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RESEARCH To formalize an explanatory theory of Intelligence.

INTERESTS Machine Learning, Neuroscience, Bio-chemistry, Physics, Psychology.

EDUCATION BMS College of Engineering, Bangalore, India

B.E., Electrical and Electronics Engineering, April 2019

(first class with distinction)

PUBLICATIONS Multi-PCA Driven Approach for Fault Detection and Root Cause Analysis of Pro-

cess Equipment <sup>1</sup>

Jinendra K G, Rahul K. Vij, Srini .R, Lakshwin Shreesha M. K

AAAI Spring Symposium: Combining Machine Learning with Knowledge Engineer-

ing (1), 2020

RESEARCH RIT, Rakuten Research Lab

July 2019 to December 2019

EXPERIENCE Bangalore, India

#### **Contextual Embedding**

Reasoning about an image by inferring relationships between objects.

- Developed a neural network that embedded representations of associated objects together in feature space.
- Tried to infer relationships using the posterior:

$$P(y = 2^{nd}object \mid x = 1^{st}object)$$

### Unsupervised image classification

- Developed an iterative, clustering based, image classification process for unlabelled images.
- Re-purposed Grad-CAM in the resulting classifier to localize the object of interest.

#### **ABB Research Lab**

**June 2018 to August 2018** 

Bangalore, India

## Fault detection using multiple principal component analysis

• Designed and published the Multi-PCA algorithm.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Blue links hyper-reference projects, research papers, and relevant institutions.

## Undergraduate Research

# Traj2Vec: An Inverse Reinforcement Learning algorithm<sup>2</sup>

An algorithm that tries to learn a task by watching a human expert show it how.

- Ran analytical experiments on Apprenticeship learning and Guided cost learning in a custom environment to assess their strengths and weaknesses.
- Designed the CNN-autoencoder to spatially encode trajectories.

## Engineering Projects

- Open sourced an implementation of the paper *Editing text in the wild*: a scene text editing generative adversarial network. (2020)
- Built an Electric skateboard: Designed the radio controller and power delivery system. (2018)

#### **AWARDS**

- Third place at AccelATHON<sup>3</sup>: We leveraged a Resnet-101 to diagnose Diabetic Retinopathy. (2019)
- First place at ABB Hackathon: We developed a long range cloud based solution using LoRa to enable data transmission from remote villages. (2018)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>A list of my projects (with code) can be found here: projects@notion.lakshwin

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>An intercollegiate hackathon for social innovation.