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Education

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

CGPA: 4.00/4.00

Master of Science (MS) in Computer Vision, Electrical and Computer Engineering

Sept 2021 - April 2023

• Courses: Advanced Computer Vision, Deep learning for CV, Reinforcement Learning, IR, NLP & LLMs, Neural Network Optimization / Pruning

Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad, India

CGPA: 8.82/10.0

BTech in Electrical Engineering

July 2015 - May 2019

• Courses: Pattern recognition & Statistical learning, Speech System (MFCC, HMM), Convex Optimization, Adaptive Signal Processing, Graph NN.

Work Experience

Rockwell Automation Austin, TX, USA

Research Scientist - I | Generative Model, SSL, Industry Automation, Condition Monitoring

July 2023 - Current

· Lead development of core algorithms for real-time visual inspection and anomaly detection in manufacturing operations.

- Implements advanced self-supervised learning models (DINOv2, SAM) for improved data efficiency and automated workflow.
- Integrates multi-modal data (motion, frequency, vision, Language) for comprehensive automated monitoring systems. Use of foundation model like 4M.

KLA Tencor Ann Arbor, MI, USA

AI Modelling Internship | Domain Adaptation Network, Diffusion Models, GAN, Image Correction, IQA

May 2022 - Sept 2022

- Implemented generative AI models (diffusion models, VAEs, GANs) for image correction, Improved the existing algorithm by reducing FP by 5%
- · Image quality assessment is done to further investigate the quality of results and choose the best qualitative image.

Hyderabad, India

Software development Engineer | Object detection, RADAR, LIDAR, Sensor Fusion, Signal Processing

May 2019 - Aug 2021

- · Led development for Image Processing & Computer Vision and Deep Learning toolboxes, supporting over 100,000 MATLAB users worldwide
- Optimized object detection workflows (YOLOv3, SSD), achieving an 8% performance improvement and reducing inference time by 12%
- · Authored and published industry-standard examples for RADAR and LIDAR-based multi-sensor fusion object detection.

Uber Lab Bangalore, India

Computer Vision Internship | 3D Object detection, Style transfer, Vanishing direction, AV

March 2019 - May 2019

- Developed a Domain Adaptation Network using Style Transfer algorithms, generating synthetic data, improving AV perception accuracy by 18%
- Implemented a 3D object detection system for vehicles, integrating 2D object detectors, camera properties, and vanishing point detection.

Research and Technical Experience

Liouville PDE-Based Reinforcement Meta Learning with Minimum attention

Ann Arbor, MI, USA

University of Michigan | RL, Meta Learning, Neural ODE, Mathematical Modelling

April 2022 - Present

- · Developed a novel meta-RL algorithm combining Liouville PDE, model ensembles, and minimum attention regularization, improving sample efficiency by 30% in complex MuJoCo environments
- Implemented Neural ODEs for efficient density estimation, enhancing model stability and generalization across diverse tasks..
- Demonstrating potential applications in improving LLM efficiency, and bridging the reality gap for Robotics application. Published in ICML 2023

Small NeRF for 3D View Reconstruction Code

Ann Arbor, MI, USA

University of Michigan | NeRF, 3D Vision, Physics-based modelling

Jan 2022 - April 2022

• Experimented with multiple reduced input image resolution and MLP architecture to find an optimal solution maintaining the satisfactory 3D reconstruction quality. Knowledge of Epipolar geometry, homography, and adaptive modelling. Skills: 3D Computer Vision, 3D meshes.

Video Quality Estimation

Ann Arbor, MI, USA

University of Michigan | Histogram Matching, SVM, Adaptive Modelling, HDR

Aug 2022 - Dec 2022

Proposed an efficient method to estimate the quality of HD videos compressed at lower resolutions. Achieved using Histogram Matching, SVM.

Perceptually Driven Conditional GAN for Fourier Ptychography(FP) Code | Paper

Hyderabad, India

Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad | Generative AI, Conditional GAN, High resolution image

Oct 2018 - July 2019

- · Proposed a Boundary Equilibrium Conditional GAN, with application to supervised magnitude and phase reconstruction in FP.
- · Resulting algorithm captured high Field of View at high resolution. Published in ASILOMAR 2019.

No-Reference Quality Assessment of HDR Images Code | Paper

Hyderabad, India

Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad | Tone Mapping, HDR, Image Quality Assessment

Jan 2017 - March 2017

• Proposed a no-reference deep learning model to estimate the mean opinion score of tone-mapped HDR images. Paper in QOMEX 2017

Multi-Label Classification through single and multi objective optimization Code | Report University of Michigan | Multi-task Learning, Surrogate risk minimization

Ann Arbor, MI, USA Aug 2021 - Dec 2021

• Analyzed and implemented multi-label classification using Single surrogate-risk min framework and Multi-objective min framework.

Vertical Search Engine for Cosmetic Code | Report

Ann Arbor, MI, USA

University of Michigan | IR, BM25, Inverted Index, Vertical search engine

Aug 2022 - Dec 2022

- Developed a vertical search engine that integrates T5 deep learning model predictions IR pipeline raking scores incorporating features BM25, Query Expansion, Sequential Dependency. Conducted large-scale web crawling, collecting and processing over 1 million cosmetic product.
- Technical Skills: Ranking, Relevance, SQM, QE, Personalized Recommendation.

Skills

Programming C, C++, Java, MATLAB, CUDA, Python (Pandas, PyTorch, Numpy, OpenCV, Keras, Tensorflow, Gym, Huggingface), SQL **Professional** Linux, Shell, Git, Perforce, AWS, Azure, Jira, Confluence, .