**Education**

**Masters of Computer Science Sept 2022 – June 2024 (Expected)**

University of California, San Diego (UCSD) CGPA: 3.97/ 4

*Relevant Courses*: Software Engineering, Advanced Data-Driven NLP, Deep Learning, Distributed and parallel systems

**Bachelor Of Engineering (Computer Engineering) August 2018 – July 2022**

Vivekanand Education Society’s Institute of Technology (VESIT) CGPA: 9.013/ 10

*Relevant Courses*: Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Artificial Intelligence, Web Development, DBMS, OS

**Internship Experience**

*Graduate Student Researcher,* **Ujima S&P Lab**  **March 2023 – Present**

* Building a “Smart Mirror” on Raspberry Pi using VGG-Face TF-Lite Model, trained on 100,000 images, to detect ethnicity, address the existing biases in CV datasets, and contribute to the public domain via user feedback.
* Developed a rule-based security chat assistant using Rasa in an unstructured, fast-paced startup-like environment.

*Machine Learning & Cyber Security Intern,* **Legendary Entertainment**  **June 2023 – Dec 2023**

* Created a shortcut dashboard that reduced the total time taken by the SOC analyst from 80 minutes to about 4 minutes daily in tracking user-anomaly events by integrating Splunk Dashboard and Azure MSGraphs APIs via Python Scripting.
* Maintained a high level of security while streamlining a user’s authentication process by integrating a FIDO Alliance product into the existing SAML/OIDC SSO workflow.
* Assisted the VP of security in laying the foundation of a next-gen universal anomaly and user-behavior detection platform based on LLMs in collaboration with Sky High Security by building a prototype in Splunk.

*Full Stack Development Intern,* **Makos Infotech (Startup)**  **June 2021 – August 2021**

* Integrated and developed server-side code using JQuery, PHP, and MySQL for a small and versatile team targeting the automation of the On-campus placement process agile methodologies.
* Created and merged relational databases using MySQL workbench and deployed it on AWS RDS to develop a college-student-company social network inspired by Facebook’s friend system.
* Established a mentorship-onboarding program for new undergraduate interns, aligning them with the existing codebase and processes, saving the company at least 1 week of time and effort.

*Web Developer Intern*, **VESIT Renaissance Cell** **June 2020 – July 2020**

* Led the design and development of a Django-based [Paper Publication Web service](https://github.com/JayJhaveri1906/Django_Website_publications/) for 50 professors hosted on [Heroku](https://cmpn-publications-official.herokuapp.com/), serving approximately 250 CSE students.
* Developed a [Portfolio Website template](https://jayjhaveri190600.web.app/) using HTML/CSS/JS and Bootstrap, deployed on Google’s Firebase.

*Data Analyst Intern*, **Leadingindia.ai** **May 2020 – July 2020**

* Collaborated with a team of four to develop a vaccine prediction model for H1N1 and seasonal flu vaccines, accurately predicting public acceptance trends (41%) for the COVID-19 vaccine, securing first place among 85 intercollege peer groups.
* Published a [research paper](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-0401-0_11) in IACC 2020 & authored a [blog](https://medium.com/@jjhaveri1906/pandemics-a-harsh-reality-7c05254e907b) highlighting the correlation between H1N1 and COVID-19 pandemics.

**Projects**

**[Alt Bot for Mastadon: An automatic image alt generation bot](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1smZzOd8u-NhgbotJRkn2Eqw5WmXVxA-XSB0afzxaNWE/edit?usp=sharing)** [(Github)](https://github.com/CSE210-Fall23-Team2/AltBot) **Sep 2023 – Dec 2023**

* Developed a REST-API based Chrome extension in JS to help visually impaired people browse decentralized social media feeds by leveraging hugging face image captioning models to generate alternative image descriptions.
* Deployed 3 levels of custom cache system to ensure efficient performance with minimal lag complemented with testing scripts.

[**MedLM: Exploring Language Models for Medical QnA Systems**](https://arxiv.org/abs/2401.11389)[(Github)](https://github.com/JayJhaveri1906/CSE291_MedLM) **March 2023 – Aug 2023**

* Led a team of 4 to fine-tune language models (e.g., Bloom, T5, GPT-2) on the MedQuad dataset, in collaboration with Microsoft researcher Dr. Asma Ben Abacha, comparing performance against larger models (GPT-3.5, GPT-4) through dynamic prompting.
* Implemented ROUGE and BLEU metrics and conducted human surveys for doctors and patients to evaluate the models.

**[Divya-Drishti: An Independent Aid for the Visually Impaired](https://github.com/JayJhaveri1906/Divya-Drishti) Aug 2020 – May 2021**

* Achieved a 400% net cost reduction by creating a real-time Voice-activated AI-IoT accessible android application to help Visually Impaired People (VIPs) comparable to state-of-the-art OrCam in detecting currency, objects, and scenes.
* Published a [research paper](https://dx.doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.3867707) highlighting the needs of VIPs, funded by the Mumbai University Minor Research Grant.

[**International Flutter Hackathon: Healthy While Distant**](https://flutterhackathon.com/#/projects/d4be9c60-b780-11ea-bef2-c18facb90b87)[(Github)](https://github.com/JayJhaveri1906/Healthy-While-Distant) **June 2020 – 48 Hours**

* Developed a Flutter/Dart app using Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE) technology to help users maintain social distancing during COVID-19, alerting them when within six feet of another device.
* Secured a top 150 position out of all participating teams worldwide.

[**Automated Number Plate Recognition and Parking System**](https://github.com/JayJhaveri1906/AutomaticParkingSystemANPR) **Dec 2019 – Feb 2020**

* Built an Android-Java app connected to a Firebase server to automate security and monitor space availability in parking systems.
* Utilized OCR on existing CCTVs to detect number plates at entry and exit gates, improving parking management efficiency.

**Selected Research Publications**

Inampudi S., **Jhaveri J.** et al., (2021) **Machine Learning Based Prediction of H1N1 and Seasonal Flu Vaccination**. Advanced Computing. IACC 2020. Communications in CIS, vol 1367. Springer, Singapore. [DOI.org Link](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-0401-0_11)

**Skills:** Python, Pytorch, Tensorflow, Android-Java, HTML/CSS, Javascript, C, Java, Docker, Git, Linux, GCP, Azure, AWS, Firebase