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"You see things; you say, 'Why?' But I dream things that never were; and I say 'Why not?'" — George Bernard Shaw

Education

National Institute of Technology (NIT) Durgapur, India

August 2015 - June 2019

BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY IN ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING, [TRANSCRIPT LINK](#)

CGPA: 9.25/10

St. Xavier's Institution, West Bengal, India

HIGHER SECONDARY/+2 (INDIAN SCHOOL CERTIFICATE, **ISC**), [MARKSHEET](#)

Percentage Obtained: 95.5% (Best 4)

SECONDARY (INDIAN CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION, **ICSE**), [MARKSHEET](#)

Percentage Obtained: 96.6% (Best 5)

Work Experience

Qualcomm India Private Ltd.

Hyderabad, India

ASSOCIATE SOFTWARE ENGINEER - WORKING IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE SOFTWARE (AISW) CE TEAM

Nov 2019 - Present

- Worked on **tensorflow, caffe, pytorch and onnx frameworks** and on the quantization and conversion to DLC techniques (Deep Learning Containers) of AI/ML models to run efficiently on mobile devices.
- **Developed an internal automation software** in Python as a side project, which automates the task of generating various internal reports required for debugging purposes. The GUI of the tool is made completely using tkinter library in Python. On an average, the software is being used more than **90 times per week** by various Qualcomm Engineers worldwide.

PricewaterhouseCoopers Pvt. Ltd.

Kolkata, West Bengal, India

TECHNOLOGY CONSULTANT INTERN

May-July 2018

- Learned and worked on various SAP Software Products.
- Designed an Artificially Intelligent ChatBot using Google Dialogflow which could send and receive data from the SAP Database and display them to the user in real-time. A REST API was used to expose data from the SAP Database which was consumed by the Chatbot. I used SAP Cloud Platform, especially HANA MDC as Back-End technology to expose data through an HTTP REST service. It was deployed in Facebook Messenger Application. Links: [Detailed AI Chatbot Project Documentation Link](#), [Certificate Link](#)

Publications

Mahato S, Chaudhury R, Kar R, Mandal D, Saha S, **Optimal Integer Order Approximation of Fractional Order Human Ear Simulator**, IEEE Electrical Engineering/Electronics, Computer, Telecommunications and Information Technology, ECTI-CON- 2018, Chiang Rai, Thailand. Indexed in SCOPUS and IEEE Xplore Digital Library. Link: [IEEE Xplore Link](#), [Google Scholar Account](#), [Certificate Link](#)

This paper showcases the results of my **Final Year Project under Prof. Rajib Kar (ECE, NIT Durgapur)**.

Research Experience

Research Intern - Machine Dynamics Laboratory, NIT Durgapur, India

Funded by NIT Durgapur

GUIDED BY PROF. NIRMAL BARAN HUI (ME), NIT DURGAPUR & PROF. ANIRUDDHA CHANDRA (ECE), NIT DURGAPUR.

July - September 2018

- Worked on different **Robot Path Planning Strategies** in Environments with Moving Obstacles and Static Targets using Computer Vision techniques (**using OpenCV**) achieved via **Raspberry Pi 3** (code for Pi was written in Python), **PI 5MP Camera Board Module** (accessed using picamera python library), **Arduino Uno** (code for Arduino was written in C++) and DC Motor Controllers attached to each of the robots. The image processing and control was done on the Raspberry Pi which communicated with the Arduino to send orders to the motors (direction and speed) using Pulse-Width Modulation (PWM). For efficient communication between Raspberry Pi and Arduino we used a custom Serial protocol, in which we divide the whole instruction into parts of 8bits each (1 byte) and send them one byte after another which we reconstructed at the reception side using bitwise operations (masking and shifting) to get the whole instruction.

Research Intern - Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, India

Funded by ISI, India

GUIDED BY PROF. BHABATOSH CHANDA (ECSU), INDIAN STATISTICAL INSTITUTE KOLKATA KOLKATA

August-September 2017

- Worked on Restoration of Palm Leaf Manuscript Images using Morphological Transformation Techniques in Image Processing. The code was written using the **OpenCV library in Python**.

Research Intern - Jadavpur University, West Bengal, India

Funded by JU, India

GUIDED BY PROF. AMIT KONAR (ETCE), JADAVPUR UNIVERSITY

June-July 2017

- Worked on simulating Robot Path Planning using Particle Swarm Optimization Algorithm in Static Environments. The code for the project was written in python and the GUI for the simulation was developed using tkinter library in python. [Certificate Link](#)

Relevant Projects

Android Applications Personally Developed & Published in Google Playstore:

- **Play With Augmented Reality (AR):** This App can play any video in AR over any image that the user wants. Links to: [Playstore](#), [Tutorial](#), [Demo](#)
- **August AI:** An Artificially Intelligent Chatbot Application which responds to user's texts like a real person. [Playstore Link](#)

Youtube Tutorials Developed & Published:

- **Fabricated Reinforcement Learning (RL) video tutorial series** which demonstrates the steps to make an Artificially Intelligent Bot using Reinforcement Learning which can play games. Link: [Youtube Link](#)
- **RFID card programming using Raspberry Pi 3 explanation:** The video tutorial explains how to programme RFID Smart card using Raspberry Pi 3 to write and fetch data to and from a server. This video has **more than 9500 views**. [YouTube Link](#), [Project Github Link](#)

