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EDUCATION

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCE, PILANI

B.E. IN COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH MINOR IN DATA SCIENCE | August 2017 - Present | CGPA: 8.69/10

RELEVANT COURSEWORK: • Neural Networks and Fuzzy Logic • Machine Learning • Design and Analysis of Algorithms • Data Structures and Algorithms • Database Management Systems • Object Oriented Programming • Applied Statistical Methods

EXPERIENCE

PIXXEL | AI Researcher | Jan 2020 - Present

- Stepped down from leadership position to work on research projects. Currently working on Deep Learning for Hyperspectral Imagery.
- Working on building a labelled dataset for **Land Use Classification** from **Hyperion satellite images** using unsupervised algorithms and GIS software.
- Working on a research project to **reconstruct Hyperspectral Imagery** from optical images using **GANs**.

PIXXEL | AI Team Lead | Feb 2019 - Jan 2020

- Oversaw the work of **6 AI and SWE interns**. Coordinated the creation of a labelled dataset for road segmentation in Indian cities, using Pixxel's proprietary satellite imagery.
- Trained a **Self-Attention LinkNet** model by adapting **Perceptual Loss** for semantic segmentation. Trained the model for segmenting buildings and roads from satellite imagery. Our training technique led to the generation of **smooth and connected** segmentation masks.

PIXXEL | AI Team Member | May 2018 - Feb 2019

- Learned about cutting edge deep learning training techniques, working with cloud platforms and handling large satellite datasets.
- Worked with **multispectral (MODIS)** data for **crop yield prediction model**. Contributed to the data pipeline for gathering data using Earth Engine python API.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT | Few Shot Image Segmentation | August 2019 - Present | Advisor: Dr. Pratik Narang

- Currently working on segmenting images using limited training samples. Have achieved a **dice score of 71.1 on FSS-1000 dataset**(SOTA 80.2) using a very small and efficient model.
- Implemented meta learning algorithms **Meta-SGD, MAML and Reptile** for Few Shot Classification on Omniglot dataset.
- Adapted previous work to build a **generalised open source library for meta learning tasks** (github.com/Atom-101/MetaAI).

RESEARCH ASSISTANT | Road Sign Detection using CNNs | August 2018 - November 2018 | Advisor: Dr. Kamlesh Tiwari

- Worked on a project for detecting and classifying various Indian road signs.
- Studied the performance of various region based and single-shot object detection algorithms.
- Trained a **network based on YOLO v3** algorithm. Achieved a **mAP score of 89.71** and **F1-score of 0.94**

PROJECTS

- **Sentiment Analysis using a Convolutional Neural Network** Stream tweets or news articles in **real-time** using Twitter and Google APIs, depending upon search term given by user. Read streamed text corpuses using a **CNN model** and **word2vec** embeddings, and calculate mean sentiment on a scale of 0 to 1. **Link:** github.com/Atom-101/SentimentAnalysis
- **NumpyML: A modular CNN library**, focusing on simplicity. Shows how various layers of a neural network work. Written completely in **Python and Numpy**. Python performance issues dealt with using **Numba**. **Link:** github.com/Atom-101/NumPyML
- **Diabetic Retinopathy Diagnosis:** Trained a CNN model to detect the occurrence of Diabetic Retinopathy from fundus photography. Achieved a quadratic **Kappa score of 0.922** on a Kaggle private **test set** (13,000 images). **Link:** github.com/Atom-101/DR_Detection
- **Generating Pokemon images using a GAN** Scrape pokemon images from the internet through DuckDuckGo image search. Generate new Pokemon images using a Wasserstein GAN. **Link:** github.com/Atom-101/PokeGAN

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- **Kaggle Silver Medal:** Won a silver medal(rank 131 in private leaderboard) in APTOS 2019 Blindness Detection competition.
- **Runner's Up Philips Code2Care Hackathon, 2019:** Won 2nd place among over 7000 participating teams across India.
- **Finalist Philips Data Science Hackathon, 2018:** Was among the top 14 teams across India to qualify for the final round.

SKILLS

- **Fluent:** Python, C, Fastai, Pytorch, Numpy, Pandas
- **Moderate:** Java, C#, Tensorflow, Keras, OpenCV, Scikit-Learn, Unity3D
- **Basic:** Unity3D ML Agents, SQL, HTML, CSS, GCP, AWS