

Piyush Tiwary

Education

2017-2021 **Indian Institute of Technology Patna**, *Bachelor of Technology in Electrical Engineering*,
(Expected) CGPA: 8.36/10.0 (After 7 Semesters).

Relevant Topics Machine Learning, Linear Algebra, Partial Differential Equations, Probability Theory and Random Process, Control Theory, Communication Systems, AI-based Signal Processing.

MOOCs Algorithmic Toolbox, Algorithms on Strings, Discrete Mathematics, SQL for Data Science, Convolutional Neural Networks, Sequence Models

Technical Skills

Languages C, C++, Python, Julia, Haskell

Libraries Tensorflow, Keras, Pytorch

Others SQL, MATLAB, Flask, \LaTeX

Publications

Published

COMSNETS 2021 **Piyush Tiwary**, Ankur Pandey, Sudhir Kumar. "Differential d -Vectors for RSS based Localization in Dynamic IoT Networks". 13th International Conference on COMMunication Systems & NETWORKS (COMSNETS'2021). "click here to view"

ICCCN 2020 Ankur Pandey, **Piyush Tiwary**, Sudhir Kumar and Sajal K Das, "Residual Neural Networks for Heterogeneous Smart Device Localization in IoT Networks," 29th International Conference on Computer Communications and Networks (ICCCN'2020), Honolulu, HI, USA, . "click here to view"

ICDCN 2019 Ankur Pandey, **Piyush Tiwary**, Sudhir Kumar, and Sajal K Das. "A hybrid classifier approach to multivariate sensor data for climate smart agriculture cyber-physical systems". 20th International Conference on Distributed Computing and Networking (ICDCN ACM'2019). "click here to view"

Submitted

ECIR 2021 Tirthankar Ghosal, **Piyush Tiwary**, Robert Patton, Christopher Stahl, "What did your work invoke? On finding research propagation and lineage in a scholarly network"

Journal Ankur Pandey, **Piyush Tiwary**, Sudhir Kumar and Sajal K Das, "CropLoc: Localization under $\kappa - \mu$ Fading for Smart Precision Agriculture"

Journal Ankur Pandey, **Piyush Tiwary**, Sudhir Kumar and Sajal K Das, "Adaptive Mini-Batch Gradient Ascent based Localization for Indoor IoT Networks under Rayleigh Fading Conditions"

Research Experience

Aug. 2020 - **Differential r -Vector for RSS based Localization in IoT Networks**, IIT Patna,
Present Guide: ● Dr. Sudhir Kumar, IIT Patna.

- Working on a Project to generalize RSS based localization methods across different target device.
- The aim is to extract *domain - invariant* features for RSS based localization to make it agnostic to different target devices.

Aug. 2020 - **Establishing Research Lineage via Citation Significance**, IIT Patna,
Oct. 2020 Guide: ● AI-NLP-ML Lab, IIT Patna.

- Worked on a Research project to identify Significant Citations in a Research Paper.
- The aim is to establish a Research Lineage & Identify how knowledge is transferred through research papers by creating a Citation graph through a feature engineering approach.

- April. 2020 - **Localization in Generic $\kappa - \mu$ Faded Environment,** *IIT Patna,*
 July 2020 Guide: • Dr. Sudhir Kumar, IIT Patna • Prof. Sajal Das, Missouri University.
 • Proposed a generic localization framework using $\kappa - \mu$ fading model.
 • The major contribution of the work are **approximate MLE for $\kappa - \mu$ fading** and an **Adaptive Order** based likelihood maximization using a look-up table.
 • Manuscript is submitted to a Journal for publication.
- Dec. 2019 - **Localization in Rayleigh Faded Environment,** *IIT Patna,*
 March 2020 Guide: • Dr. Sudhir Kumar, IIT Patna • Prof. Sajal Das, Missouri University.
 • Proposed a MLE based approach to localize a device in Rayleigh faded environment.
 • The major contribution of the work are **MLE for Rayleigh fading** with simultaneous parameter estimates and an **Adaptive Mini-Batch** gradient ascent method to quickly maximize the log-likelihood using current convergence state.
 • Manuscript is submitted to a Journal for publication.
- May. 2019 - **Research Intern,** *IIIT Bangalore,*
 July. 2019 Guide: • Dr. Manish Gupta, Chair Professor IIIT Bangalore.
 • Worked as a part of R&D Team of VideoKen (a IIITB based startup) and explored different methods of Speaker Diarization. Studied and made a *Pytorch* implementation of Google's **UIS-RNN**.
 • Made a primitive model able to **diarize 2 speakers** with maximum delay of 30 seconds for "Interview" type of audios.

