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#### **EDUCATION**

#### **BITS PILANI**

B Pharmacy Expected May 2020

#### **AECS MM Public School**

CBSE 2016 (Senior Secondary Examination) | Karnataka, India Percentage 96.1(PCM)

# DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL BANGALORE EAST

CBSE 2014 (Senior Examination) | Karnataka, India C.G.P.A 9.8

#### **SKILLS**

Programming languages:

- Python
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- Java
- Matlab
- R

#### Others:

- Photoshop
- Microsoft Office Excel
- Tensorflow
- Keras

Linux

#### **COURSEWORK**

### **BITS PILANI**

- Optimization
- Information Retrieval
- Image Processing
- Machine Learning (ongoing)
- Bioinformatics (ongoing)

#### **MOOCs**

- Machine learning by Andrew NG
- Deep Learning Specialization By Andrew NG

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **GE HEALTHCARE** | EID INTERN

May 2018 - July 2018 | JFWTC, Bangalore

- Got accepted as an 'Early Identification Intern' at GE Healthcare.
- Worked on segmentation of the vertebrae column using volumetric (3D) MRI body scan images and 3D convolutional networks.
- Achieved high accuracies with dice coefficient values above 0.85

#### PIXXEL | AI ENGINEER

May 2018 - Sep 2018 | BITS Pilani, Pilani Campus

- Pixxel is a startup on campus that is working on building nano satellites and using satellite imagery to develop algorithms in sectors such as agriculture, mining and transportation.
- Worked on developing algorithms that could predict amount of crop harvest at the end of Rabi and Kharif crop seasons in India using multispectral landsat imagery.
- Mentored the project team on the next steps like calculation of the right spectal bands, simulation of crop growth etc.

#### LAZADA (AN ALIBABA COMPANY) | DATA SCIENCE INTERN

May 2017 - July 2017 | AXA Tower, Singapore

- Improving customer experience on the Lazada online platform by removing duplicate product listings through NLP and string manipulation. https://www.lazada.sg/.
- Created a logic on multi-sourcing products with similar product titles in different languages such as Thai, Vietnamese and English.

## **PROJECTS**

#### **FAKE NEWS DETECTION**

Features such as tf-idf, punctuation count, readability and PCFG were extracted from the LIAR dataset.

The performance of various linear classifiers such as Naive Bayes, Logistic Regression and SVM were compared for the task. The code repository and detailed report for this project can be found **here**.

# **CANCER BIOPSY DIAGNOSIS USING DEEP CNNS** | SUPERVISED BY DR. ANIRUDDHA ROY

Built a CNN classifiers to diagnose breast cancer based on HE stained histopathological biopsy slide images. Furthermore developed Class Activation Maps (CAMS) for these classifiers to gain insights. This project is still in progress. The code repository and detailed report for this project can be found here.

#### 3D CNN FOR ALZHEIMER'S DETECTION

Developed a data pre-processing pipeline for 3D brain MRI T1 weighted scans to be fed into a Deep Convolutional neural network to support classification of diagnosing Alzheimer's Disease using the MRI image. Furthermore explored various methodologies of Deep Neural Networks to train the neural network. The code repository and detailed report for this project can be found here.