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EDUCATION

University of California, Santa Cruz

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science GPA: 3.64

Santa Cruz, CA Sep 2020 - Mar 2023

Work Experience

X-Camp Academy Teaching Assistant San Jose, CA Jul 2022 - Present

- Instructed key algorithms and data structures to 20-30 students, resulting in a 90% class average on the final exam. Hosted weekly tutoring sessions to address individual student concerns.
- Collaborated with the lead instructor to create engaging lesson plans and activities, boosting student engagement by 25%. Initiated a peer review system to encourage collaboration and idea sharing among students.
- Evaluated assignments and exams for 50+ students per semester, offering constructive feedback that contributed to a 15% improvement in test scores. Detected common misconceptions and addressed these during class discussions.
- Bridged communication between faculty and parents by organizing regular meetings and progress updates, leading to a 30% increase in in-class participation and 50% rise in homework completion.

SKILLS

Programming Languages: C, C++, Java, Python, Dart, Javascript, Typescript, Haskell ML Libraries: Tensorflow, Keras, NumPy, Pandas, Scikit Learn, OpenCV

Visualization/Other Libraries: MatplotLib, Seaborn, D3Js

Projects

Eat Safely React, Flask, Tensorflow, Pandas, MatplotLib, Numpy

https://eat-safely.vercel.app

https://github.com/IdkwhatImD0ing/EatSafely/blob/main/model.ipynb

Developed EatSafely, a web app detecting spoiled fruits using image recognition, achieving 97% accuracy with Mobile Net Transfer Learning.

Paddy Plant Prognosis Tensorflow, Vite, Flask, TailwindCSS https://www.paddyplantprognosis.tech/https://github.com/IdkwhatImD0ing/PaddyPlantPrognosis/blob/main/modelv2.ipynb

Collaborated with a team to develop an app aiding farmers in identifying paddy crop diseases using computer vision, achieving 97% accuracy via Mobile Net Transfer Learning.

Sink or Swim NextJS, Flask, Tensorflow, TailwindCSS, OpenAI https://github.com/simon-quach/sink-or-swim/blob/main/titanic.ipynb

https://sinkorswim.vercel.app/

Led a group project to create a web app predicting Titanic survival chances and generating narratives, utilizing a custom RNN with 84% accuracy.

PenmanshipPro React, Express, Tensorflow, Keras https://kazitasin07.wixsite.com/penmenshipro https://github.com/Renaud2002/PenmanshipPro-TLE/blob/main/model.ipynb

Coordinated with a team to design a web app enhancing handwriting skills through interactive exercises, achieving 86% accuracy with a custom CNN model.

Disease Classification Sklearn, Numpy, Seaborn, MatplotLib

https://github.com/IdkwhatImD0ing/Kaggle/blob/main/Diseases/model.ipynb

Built a disease classification tool using Sklearn classifiers on a Kaggle Dataset. Final classifier achieved 100% accuracy.

Fruit Classification Tensorflow, MatplotLib, Tensorflow, NumPy, Pandas

https://github.com/IdkwhatImD0ing/Kaggle/blob/main/Fruit360/model.ipynb

Implemented an ML project to classify fruits using EfficientNetB0, achieving 99% validation accuracy and 96% test accuracy.

AWARDS

Cruzhacks 2022 Winner

Cruzhacks

Honored for winning a sponsor prize at Cruzhacks 2022

Jan 2022

Gracehacks 2022 Winner

Gracehacks

Awarded for developing the best mobile application at Gracehacks $2022\,$

Nov 2022

Cruzhacks 2023 Winner

Cruzhacks