

SARNAB BANERJEE | 21MF10054

MANUFACTURING SCIENCE & ENGG.(B.Tech 4Y)



| EDUCATION | | | |
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| Year | Degree/Exam | Institute | CGPA/Marks |
| 2025 | B.TECH | IIT Kharagpur | 8.24 / 10 |
| 2021 | ISC | Julien Day School, Ganganagar | 99.5% |
| 2019 | ICSE | Julien Day School, Ganganagar | 97.6% |

INTERNSHIPS

Al Engineering Intern | TATA Consultancy Services Limited, Kolkata

[May '24 - Jul '24]

- Extracted 350+ technical documents from PDFs of various Machine Learning textbooks using PyPDF and pre-processed them using spaCy
- Attained an F-Score of .60 by using various Zero-Shot and Few-Shot prompts on Llama-3-70B API for document-level relation extraction • Improved the F-Score on the validation set by 13.60% via fine-tuning the Llama-2-13B model using PEFT on the extracted relation triplets
- **Data Science Intern | Stanford School of Medicine**

[May '23 - Aug '23]

- Analyzed the MCH dataset with the help of various plots and heatmaps using Seaborn and extracted important features from it using PCA • Used a voting ensemble of XGBoost, CATBoost and Random Forest Regressor to predict the values of 6 independent health indicators
- Reduced the MCRMSE of the validation set by 14.94% via tuning the hyperparameters of the ensemble models using RandomSearchCV

Data Analyst Intern | IIM Udaipur

[May '23 - Jul '23]

- Utilized Fuzzy String Matching Algorithm to segregate 3 specific domains from over 2,00,000 business reviews and pre-processed them
- Employed RoBERTa model and tools like SentiStrength to analyze the changing customer sentiments for these businesses over 10 years
 Optimized topic modelling by combining BERTopic and LDA to yield interpretable topic vectors and predict the Financial Trajectories

PROJECTS

Multi-Versioned Software Fault Prediction | Bachelor's Thesis Project | IIT Kharagpur

[Aug '24 - Present]

- Encoded the features using Log Transform to address non-linearity in predicting faults and their severities in multi-versioned software
- Achieved the best R-squared of .78 by training multiple ANN architectures for the number of detected and corrected faults in test dataset • Employed various Bi-LSTM architectures in forecasting software faults across Jira and Firefox versions and got a mean R-squared of .81
- E-Commerce Website With Product Recommendations | Walmart Sparkathon

- Computed feature vectors of items using Sentence Transformers and ResNet50 and recommended similar items using Cosine Similarity Integrated Geolocation with Llama-3-70B API to fetch user demographics from product descriptions and recommend customized items
- Developed an interactive web app using React and Django with user authentication via django-rest-auth and specialized product filters

- Scraped 10,000+ algorithmic problems statements from 3 dynamic coding sites using Selenium and removed the stopwords found in NLTK
 Implemented TE IDE algorithm from persets and computed the stopwords found in NLTK
- Implemented TF-IDF algorithm from scratch and computed Inverted Index of corpus by identifying keywords and counting frequencies
 Built a Flask app spawning a Python process and displayed the top 20 questions similar to the given query with decreasing TF-IDF scores

COMPETITION/CONFERENCE

Gold Medal | NSSC Data Analytics 2023 | Exoplanet Habitability Classification

- Analyzed skewness and correlations of multiple features using plots and heatmaps from Seaborn and imputed missing values using KNN
- Extracted relevant features using **PCA** and addressed the Class imbalance in the dataset by over-sampling minority classes using **SMOTE**
- Enhanced the accuracy of XGBoost in predicting Habitability from 99.65% to 99.80% by tuning its hyperparameters using GridSearchCV

- Bronze Medal | Open IIT Data Analytics 2022 | Gender Bias Detection in Text

 Classified individual sentences into biased(0) and unbiased(1) labels using DFS and pre-processed them while keeping the pronouns intact
- Employed TF-IDF and bag-of-words for text vectorization and trained an ensemble of SVM, CATBoost and Bidirectional LSTM on them
- Achieved a Sentence-Pair Accuracy of 98.98% using a second ensemble layer of the voting model and BERT in identifying gender biases

SKILLS AND EXPERTISE

Languages: C | C++ | Java | Python | MATLAB | JavaScript | SQL | LaTeX Tools: Git | GitHub | GitLab | MS Excel | MYSQL | Google Colaboratory

Libraries: Pandas | Scikit-Learn | OpenCV | spaCy | Selenium Frameworks: TensorFlow | Keras | PyTorch | Flask | Django

COURSEWORK INFORMATION

Programming and Data Structures | Machine Learning - Foundations and Applications | Linear Algebra, Real and Complex Analysis | Probability and Statistics | Soft Computing | Entrepreneurship Essentials | LangChain for LLM Applications | Knowledge Graphs for RAG

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Achieved 1st Place in CampusPulse 2023 hosted by Kharagpur Data Analytics Group for ideating an Al-driven Library Attendance System
 Secured 3rd Position in Innovate4Swadeshi 2023 hosted by Sane Observer for building an Innovative LLM-based Content Creation App
 Achieved a General Merit Rank of 652 in West Bengal Joint Entrance Exam 2021 among 1,00,000+ applicants from all across West Bengal
 Attained a Rank among the top 1.5% in JEE Advanced 2021 and top 0.9% in JEE Mains 2021 among 1 Million candidates from all over India

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Volunteered as a cadet in the National Cadet Corps 1 Bengal EME COY NCC, IIT Kharagpur and attended its Annual Training Camp 2022
 Participated in various onstage productions and workshops being a part of Druheen Bengali Technology Dramatic Society, IIT Kharagpur
- Member of the Gold winning Rangoli Team of the Rajendra Prasad Hall of Residence in the Inter-Hall Gymkhana Championship 2023-2024 Mentored a group of 8 Freshers and Sophomores and helped them navigate through their academic journey and extra curricular activities