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Education

Jaypee University of Information Technology   *Solan, India*
B.Tech, Electronics and Communication Engineering | CGPA 6.5/10.0   *July 2016 - 2020*

Experience

Council of Scientific & Industrial Research   *Chandigarh, India*
Research Intern   *Dec. 2017 - Jan. 2018*
- Worked on designing high throughput classification algorithm based on Fangorn forest (F2) classification method.

Selected Projects

Lane and Vehicles Detection Pipeline

Aerial and Underwater Robotics Society   *Sept 2017 - Present*
- A computer vision software pipeline built on top of Python to identify vehicles in a video.
- Computed Camera calibration matrix and distortion coefficients for distortion correction to raw images.
- Uses color transforms, gradients, Sobel, HOG feature extraction on a labeled training set of images, Vehicles classifier and Linear SVM classifier.
- Works as a pipeline on a video stream to create a heat map of recurring detection frame by frame to reject outliers and follow detected vehicles and etermine the curvature of the lane and vehicle position with respect to the center.

IoT based Pollution Monitoring and Waste Management for smart cities

ACM Electronics Team   *May 2017 - Jun 2017*
- Established communication between dustbins & Municipalities across the city with server on web using existing network.
- Conceptualized the Route Optimization using Google maps. Used python Requests library for sending coordinates stored.
- Uses Arduino, JS, Google Maps API and Backend of program runs on flask. Won 3rd Prize in Smart City Hackathon

Motion Imitating and Path Replicating Robot

ACM Electronics Team   *Mar 2017 - Apr 2017*
- Arduino based Bot interfaced with Raspberry Pi capable of imitaing paths directed using aprilTags.
- Bot uses camera for input to handle controls using OpenCV. Developed python client for real time video stream.

Underwater Glider for Real Time Mapping with SensorTag IoT System

ACM Electronics Team   *Dec 2016 - Jan 2017*
- Accomplished automated glider controlled movement with a ballast system.
- Developed obstacle-avoiding feature and algorithm for mapping of environment using MATLAB
- Interfaced TI CC2650STK SensorTag with Raspberry Pi to retrieve data in real time.

Certifications

Robotics Specialization

Coursera | University of Pennsylvania   *Jun. 2017 - Present*
- Pursuing Robotics Specialization coursework from coursera. Already completed 5 out of 6 courses.
- Completed courses on Aerial Robotics, Robotics: Computational Motion Planning, Robotics: Mobility, Robotics: Perception and Robotics: Estimation and Learning
- Working on Capstone project on Autonomous Robot Track which is a major project required to complete the specialization. It includes simulation, Path Planning, Sensor calibration, Designing of control algorithms and Extended Kalman filter to navigate autonomously through designed environment
- Learned various aspects of Designing, Simulations and controls technique uof Robotics. Completed all the verified assignments on Octave, Python and ROS as part of the course.

Machine Learning

August 2017

- Successfully completed course on Machine Learning by Prof. Andrew Ng, Stanford University.
- Learned various algorithms for the foundation of Machine Learning and implemented on octave.
- Completed a Rudimentary Spam Classifier and handwritten digit recogniser Project as a part of Machine Learning Course.

Deep Learning Specialization

COURSERA | DEEPLEARNING.AI   *October 2017-Present*

- Successfully completed first course Neural Networks and Deep Learning of Deep Learning Specialization by Dr. Andrew Ng

Technical Skills

Languages:	**C++, Python, Bash**
Libraries & Frameworks:	**TensorFlow, OpenCV, NumPy, Torch, Keras, Matplotlib, Scikit**
Softwares:	**Octave, GIMP, Simulink, SolidWorks, Gazebos**
Hardwares:	**ATmega, Raspberry Pi, mbed LPC1768, TI Launchpads**
Systems:	**Linux: Debian/Ubuntu, ROS, Git**

Honors & Awards

2017	**World Rank 37**,	BrainWaves 2017-18, (Machine Learning Contest)	*Societe Generale*
2017	**Best Performer**,	Engineering and Entrepreneurship Workshop	*Solan, India*
2017	**3rd Place**,	Smart Cities Hackathon	*Solan, India*

Extracurricular Activity

ACM-JUIT Student Chapter

ROBOTICS AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE TEAM HEAD   *Aug 2016 to Present*

- Gained expertise in programming hardwares. Worked extensively with other members on various development boards
- Conducted workshops on Introduction to Programming and Robotics.
- Conducted a Ten Day long Bootcamp on Machine Learning.

TIEDC (Technology Incubator and Entrepreneurship Cell of JUIT)

SQUAD CHIEF   *March 2017-Present*

- Worked in fields like Management, Business Strategy, Financial Modelling and developed community for Startups.
- Coordinated with Himachal Pradesh Government on various front of establishing Startup Ecosystem in Himachal Pradesh.

Positions of Responsibility

2017-18	**Instructor**,	ACM-JUIT	Conducted Bootcamps on Machine Learning, Robotics and IoT
2017-18	**Squad Chief**,	Technology Incubation & Entrepreneurship Development Cell, (E-Cell of JUIT)
2018	**Oragnizer**,	Techstars Startup Weekend (Licence Obtained)