

# Harikesh Kushwaha

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## DATA SCIENTIST

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As a recent graduate with a strong foundation in machine learning and data science, I have worked on several personal projects with real datasets using SQL and Python. In my projects, I have showcased my skills in **data cleaning**, **data visualizations**, and **modeling**. I've also worked with NLP projects which will add value to my skillset in this position.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Languages** : Python (Proficient), SQL, JavaScript, MATLAB, C++  
**Frameworks** : Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, Keras, Django, Streamlit  
**Libraries** : matplotlib, pandas, NumPy, Seaborn, BeautifulSoup, Selenium, nltk, spaCy  
**Databases** : MySQL, MongoDB  
**Dev Tools** : VS Code, Tableau, Git, GitHub, Jupyter Notebook, Anaconda, AWS, S3  
**Soft Skills** : Analytical and Problem-Solving Skills, Good Presentation Skills, Communication skills

## EDUCATION

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**Indian Institute of Technology Delhi**  
*Master of Science in Physics, (8.6 GPA)*

New Delhi, India  
*July 2021 – May 2023 (Expected)*

**Banaras Hindu University**  
*Bachelor of Science in Physics, (8.4 GPA)*

Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh India  
*July 2018 – May 2023*

## PROJECTS

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**NLP With Disaster Tweets** *Python, TensorFlow, NLP, Text Vectorization, LSTM, GRU, CNN* [Source Code](#)

- Developed NLP models to classify disaster and non-disaster tweets using **text vectorization**, various **word embeddings**, and deep learning models including **LSTM**, **GRU**, their **bidirectional** variants, and **1D CNNs**
- Utilized the **Universal Sentence Encoder** to create embeddings on both the character and word levels, and implemented a **multivariate** model using the **functional API** of **TensorFlow**.

**TensorFlow Speech Recognition Challenge** *Python, pandas, TensorFlow, kaggle* [Source Code](#)

- Trained a deep neural network to recognize **30** different commands by creating waveforms and transforming them into **2D spectrograms** using STFT.
- Used a convolutional neural network architecture and achieved an **accuracy of about 90%** on the test set.

**IBM Data Analytics Capstone Project** *Python, pandas, Matplotlib, Web Scraping, API, Dashboard*

- Gathered and analyzed data from various sources, including **API** and **web scraping**. Conducted **exploratory data analysis** and **wrangling** to prepare the data for further analysis.
- Built a **dynamic dashboard** to extract valuable insights from the collected data, and effectively **communicated** the findings to others through an **engaging presentation**.

**Tableau Dashboards** *Tableau, Web Scraping, Web API, BeautifulSoup* [Music Books](#)

- Created an interactive **Tableau viz** showcasing my **Spotify streaming history** over several years, using **data blending** and **calculated fields** to present key insights.
- Utilized **web scraping** techniques to extract my book reading history from **Goodreads** and created an interactive **Tableau** dashboard to analyze and visualize the data.

## CERTIFICATIONS

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- Deep Learning Specialization (DeepLearning.AI) [Certificate](#)
- Machine Learning Specialization (DeepLearning.AI) [Certificate](#)
- TensorFlow Developer Certificate in 2022: Zero to Mastery (Udemy) [Certificate](#)