BHUVAN SHAH

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EDUCATION

University of Southern California

Los Angeles, California

Master's of Science in Computer Science

May 2025

Coursework: Analysis of Algorithms, Database Systems, Applied Natural Language Processing, Advanced Mobile Devices

Ahmedabad, India

Bachelor's of Computer Science and Engineering | GPA 4.0 August 2019-May 2023

Coursework: Data Science, Machine Learning, Cloud Computing, Differential Equation and Linear Algebra, Computer Systems, Operating Systems, Computer Network, Web Technology

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Indus University

Languages: Python, SQL, Deep Learning, Machine Learning, Transformers, LSTM, JavaScript, Java, C#, React, Node.js, SpringBoot Technology: Pytorch, SciKit, Git, Power BI, Container, Flask, BigQuery, Django, GCP, AWS S3, Azure, MySQL, Computer Vision, MongoDB, GCP, Hadoop, TerraForm, Kuburnetes, CI/CD pipelines & workflows

EXPERIENCE

University of Southern California

Los Angeles, California

Graduate Teaching Assistant May 2024 - Present

Facilitated 180+ students through office hours, guiding on C#, Python, and R coding, and delivered key lectures on course concepts, graded assignments with detailed feedback, developed 6+ in-class coding activities, and supported the integration of analytics into games through Firebase and Unity Analytics

Prompt Softech Ahmedabad, Gujarat

Data Scientist Intern December 2022-May 2023 Impacted 12 traders by achieving 93% accuracy with a custom LSTM neural network with bifurcated architecture using stock

- prices and Twitter sentiment polarity
- Leveraged Hadoop to manage and process large datasets exceeding 50 GB, achieving a 35% reduction in data retrieval time
- Generated over \$1200 in trading profits by optimizing trading strategies using Apache Spark for real-time data processing and model validation, complementing MQL4/MQL5 backtesting

Tornado Computer Ahmedabad, Gujarat Data Analyst Intern June 2021-July 2021

- Attained 92% accuracy in performance analysis by leveraging Apache Kafka for real-time data streaming and IoT integration, optimizing hardware performance and predicting system failures
- Reduced downtime and repair costs by 87% through implementing a neural network on TensorFlow for predictive maintenance, processing sensor data with Apache Airflow to automate data pipeline orchestration

Vueinternational Ahmedabad, India Software Developer Intern June 2020-October 2020

- Delivered a 15% increased business impact by designing and implementing interactive components with React, Tailwind CSS, Node.js, and Express.js, while integrating Redis for efficient data caching and MongoDB for data retrieval
- Enhanced transaction security by 20% through Docker-containerized Stripe API integration for secure transactions

PROJECTS

PII Detection and Masking | PyTorch, DeBertaV3, Transformers, Natural Language Processing, LLM

- Led a team of 5 people and achieved a 99.56% F-Beta Score by developing a DeBERTaV3-based NER system with advanced architecture along with embedding layers and in-context learning to enhance PII detection accuracy
- Expanded detection capabilities from 15 to 94 PII tags by leveraging Elasticsearch for scalable data storage and search. Integrated reinforcement learning with TensorFlow to optimize training, improving user data privacy

Me, Myself and Time | Unity, C#, Python, Tableau, Git, APIs, Data Visualization, Version Control

Los Angeles, CA

- Enhanced player experience by implementing a unique time-traveling mechanic, resulting in a 25% increase in engagement, as measured by player retention rates, with the game played nearly 10,000 times on the live build.
- Improved game analytics by integrating detailed heatmaps and stacked bar diagrams, achieving a 30% boost in level completion rates through data-driven design adjustments and reducing player restart rate by 20%

Forecast Finesse: Analysing stock performance | BeautifulSoup, Streamlit, Data mining, Time series forecasting | Ahmedabad, India

- Performed sentiment analysis system on live Twitter feed and Google News using a customized NLTK combined with BeautifulSoup for webscraping resulting in 92% accuracy excluding nuances such as sarcasm
- Developed a dashboard with real-time data streaming from Yahoo Finance, tweets, and Google News using Azure Stream Analytics, resulting in a 24% increase in user profitability

Analysing Student Marks | Machine Learning, Google Colab, Probability, Statistical Modeling

Engineered a robust analytical model with dimensionality reduction techniques to identify 10 key performance indicators; this targeted approach resulted in an 80% improvement in student academic performance across diverse learning environments