ADVITH KRISHNAN

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EXPERIENCE

Research Intern

ETH Zurich

August 2024 - Present Zurich, Switzerland (Remote)

• Outlined the design of AI algorithms for adaptive neuroprosthetic limbs alongside Dr. Elisa Donati & Dr. Giacomo Valle under the Neural Bionics Lab & Institute of Neuroinformatics; developments aim to enhance mobility for over 300 amputees within Zurich hospitals.

Research Team Head

Odyssey Lab

December 2023 - Present Tamil Nadu, India

- Improvised 3 Visual Question Answering (VQA) + Temporal Action Localization (TAL) AI pipelines for indicating danger in CCTV footage through effective prompt engineering.
- Combined Explainable AI (XAI) methods to evaluate generative multimodal LLMs (GPT 3.5 Turbo, GPT 4 Turbo, GPT 4o & Gemini 1.5 Pro) in perceiving dangerous scenarios.
- Collaborated alongside 9 established researchers in vision-language research, and led a team of 6 interns; Submitted the complete work to a large computer vision conference.

AI Engineer

MIOT International Hospital

December 2023 - July 2024 Tamil Nadu, India

- Implemented a few-shot deep learning pipeline for shoulder-bone loss estimation & identification of shoulder dislocation type utilizing only 60 patient scans for training.
- Developed this system to assist 57 orthopedic surgeons and resolve decision-making conflicts.

AI Researcher

NASA (National Aeronautics and Space Administration)

September 2022 - October 2023 District of Columbia, USA (Remote)

- Redesigned the IMPACT team's smoke satellite imagery dataset, which contained 4 years of top-down footage; Spearheaded and evaluated residual CNNs to mitigate gradient vanishing problems.
- Mitigated data imbalance of 1:4 in the dataset through selective augmentation strategies & image feature transformations.

EDUCATION

 ${\bf B.Tech}$ in Artificial Intelligence, SRM Institute of Science and Technology CGPA - 8.28/10.00

August 2021 - July 2025

Relevant Coursework: Neural Networks and Machine Learning, Deep Learning Techniques, Design in Artificial Intelligence Products, Inferential Statistics, Advanced Calculus, Image and Video Processing, Reinforcement Learning.

SKILLS

Programming Languages Frameworks Python, C, C++, R, Java, TypeScript, JavaScript, CUDA, PostgreSQL, Bash PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Flask, Next.js, JAX, Hugging Face, LangChain, OpenCV Git, Weights and Biases, Docker, AWS EC2, AWS S3, AWS Lambda, Pinecone

PROJECTS

Miscellaneous

BourneToKill | RDKit, SciPy, Scikit-Learn, NumPy, Matplotlib | Project Link

• Engineered an AI-driven quantitative structure-activity relationship (QSAR) algorithm that identified 50+ potential Monoamine Oxidase (MAO) inhibitors, leveraging 797 PaDEL molecular descriptors for drug discovery against MAO family proteins.

Deep Divergence Graph Kernel | TensorFlow, NetworkX, NumPy, SciPy | Project Link

• Refactored a complex implementation of the Deep Divergence Graph Kernel algorithm by Google Research by leveraging TensorFlow 2.x to enhance framework compatibility and modularity for unsupervised protein graph classification.

PUBLICATIONS

Advith K., Pranav G., Ananth E., Naman N., Deeksha A., Pratham G. "ViDAS: Vision-based Danger Assessment and Scoring," In: *Indian Conference on Computer Vision, Graphics and Image Processing* (submitted).

COMMUNITY/LEADERSHIP

Next Tech Lab

- Drove strategic long-term initiatives for SRM's most esteemed and internationally recognized research lab, honored with the prestigious QS Award for Reimagining Education.
- Mentored and lectured 30+ members on EEG/MEG source localization, medical image segmentation, large language models, and spiking neural networks.
- Conducted research paper discussions and talks on spiking neural networks, attention mechanisms, and multi-modal systems for lab members.

ACHIEVEMENTS