# Chirag C Dasannacharya

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## EDUCATION

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani		Rajasthan, India
Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science	CGPA - 9.54/10	2018 - 2022 (Ongoing)
National Public School, Indiranagar		Bangalore, India
CBSE 12th Board Exam	Score - $96.6%$	2018
CBSE 10th Board Exam	Score-10.0/10	2016

## INTERESTS AND SKILLS

**Domains of Interest**: Robotics, Computer Networks, Distributed Systems, Graph Theory, Programming Languages

Programming Languages and Libraries: C, C++, Python, Java, Verilog HDL; NumPy, Matplotlib, QT

# EXPERIENCE

#### Lab Research Assistant

January 2021 - May 2021 (Ongoing)

INSPIRE Lab, BITS Pilani

Pilani, India

- Studying strategies for unknown area exploration using multiple robots with constrained connectivity
- Assisting with simulation of multi-robot systems using player stage
- Assisting with implementation of strategies for simulated robots

## Undergraduate Research Intern

May 2020 - July 2020

Bhaskaracharya National Institute for Space Applications and Geo-informatics

Gandhinagar, India

- Used remote sensing methods to analyse urban heat islands in Bangalore and Ludhiana
- Implemented an algorithm to obtain Land Surface Temperature (LST) from satellite images
- Integrated algorithm into an open-source python plugin for QGIS (geographic information system). Used NumPy, GDAL, PyQgis, PyQT and more
- Developed a tool to provide statistics on temperature-related data in an area, using LST estimated from the plugin

## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

## Institute Merit Scholarship (40%)

Mar 2020

Awarded to top 3% of students

## International Linguistics Olympiad 2017 - Bronze Medal Winner

August 2017

Won a bronze medal representing India at the 15th International Linguistics Olympiad held at Dublin, Ireland

#### International Linguistics Olympiad 2018 - Participant

July 2018

Represented India at the 16th International Linguistics Olympiad held at Prague, Czechia

#### Projects

#### Graph Isomorphism | Graph Theory

August 2020 – December 2020

- Studied and presented <u>a few papers on random graph isomorphism</u>
- Implemented the papers to evaluate performance and explore improvements
- Modified algorithms to increase reliability by reducing input rejection rate without affecting time complexity

• Presented the implementation, modifications and observations

## Networking Projects | Networks, File Systems, C

September 2020 - November 2020

- Simulated Google File System (GFS) with metadata server, chunk servers and client mechanisms
- Simulated distributed merge sorting over stream sockets
- Implemented a concurrent TFTP server
- Developed a terminal shell, with piping and redirects

## Blaze | Programming Languages, Interpreters

June 2020 - Present

- Developed grammar for an imperative programming language
- Writing an interpreter for the language, in C
- Implemented scanner, parser and interpretation of functions and namespaces

#### NR-GANs | Machine Learning

September 2020 – November 2020

- Did a literature review on noise-robust methods of image generation
- Studied and presented the paper on Noise Robust Generative Adversarial Networks (NR-GANs)
- Added functionality to generate images from saved models, train with additional noise distributions, and to mix noise distributions among dataset images for training
- Observed and presented model performance on non-standard noise distributions and mixed distributions

# **QGIS** Plugin | Software Development, Python

May 2020 - July 2020

- Implemented an algorithm to calculate Land Surface Temperature (LST) using thermal and infrared band data from Landsat 5 or Landsat 8
- Designed a cross platform GUI for the implementation
- Integrated implementation and GUI with QGIS as a plugin
- Separately packaged tools for statistical analysis of resulting heatmap
- Project done with the objective of analysing urban heat islands, as an intern at BISAG-N

# Extra-Curriculars

# ACM Student Chapter - Member

September 2018 - Present

- Set recruitment question paper
- Organised Hour of Code session at local school

# Competitive Exams

# Rank 1400 - Joint Entrance Exam (JEE) - Advanced 2018

May 2018

Placed 1400th out of more than 150,000 candidates

#### Rank 775 - Joint Entrance Exam (JEE) - Mains 2018

**April** 2018

Placed 775th out of more than 1,000,000 candidates

#### CERTIFICATIONS

# Welcome to Game Theory

April 2020

MOOC by Prof. Michihiro Kandori of The University of Tokyo, through Coursera

#### Personal Details

Interests and Hobbies: Development economics, Simulating zero player games, Game development Languages Spoken: English, Hindi, Kannada, Tulu