Matplotlib, Scikit-learn, Pytorch, Tensorflow, Open- CV) R, MATLAB, Java. **Tools and Frameworks:** Power BI, Tableau, SQL, Jupyter Notebook, Orange, Git, Excel, Flask

Data Science Skills: Data Engineering, Data Mining, Data Visualization, Statistics, Predictive Analytics, Time Series Analysis, A/B Testing, Business Analytics, Natural Language Processing (NLP)

Machine Learning and DevOps: Linear Regression, Decision Tree, Random Forest, SVM, PCA, K-means Clustering, CNN, RNN, Azure Databricks, Kubernetes, Apache Spark, CI/CD, Agile methodology.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

R&D Data Science Intern, Halliburton Energy Services, Houston, TX

May 2024 – Aug 2024

- Analysed data from drill bit to identify factors affecting low Rate of Penetration in drilling operations.
- Developed and implemented an automated bit wear algorithm, which will result in a reduction in drilling costs.
- Create a predictive model for next well performance using confidence intervals for real time performance assessment.

Data Science Intern, Centre for Industry 4.0 Lab, Pune, India.

Jun 2022 - Jan 2023

- Developed a real-time dashboard for monitoring temperature in paint booths, integrating Python with the POWER BI REST API supporting deployment of data science solutions.
- Built and deployed a machine learning model with to predict CNC machine tool wear with 97% accuracy, supporting predictive maintenance, reducing downtime and improving operational efficiency.

Research Intern, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur.

Aug 2021 – Feb 2022

- Analysed the effect of salinity, and time on viscosity and elasticity, of three polyacrylamide-brine solutions using statistical approaches like Box Behnken Method. Compared the results of statistical models with ML models.
- Published research paper "Response Surface Analysis of Viscosity and Elasticity of Polyacrylamide" in IOGCA.

PROJECTS

NLP and Machine Learning - Twitter airline reviews sentiment analysis

• Achieved 82.5% accuracy in sentiment analysis by fine-tuning a BERT model and implementing a one hidden layer neural network, outperforming baseline Naive Bayes classifier. This provides actionable insights into customer sentiment, enabling to improve service quality, identify pain points and enhance customer experience.

Deep Learning and Web Development - Detection of COVID 19

- Designed an end-to-end web app utilizing Django providing pandemic information and predictive capabilities.
- Developed a CNN model with 98% accuracy for COVID-19 prediction using chest X-Ray images.

Marketing Analytics- Customer Churn Prediction

- Developed a customer churn prediction model using Random Forest and XGBoost, achieving 85% accuracy. This enabled the business to proactively engage at-risk customers and improve retention strategies.
- Utilized pandas, scikit-learn and Power BI for data preprocessing, model development, visualization of insights

Vision Transformers, Multimodal Machine Learning - Plant trait prediction

- Developed a model to predict plant traits from citizen science photographs and tabular data about plant properties.
- Implemented a SWIN Vision Transformer model that outperformed baseline models with an R² value of 0.97 and MAE of 0.27. Provided agricultural scientists with precise plant trait predictions, enabling better biodiversity monitoring.