# **JESSE MUSA**

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# **EDUCATION**

# The University of Texas at Dallas - Richardson, TX

Major: Computer Science Bachelor of Science | Minor: Statistics | Expected Graduation: December 2024 Computer Science GPA: 3.8 | Cumulative GPA: 3.677 | Jonsson Academic Success Scholarship Recipient Classes: Data Structures and Algorithms, Unix System, Probability and Statistics in Computer Science

# **EXPERIENCE**

# Artificial Intelligence Society AIM

February – April 2022

#### Data Scientist

- Collaborated with Artificial Intelligence Society to make a <u>real time</u> emotion detector website using AWS services
- Implemented <u>AWS cloud services</u> such as Sagemaker and EC2 to create a deep learning Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) using <u>TensorFlow Keras</u>.
- Trained on <u>35,000+ images</u> classified into <u>7 different emotions</u> from the "Face expression recognition" dataset on Kaggle to achieve a <u>65% accuracy.</u>
- Deployed the CNN Model from AWS into a python <u>flask web application</u> able to predict emotion from multiple faces simultaneously in <u>real time</u> from a webcam

ACM Research September – November 2021

#### Research Assistant

- Researched alongside Dr. Bhavani Thuraisingham to examine the effect of modern-day social media on companies' financial success
- Developed a custom web scraper to collect <u>100,000+ #Neftlix Tweets</u> from the time frame of 09/2018 09/2021 using Puppeteer then cleaned and applied sentiment analysis using <u>Vader</u>
- The sentiments of our tweets and the stock prices gave us a correlation of 0.75.

#### **PROJECTS**

### Airbnb Nightly Price Recommendation Website | React.js, Node.js, Flask, BigQuery, SQL, XGBoost

July - Current

- Parsed through 100,000+ Airbnb posts keeping only the highly rated and regularly used posts
- Queried "Area Deprivation index" for each American zip code using <u>SQL</u> on public <u>BigQuery Database</u>
- Trained an XGBoost model to achieve a <u>mean absolute error of \$152</u>
- Developed a React frontend where needed post values were inputted; Given address was <u>Geolocated</u> into coordinates.
- Implemented a <u>Flask backend REST API</u> to connect to the React frontend and host the exported XGBoost model.

# $Predicting\ Effective\ Arguments\ |\ Scikit\ Learn,\ NLTK,\ Matplotlib,\ Logistic\ Regression$

 $May-June\ 2022$ 

- Competed in a Georgia Tech Kaggle's competition with the purpose of giving 6th 12th graders enhanced and unbiased feedback on their argumentative texts.
- Trained a sklearn Logistic regression model on <u>36,000+ argumentative texts</u> classified into "Ineffective", "adequate" and "effective" to achieve an <u>accuracy of 67%.</u>

# Path Finding and Maze Generation Website | P5Js, JavaScript, Raw HTML and CSS

December 2021 - January 2022

- Developed an interactive website that shows a visual representation of A\*, DFS and BFS pathfinding algorithms on a maze generated using the Randomized depth-first search maze generation algorithm.
- Created the website using raw HTML and CSS and the pathfinding algorithm was displayed using the p5 JavaScript library.

# RELEVANT SKILLS

- Languages: Python, JavaScript, SQL, C++, Java, Lua, C#, C
- Libraries: Pandas, TensorFlow, Spacy, NLTK, Matplotlib, Imblearn, NumPy, Scikit Learn, Sklearn
- Framework & Tools: React.js, Flask, BigQuery, Git, Juypter Notebook, VS