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EDUCATION

• Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Kharagpur West Bengal, India

Dual Degree (B.Tech+M.Tech) - Mechanical & Financial Engineering; GPA: 9.04/10 December 2020 - Present

• BLM Academy, Haldwani Class 12, Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE); Score: 96.8% Uttarakhand, India May 2019

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• Himalaya Inter College, Chaukori Class 10, Uttarakhand Board; Score: 95.2% Uttarakhand, India May 2017

Internships Experience

• Microsoft Corporation - Software Development Intern

May'23 - July'23

Objective: Enabling Natural Language Query Searches in Windows Copilot

- Enhanced search capability to 120% for Windows Copilot by developing & integrating natural language search feature
- o Implemented Windows Search Architecture using C++/ WinRT & achieving 10% reduction in search execution time
- o Achieved 99.5% accuracy in utilizing Windows SQL, Advanced Query Syntax to retrieve & manipulate data in Copilot

• Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs) Image Colourization

Sept'21 - Jan'22

Supervisor: Prof. Sanand Dilip Athlaye, IIT Kharagpur

- Utilised GANs for image colorization with TensorFlow, PIL, and scikit-learn leveraging a game theory approach
- Developed the generator with encoder-decoder **UNet** architecture and the discriminator with **soft labels** training
- o Deployed Adam optimizer for optimization of generator and discriminator generating images from grayscale inputs
- o Added Peak Signal-to-Noise Ratio (PSNR) & Structural Similarity Index (SSIM) for assessment of colorization quality

PROJECTS

• Predictive Modeling using Recurrent Neural Networks (RNN)

Jan'23 - Mar'23

Supervisor: Prof. Buddhananda Banerjee, IIT Kharagpur

- o Developed S&P500 predictions based on Single & Multiple Linear Regression models & using 4 global indices'
- \circ Leveraged 5+ models including SARIMAX garnering 98.53% accuracy & 98.91% accuracy deploying LSTM model
- \circ Harvested the conditional volatility & mean returns using the **EGARCH** model using **Monte Carlo** simulation

• Augmented Reality Superimposition with Computer Vision

Oct'22 - Nov'22

Objective: Real-time image augmentation of input image on user video with computer vision

- Performed stepwise object detection, object tracking, and feature matching with OpenCV library for computer vision
- o Deployed the Oriented FAST & Rotated BRIEF detector to detect key points and FLANN for feature matching
- o Augmented the desired image on input with homography matrix using perspective-transform and warp-perspective

• Data Visualisation and Prediction Web Application

Objective: Development of a web application for Exploratory Data Analysis

- o Developed a web application using streamlit & ReactJS to produce data driven insights & was deployed on Heroku
- o Designed app with accuracy of 96% using best of Random Forest Algorithm, Decision Tree & Linear Regression
- o Garnered an accuracy of more than 80% for a variety of customised data-set inputs with 15+ vivid kinds of plots

• Natural Language Processing (NLP) Research Paper Summarizer

Objective: Summarizing research papers using hugging face transformers

- o Created a research paper summarizer based on natural language processing (NLP) using Hugging Face Transformers
- Leveraged transformer's Tokenizer & AutoTokenizer, AutoModelForSeq2SeqLM functions with NLTK library
- o Deployed the BERT, BARD, DistilBART, T5, and Pegasus transformer model to develop research paper summarizer

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Secured 13th rank in State Boards and was awarded by Chief Minister of Uttarakhand for Academic Excellence
- Ranked among top 1.5% out of 2 lakhs in JEE-Advanced 2020 & top 0.2% out of 8.5 lakhs in JEE-MAIN 2020
- Secured department change with CGPA of 9.39 at end of first year, being within top 3% of students of 2020 Batch

Relevant Coursework

- Mathematics: Probability & Statistics, Regression Analysis & Time Series, Advanced Calculus, Linear Algebra and Numerical & Complex Analysis, Partial Differential Equations, Transform Calculus, Operations Research, Real Analysis
- Analytics: Machine Learning Foundations & Applications, Supervised Learning (Regression & Classification), Advanced Learning Algorithms, Unsupervised Learning, Recommenders & Reinforcement Learning, Neural Networks & Deep Learning

SKILLS SUMMARY

- Programming Languages: C, C++, Python, MySQL, R, MATLAB, HTML, CSS, ReactJS
- Libraries NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Cufflinks, Plotly, TensorFlow, Keras, Seaborn, Cufflinks, Scikit-learn, Selenium
- Softwares Git, Hadoop, AWS, Jupyter Notebook, VS Code, Anaconda Distribution, Power BI, Tableau, Bloomberg Terminal