Industrial Experience

- May 2020 - **Software Development Intern,** *Remote (due to COVID-19),*
 July 2020 CapitalVia Global Research Limited - Investment Advisor.
 • Worked with Research team of CapitalVia, to implement deploy-able framework for various trading strategies.
 • Made a UI in Python using **Flask & BeautifulSoup** to extract live data from NSE website.
 • Developed a Flask framework to provide optimum parameter for a certain strategy based on back-testing results on previous data.
- June. 2019 - **Crio Summer Of Doing - 2019,** *Remote,*
 July. 2019 Crio.Do.
 • Developed Back-end of Q-Eats (a food Ordering App) using Spring framework in Java.
 • Learnt and implemented many Industry related tools/technologies like - REST APIs, MongoDB, Caching and Docker.
 • Made an Order Page for Q-Eats in the Capstone Challenge enabling user to see his/her orders and provided various functionalities.

Projects

- July 2020 **Shakespeare In Your Service,** *Sequence Model to Generate Poem.*
 • Made a 3-layered Character generation sequence model in Pytorch to generate poem based on initial phrase given by the user as input.
 • The model is trained on Shakespeare's famous poem - Sonnet, so that the generated poem has Shakespearean taste to it.
- May 2020 **Gender Predictor,** *Sequence Model to Predict Gender.*
 • Made a Many to One Sequence Model in Pytorch to predict the gender of the person, by taking the name of the person as input.
 • The model is a single layer RNN, which is trained on Indian, Arabic & American names.
- May 2019 - **Notes Separator,** *Developer Student's Club.*
 June 2019 • Developing an app for students of IIT Patna which can automatically detect whether a given image is of someone's notes or not and will suggest you to delete them.
 • Implemented different CNN architectures such as LeNet, AlexNet, VGGNet, GoogleNet and ResNet for classification.
- Jan 2019 - **Crime Predictor,** *Data Science Course Project CS244.*
 April 2019 • Project to Forecast crimes in the city of California using OSN dataset.
 • Using various ML algorithms (Decision Tree, Random Forest, SVM, Naive Bayes, etc) to see which one best fits the data most accurately.

Jan 2018 **Celvika,**

ChatBot.

- Used the concept of **LSTMs** and **RNNs** to make a Real time primitive chatbot capable of doing conversation through GUI (like command line or shell).
- The bot is modeled using Tensorflow's seq2seq module with attention. The architecture uses 3 layers which can be configured to be either LSTM or GRU based.

Achievements

Google AI Selected and attended in **AI Summer School** hosted by Google Research India..

Codechef Secured a Global Rank of **60** in Codechef July Long Challenge'19.

Comp Coding Specialist(Blue) on Codeforces and 4-star(Purple) on Codechef.

UVa Ranked in top 5000 on UVa Online Judge.

JEE Adv. Secured **All India Rank 4880** in JEE Advanced 2017 among **150,000** candidates.

Positions Of Responsibility

April **Advisor,**

NJACK IIT Patna.

- 2020-Present
- Advisor of Machine Learning Department at NJACK, Computer Science Club of IIT Patna.
 - Conducted classes for students to make them familiar with basic concepts of Machine Learning.
 - Mentoring students and guiding club to maintain a healthy Machine learning culture in the college.

Aug 2018 - **Badminton Coordinator,**

Student Gymkhana IIT Patna.

- Present
- Lead the Badminton team of IIT Patna in various Sports tournament. Represented IIT Patna in 51st (at IIT Madras), 52nd (at IIT Guwahati) & 53rd (at IIT Bhubaneswar) **Inter IIT Sports Meet** along with 4 other teammates