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ABOUT ME

Final-year CS(AI) undergraduate at KLE Tech with a focus on AI systems, evaluation, and infrastructure. Led 3 published research projects with 5 more in progress, and mentored 100+ juniors on research workflows.

EDUCATION

Degree	Institute/Percentage	CGPA	Year
B.E.	KLE Technological University, Hubballi	9.57/10	2022-2025
Class 12	Prism PU Independent College, Dharwad	92%	2022

RESEARCH AND INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

ELECTRIC VEHICLE INNOVATION CENTER, KLE TECH

Vidhyanagar, Hubballi July 2025 - Present

Undergraduate Research Student

- Selected for REU; only CSAI student from department chosen. Working under Dr.Kiran Patil.
- Investigating optimal EV charging station placement in power distribution networks to minimize grid congestion and cost using genetic algorithms.
- Exploring load forecasting, heuristic placement, and power flow analysis under real-world constraints

KNIT SPACE: Action-Based LLM testing Harness (Certificate, Github)

Sai Nagar, Hubballi February - June 2025

AI Engineering Intern

- Developed a novel evaluation framework for LLMs inspired by **Lagrangian mechanics**, modeling language generation as motion through latent space.
- Defined semantic velocity, kinetic energy, token surprisal, and a unified Action (S) metric to assess fluency, compute efficiency, and solution elegance across 239+ models.
- Introduced **Efficiency of Language Output** (**ELO** = 1/**S**) as a model-agnostic diagnostic, penalizing verbosity and reward multi-path solutions in tasks like math, reasoning, and hallucination detection.
- Deployed as a modular benchmarking tool supporting major model APIs (OpenAI, Claude, Gemini, DeepSeek, Mistral) and inference platforms (HF, OpenRouter).

PROJECTS

YET ANOTHER GAME-N-GEN: ACCEPTED IN 9TH INT'L JOINT CONF. ON ADVANCES IN COMPUTATIONAL INTELLIGENCE Github

- Designed the first unified simulator for multi-game generation using a modified Stable Diffusion v1.5, learning frame transitions for Chess, Game of Life, Snake, and Car Avoidance without game engines or symbolic rules.
- Reformulated next-frame prediction as a self-supervised latent prediction task, conditioning on prior frame +
 action token, avoiding expensive diffusion denoising while preserving 29.8 dB PSNR.
- Built and open-sourced a **670GB+ dataset**, using **RL agents** (**DQN**) for environment interaction, custom tokenization, and domain-adapted VAE decoder finetuning.
- Led a 4-person team, implemented modeling pipeline, managed training on DGX H100s, and published pretrained models on GitHub + Hugging Face.

Mobile-Friendly MaxViT: Accepted in 9th Int'l Joint Conf. on Advances in Computational Intelligence Github

- Proposed the first MaxViT-based supernet compatible with the Once-for-All (OFA) NAS framework for efficient mobile medical imaging.
- Trained a MaxViT-Small teacher on the HAM10000 dataset using imbalance-aware loss; performed knowledge distillation to student models with 66.7% compute reduction, while maintaining 82.74% macro F1.
- Deployed distilled models to iOS via CoreML; open-sourced full pipeline (PyTorch). Led a 4-member team across data prep, NAS search, distillation, and deployment on DGX H100.

GAN-Based Rib Fracture Segmentation: Published at CRM 2025, Waragnal, India

- Led team to train a SwinNet3D-based GAN on RibFrac; achieved 71.8% Dice, surpassing State-of-the-Art by 4%.
- Led a 4-member team, deployed training on DGX Tesla V100 infrastructure.

KLEIN: GLOBALLY DISTRIBUTED AI INFERENCE: (PORTFOLIO)

Github

• Designed a self-hostable AI inference platform architecture with support for versioning, multi-modal inputs, and scalable deployment (load balancing, Merkle trees, LSM caches, etc.).

PUBLICATION & PREPRINTS

- A Diffusion-Based Interactive Simulator for Multi-Game Generation, IJCACI 2025 First author
- Mobile-Friendly MaxViT: Efficient Skin Lesion Classification via NAS and Distillation, IJCACI 2025 Second author
- Transformer-GAN Enhanced Rib Fracture Segmentation: Integrating SwinUNET3D with Adversarial Learning, CRM 2025 Second author
- 5 additional manuscripts in progress (all first-author), including 2 to A* venues.
- View all Papers & Preprints

MENTORSHIP & TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Mentor - EDA Course & WiDS Datathon

July 2025 - Present

- Developed instructional materials for the Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) course; authored Python notebooks and lab templates for undergraduate instruction.
- Mentored **100**+ juniors during WiDS 2025 via model evaluation walkthroughs, code reviews, and data prep sessions mentee teams placed **4th**, **8th**, **and 15th globally** in the final leaderboard.

SKILLS

Languages: Python, C, C++, SQL (MySQL)

Frameworks & Libraries: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Hugging Face, NumPy, scikit-learn

Concepts: OOP, Data Structures & Algorithms, Web Development, REST APIs Tools & Deployment: Docker, Git, CoreML (iOS), Linux, DGX H100/V100 servers

Concepts: LLM Evaluation, Diffusion Models, Semantic Search, Distributed Systems, Model Compression

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Selected as 1 of 8 interns (and only CSAI branch student) at KNITSPACE, a highly selective research company (150+ applicants).
- Maintained highest CGPA in CSAI for 6 consecutive semesters; only student permitted CSAI branch transfer
- WiDS Datathons: Global Ranks 2024 (#14), 2025 (#38); All India Ranks 2024 (#2), 2025 (#1)