# PRAJWAL KUMAR

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#### **EDUCATION**

Carnegie Mellon University
Maharshi Dayanand University

M.S. in Artificial Intelligence Engineering – Information Security

GPA: 3.6 / 4.0 — Dec 2025 GPA: 8.27 / 10 — Jun 2024

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science & Engineering

## **MACHINE LEARNING & AI EXPERIENCE**

- Built a multimodal AI agent using CNN (speech), BERT (text), and LLMs; achieved 0.73 confidence, 0.8 semantic coherence.
- Developed a LangChain + RAG supplement advisor with FastAPI and AWS; integrated explainable ML for transparency.
- Created a multilingual RAG assistant using Mistral AI + ChromaDB; supported 5 languages with cosine-based search.
- Built a malware classifier (ResNeXt CNN + XGBoost + GPT); achieved 99.68% accuracy with GUI and LLM explanations.
- Published an IEEE paper on deep learning-based encryption for securing medical images and EHRs in IoMT systems.
- Built Transformer from scratch using PyTorch for character-level text generation with attention, masking, and embeddings.
- Built a SparkML pipeline on FIFA data (18K+ rows, 100+ features) for rating prediction and clustering; containerized with Docker.
- Integrated Whisper, Stable Diffusion, and ControlNet to generate real-time speech-to-image outputs using GANs and Streamlit.

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

## Machine Learning Developer Intern, Qriocity

Jan 2024 - Feb 2024 | Chennai, India

- Engineered medicine prescription ontology using TensorFlow and RDFLib with graph-based knowledge representation.
- Implemented email phishing detection model using ensemble of Logistic Regression classifiers with TF-IDF vectorization for feature extraction, achieving 96% accuracy with focus on minimizing false negatives.
- Created Speech-to-Text interview system with SpeechRecognition and natural language processing pipeline, incorporating probabilistic model for recruitment likelihood prediction with Streamlit deployment.
- Designed emotion detection system using transfer learning in TensorFlow with K-NN for psychological indicators.

## Machine Learning Intern, ScriptEdge Pvt. Ltd.

Jul 2022 - Aug 2023 | Akola, India

- Implemented generative multimodal system using Stable Diffusion with ControlNet for conditional image generation, integrating OpenAl Whisper for speech-to-text and custom prompt engineering for domain-specific outputs.
- · Engineered multilingual text classification system using bidirectional LSTM networks with attention mechanisms.
- Built RASA conversational AI with 30+ intents, custom NER pipeline, and database integration for enterprise deployment.
- Designed computer vision system for QR code artistic integration using conditional GAN architecture with ControlNet, implementing perceptual loss functions to maintain QR functionality while maximizing aesthetic quality.

#### **Data Science Intern, Zummit Infolabs**

Nov 2022 - Mar 2023 | Bengaluru, India

- Led development of driver drowsiness detection using CNN-LSTM with Keras and OpenCV (94% accuracy, 2800 images).
- Designed Squeeze-Excitation Network for image quality classification with channel attention mechanisms (92% accuracy).
- Developed toxic content classifier using PyTorch with BERT embeddings and adversarial training (96% accuracy).
- Engineered NLP chatbot with hierarchical attention networks, contextual memory, and entity recognition.

## **ACADEMIC RESEARCH & PROJECTS**

# Malware Classification using Multi-Modal Approaches – Carnegie Mellon University (GitHub)

Designed a multi-modal malware detection pipeline using CNN (ResNeXt), XGBoost (n-grams), and LLaMA-based LLMs, achieving 99.68% image classification accuracy and building a real-time GUI with JSON-based LLM explainability.

# Emation-Aware Multimodal Al Companion - Carnegie Mellon University (GitHub)

• Built a multimodal AI companion with speech-to-text (Google API), CNN-based SER (71.2%), and Transformer models; improved LLM empathy by 30% via psychoanalysis modules and deployed a Streamlit app for real-time emotion feedback.

## End-to-End Movie Recommender with Kafka, Kubernetes, and A/B Testing - Carnegie Mellon University (GitHub)

• Built a scalable KNN-based movie recommender (NDCG@10 = 0.9983, 65K+ QPS) with Dockerized microservices, Kubernetes, CI/CD (Jenkins), and CRON-based retraining; integrated A/B testing and real-time monitoring with Prometheus + Grafana.

## Multilingual RAG Pipeline for Research Paper Recommendation using Mistral AI - Carnegie Mellon University (Github)

• Developed a multilingual RAG pipeline with ChromaDB for semantic search across research papers. Integrated Mistral LLM with LangChain, compared embedding models and deployed a Streamlit application for paper recommendations.

#### **SKILLS**

Languages & Libraries: Python, SQL, Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Keras, OpenCV, NLTK, PySpark ML & GenAl Tools: Hugging Face Transformers, LangChain, Mistral AI, ChromaDB, MLflow, Prompt Engineering, Vector Databases Cloud & MLOps: AWS, Google Cloud (Vertex AI, Gemini, BigQuery), Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins, Prometheus, Grafana, CI/CD Infrastructure & Databases: Git, Linux, Flask, PostgreSQL, Neo4j, Kafka