Niraj Jaishwal

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OBJECTIVE

Motivated Computer Science and Applied Mathematics enthusiast with a strong foundation in Machine Learning, Statistical Analysis, and Data Engineering, seeking to apply analytical skills and technical expertise to drive data-driven decisions and innovation.

EDUCATION

University of Akron, Akron, OH

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics with Focus in Data Science (Dual Major)

Minor in Statistics

Honors: President's List (Spring 2022, Fall 2024, Spring 2025), Dean's List (Fall 2022 – Spring 2024)

EXPERIENCE

Entrepreneurial Programs Intern, University of Akron Research Foundation (Akron, OH)

June 2024 – Present

GPA: 3.842/4.0

Expected Graduation: Dec 2025

- Independently created and maintained I-Corps dataset of 1,000+ teams (2013–present), covering all participants to track grants, assess program outcomes, and support NSF reporting.
- Managed backend operations for 45+ teams per cohort in Basecamp and coordinating profiles for 130+ instructors and participants per cohort, ensuring seamless program execution.
- Optimized tasks like certificate creation, reporting, and data management using Python scripts, VBA macros, mail merge and Excel functions, boosting efficiency and reducing manual work by more than 50%.

Student Technical Support Analyst - Information Technology Services, The University of Akron (Akron, OH) April 2024 - Present

- Provide technical support to students, faculty and staff by resolving hardware, software, accounts and network issues through inperson, and phone using Microsoft Azure and Microsoft Intune.
- Maintain 20+ loaner laptops by performing routine maintenance, software updates (e.g. Microsoft Suite, Adobe), reimaging and hardware configurations, ensuring 100% readiness for checkout.
- Document technical issues and solutions in the ticketing system, creating clear and detailed records to improve future troubleshooting and reduced resolution times by 15%.

Student Supervisor - Bierce Library at The University of Akron (Akron, OH)

April 2022 - Present

- Manage library operations during non-staff hours, ensuring a secure and efficient environment for patrons.
- Provide in-depth guidance to patrons on utilizing both physical and digital resources like databases and the university catalog.
- Troubleshoot and resolve technical issues with library equipment minimizing disruptions for patrons.

SKILLS

Languages Python, R, SQL, JavaScript, C++, C#, HTML, CSS

Technologies PyTorch, TensorFlow, PowerBI, Flask, Minitab, SAS, SPSS, Git, VS Code, Visual Studio, StatCrunch

Traits Critical Thinking, Time Management, Problem-Solving, Adaptability

PROJECTS

Telecommunication Customer Churn Prediction

- Built a Decision Tree Classifier using scikit-learn on 7,000+ telecom records, achieving 80% accuracy and deploying it via Flask API for an interactive web interface.
- Developed predictive models (CART, CHAID, Exhaustive CHAID, Logistic Regression) in SPSS, achieving up to 80% accuracy.
- Performed EDA, feature engineering, and hyperparameter tuning to improve model performance and interpretability.

Smartphone Market Analysis: A Comparative Study of Apple and Samsung Brands Phones

- Conducted in-depth analysis of factors influencing selling prices for Apple and Samsung phones, analyzing over 3,000+ data points to identify key trends and pricing patterns.
- Led data analysis and developed regression models using pandas, NumPy, scikit-learn, and statsmodels, achieving 90% accuracy in predicting selling prices.
- Created visualizations using matplotlib and seaborn, effectively communicating insights to provide actionable recommendations.

Stock Price Analyzer using LSTM

- Developed a Deep Learning model using LSTM with extensive feature engineering, creating six technical indicators (MACD, RSI, ATR, etc.) to enhance stock price movement predictions.
- Applied CrossEntropyLoss and holdout validation, optimizing hyperparameters for better model generalization and evaluation.
- Deployed the model via Flask API, automating data processing and execution using Bash scripting.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & CERTIFICATIONS

- Mathematics Tutor
- Treasurer of Everest Student Nepalese Organization
- William Honors College Peer Mentor

- Member of Alpha Lambda Delta
- IBM Machine Learning with Python (Coursera)
- Google Data Analytics (Coursera) In Progress

Availability: Dec 2025 (Full Time)