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EXPERIENCE

Taral AI

Jun 2024 – Aug 2024

Houston, TX

Machine Learning Engineer Intern

- Developed an LLM-powered SaaS toolchain to automate unit test generation, reducing manual workload by 40% and showcasing LLM's reasoning capabilities through prompt-driven code comprehension.
- Built and deployed scalable ML pipelines on Amazon SageMaker for data preprocessing and model training optimization, achieving 43% faster deployment cycles and enhancing data quality.
- Integrated and maintained AI models (Claude AI, ChatGPT-4, Gemini 1.5 Pro) in production with 95% uptime, delivering robust evaluation documentation for scalable inference and benchmarking.
- Led performance benchmarking of Claude AI, ChatGPT-4, and Gemini 1.5 Pro through prompt refinement strategies to enhance reasoning capabilities.

Persistent Systems

Mar 2021 – Jul 2023

Associate Data Analyst

Pune, India

- Executed complex SQL queries to clean, transform, and manage large-scale financial datasets, **improving data** accuracy by 48%.
- Crafted custom Tableau dashboards to track financial metrics and investment performance, **streamlining reporting** workflows.
- Collaborated with stakeholders to translate complex metrics into interactive dashboards using advanced SQL and ETL pipelines, enhancing strategic decision-making.
- Enabled strategic financial planning by integrating trend analysis and KPI monitoring, resulting in a 52% boost in data accuracy.
- Applied Agile methodologies to iterate on client requirements, achieving a 90% customer satisfaction rate through adaptive financial solutions.

LinkCode Technologies

Mar 2019 – Oct 2020

Data Science Intern

Pune, India

- Used Python, Pandas, and machine learning algorithms to clean and analyze large datasets, **improving customer** segmentation accuracy by 59%.
- Applied business intelligence techniques to enhance operational efficiency and data-driven decision-making.

PROJECTS

AI-Powered Mock Interviewer ☑ | Prompt Engineering, LLMs, GenAI

Jan 2025 - Apr 2025

- Engineered a data ingestion pipeline to scrape and normalize 10,000+ interview questions from platforms like Glassdoor and GeeksforGeeks using Groq API, Docker, and AWS Lambda, enabling large-scale training of domain-specific LLMs.
- Built and deployed a voice-interactive AI interview platform using **AssemblyAI** for real-time transcription and Google TTS for speech synthesis, delivering real-time, personalized mock interviews via a NextJS frontend.

Wildfire Prediction in the USA 🗹 | PowerBI, Data Mining

Jun 2024 - Dec 2024

- Demonstrated a Power BI dashboard that integrated data sources to enhance real-time wildfire risk visualization, overcoming accessibility challenges and improving disaster response efficiency by 15%.
- Enhanced the wildfire risk dashboard's interactivity to **overcome static data challenges**, **improving decision-making**. Added slicers, mapped high-risk zones, and identified key factors, **resulting in more vital insights and better risk assessment**.

EDUCATION

San Jose State University

Aug 2023 - May 2025

 $Master\ of\ Science\ in\ Applied\ Data\ Science$

San Jose, CA

Coursework: Machine Learning, Big Data, Database Systems, Data Visualization, Deep Learning

University of Pune

May 2016 - Apr 2020

Bachelor of Engineering in Information Technology

Pune, India

Coursework: Machine Learning, Database Management, Cloud Computing, Computer Organization

SKILLS

Analysis & Visualization Tools: Tableau, Power BI, Excel (VLOOKUP, Pivot Tables, VBA), Looker, Alteryx.

Programming Languages: R, Advanced SQL, Python, Java, Linux Shell, C#, C++.

Database Management Systems: MySQL, Oracle, MongoDB, CouchDB, AWS DynamoDB, AWS Redshift, Google BigQuery, NoSQL, Spark, Kafka, Kubernetes, Docker, Hadoop.

Data Skills: ETL Pipelining, Data Modeling, Data Presentation, Data Warehousing, Statistics, Apache Airflow.

Data Science: Predictive Modeling, A/B Testing, Causal Inference, Bayesian Methods.

Cloud Technologies/Data Warehouse: AWS, Google Cloud Platform (GCP), Azure, Snowflake.

Tools/Services: Git, REST API, RESTful Services, JSON, DevOps, Postman, Slack, PyCharm, JIRA.

Other Skills: Strong Analytical Skills, Problem-Solving, Collaboration, Business Communication.