# Khawaja Abaid Ullah

Creator Teras | Machine Learner | Kaggle Expert

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Computer Science graduate specializing in data science and machine learning (through self-learning). I've created Teras, which is a Keras-based unified deep learning library for tabular data.

I also blog about Machine Learning on medium. Check them out!

#### SKILLS\_

Programming: Python, JavaScript, C++, C#

Data Wrangling: Pandas, Numpy, Scipy, Statsmodels, NetworkX

Visualization: Matoplotlib, Seaborn

Machine Learning: Keras/Tensorflow, PyTorch, Scikit-Learn, XGBoost, CatBoost, LightGBM

NLP: AllenNLP, NLTK, Spacy, Hugging Face

Database: SQL, MongoDB

Cloud: **AWS EC2** 

Web Scraping: Requests, Beautiful Soup, Selenium, Scrapy

Django, PyQt5, Git, OpenCV, Photoshop, MS Office Others:

#### EDUCATION\_

University of Narowal

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Science** (GPA: **3.69**/4.0) 2017-2021

# CERTIFICATES \_

Harvard University's CS 50

CS50x 2022 Intro to Computer Science (Official Certificate Link)

**Educational Testing Service** 

Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL): 110/120 Marks Sep, 2021

#### EXPERIENCE \_\_\_\_

#### **Open-Source Developer / Self Employed**

May 2022 – Present

- **Teras:** A Unified Deep Learning Library for Tabular Data (*Github*)
- Prewordict: An NLP based nerdy game. (https://khawajaabaid.github.io/prewordict/)
- TweetsCloudBot: A twitter bot that generates word clouds of tweets. (Bot Twitter Link)
- eBookEZ: A desktop application that finds meanings and synonyms of English words. (Github)

#### Junior Python Developer (Remote) / Comundo, Denmark

Feb 2023 – May 2023

- Developing semi-supervised, robust web scrapers for data curation
- Aggregating the scraped data to store in database

# Personal Goal Pursuit / Career Break

Aug 2021 – Apr 2022

- Applied for Stanford's Knight-Hennessy Scholarship and the Fulbright's scholarship
- Self-learned Machine Learning skills

### Teras – A Unified Deep Learning Library for Tabular Data / Open-Source Project

- Provide state-of-the-art deep learning architectures for tabular data proposed by researchers under a uniform API.
- Implement classification, regression, data generation, imputation architectures and much more! **USED:** Keras, TensorFlow, TensorFlow-Probability, Scikit-Learn

**Repo:** https://github.com/KhawajaAbaid/teras

#### Prewordict / A fun little nerdy game (Inspired by Wordle)

- Processed 180,000 medium articles and clustered the similar words
- Generated word clouds from these clusters. Given a word cloud, user has to predict one word that best belongs in the word cloud.

*USED:* Scikit-Learn (TFIDF, SVD, KMeans), WordCloud, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Kaggle *Play it here:* https://khawajaabaid.github.io/prewordict/

#### Crowd Detection and Behavior Analysis / Final Year Project, BS-CS

- Worked on Computer Vision to train Deep Learning models for Person Detection as well as Detection of Certain (similarly attired) Groups among crowd.
- Developed custom algorithms for Chaos Detection and Crowd Detection

USED: TensorFlow Object Detection API, OpenCV, Matplotlib, PyQt5, Google Colab

#### Gamer Assistant / Addresses the unaddressed needs of gamers

- A website based on Django and consisting of three main components as highlighted below.
- FPS Predictor v2: Predicts the expected FPS for a user specified PC for a specified game
  - o Scraped and curated FPS and games data from sites like Steam & Techpowerup.
  - Used XGBoost to build the FPS Predictor
- Games Recommender: Recommends games based on user's specified PC
- *PC Recommender:* Recommends PC components based on user's favorite games

USED: Django, XGBoost, Pandas, Scikit-Learn, Beautiful Soup, Requests

#### Video Games FPS Predictor v1

- Scraped games info and their FPS data from the internet (Steam and other sites)
- Used Random Forest algorithm to build the FPS predictor

USED: Scikit-Learn, Pandas, Requests, Beautiful Soup

# HONORS, AWARDS ———

• **Topper** Computer Science Class of 2021 / University of Narowal

July 2021

• Kaggle Expert / Kaggle

Feb 2023

# TWITTER ACHIEVEMENTS \_\_\_\_\_

Replied by Yann LeCun

June 2023

# **ACTIVITIES**

I'm always in the pursuit of learning. I participate in Kaggle Competitions and blog about Machine Learning on medium. I love books, coding, gaming, F1 and jogging.