Prototypes Developed for Competitions:

- **Smart India Hackathon 2018, India:** Constructed a Prototype Digital stethoscope to analyze cardiac signals in real time during auscultation to reduce the risks of not detecting certain heart anomalies. Qualified for the Grand Finale of Smart India Hackathon, 2018. [Certificate Link](#)
- **ABU Asia-Pacific Robot Contest (ABU Robocon) 2017** For this competition we designed and developed a semi-autonomous robot which was capable of throwing and landing discs at precise locations. [Certificate Link](#)

Other Personal Projects:

- **Smart Travel Route Finder Project:** Code is written in C++ and Dijkstra's algorithm is used to find optimal routes between 2 cities. [Github Link](#)
- **Sentiment Analysis using Tensorflow:** Tensorflow was used to analyze positive or negative sentiments in reviews. [Github Link](#)
- Worked on **Webscraping** using **Selenium** for Dataset Collection. [Demo code for webscraping a website](#).
- **Obstacle Avoiding Bots Simulation using Tkinter library of Python:** Potential Field Method was used for the simulation. [Github Link](#)
- Designed a **short-range Quadcopter using MultiWii v2.5 SE** which was controlled from an Android device via Bluetooth.
- **Shape Detection using OpenCV library in Python:** [Github Link](#)
- **Mobile Robot controlled by a smartphone application via Bluetooth using Arduino:** Codes and instructions are available here: [Github Link](#)
- **Home Automation using IoT:** Developed a prototype on Home Automation using Arduino Microcontroller and Wi-Fi module ESP8266 in which the basic electrical appliances of a house can be remotely controlled by an interface in a laptop over the internet.

Trainings

2018	Machine Learning , Online course authorized by Stanford University , Certificate Link	<i>From Coursera</i>
2018	Neural Networks and Deep Learning , Course authorized by deeplearning.ai , Certificate Link	<i>From Coursera</i>
2018	MIT RES.6-012 Introduction to Probability, Spring 2018 , Completed the online lecture series	<i>From Youtube</i>
2018	Applied AI with Deep Learning , Course authorized by IBM , Certificate Link , Badge Link	<i>From Coursera</i>
2018	Google Cloud Platform Big Data and Machine Learning Fundamentals , Certificate Link	<i>From Coursera</i>
2016	Summer training on Embedded Systems and Microcontrollers , Certificate Link	<i>Pracsol Tech.</i>

Skills

Programming Languages	C, C++, C#, Python, Java, Bash, PRACTICE, Javascript, Lua, HTML, CSS, XML
Hardware Description Languages	VERILOG
Database	MySQL, PostgreSQL
Cloud Based Platforms	SAP HANA Cockpit, Google Cloud Platform, Microsoft Azure, IBM Watson & IBM Data Science Experience
On-Premise Softwares	Unity, Blender, MATLAB, ECLIPSE, \LaTeX , Android Studio, Sketch-Up, LTspice, Arduino IDE, GNU Octave
Operating Systems	Windows, Linux(Ubuntu)
Hardwares Used for Robotics	Raspberry Pi 3, Arduino

National Achievements

- **Secured a spot in the top 1 percentile** among 1.3 million aspirants in the **Indian Engineering Entrance Examination (JEE Mains)** and got into one of the premier institutes of the country, **National Institute of Technology Durgapur**, an Institute of National importance in 2015 and pursued a undergraduate course in **Electronics and Communication Engineering**.
- **Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2018:** My team qualified for the Grand Finale of SIH 2018. [Certificate Link](#)
- **Scholarship for Higher Education:** Received scholarship from St. Xavier's Institution, Kolkata, India **for scoring more than 95% in ICSE (Secondary) and ISC (Higher Secondary/+2) Examinations**. Scholarship Certificate Links: [ISC](#), [ICSE](#)
- **Placed in the Top 10%** of National Standard Examination in Physics (2013-2014).

Positions of Responsibility

Core Member of ROBO-CELL of Centre for Cognitive Activities (official Robotics club of NIT Durgapur): 2015-2019

- We conducted several technical workshops where I taught more than **300 students** over a span of 3 years about the concepts of Manual and Autonomous robotics and the basics of Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence. [Link to my Club Induction Certificate](#)
- Provided hands-on experience to more than **300 students** on how to make various manual and autonomous robots using Raspberry Pi and Arduino. Some demo video links of obstacle avoider robots made by students after attending my workshops: [Link 1](#), [Link 2](#).

Executive Fest Coordinator, Aarohan (NITD's Annual Technical Fest): April 2016-2019

- Organized and lead a **team of 100** people for conducting various technical events and workshops throughout the year.

Helped in raising funds for the Child Care Project of CCWH and RI and to help children suffering from cancer: 2008

- [The Certificate Link](#)

Extracurricular Activities

I have a [Youtube Channel](#) where I have published: 2018- Present

- Several introductory tutorial videos related to various Software, Programming and technical projects
- Demo and tutorial videos on how to use my developed android apps.
- Demo videos of working autonomous robots made by students who attended my Robotics workshops. [Channel Link](#)

Attended 12 years of formal painting course from from Indira Kala Sangit Viswavidyalaya and: skill: 2001-2012

- I have won several painting competitions during my school days. .
- Have given introductory lessons on Art to more than **100 interested students** in my School and College. [Marksheet Link](#), [Certificate Link](#).

Well trained in the musical instruments Piano and Guitar and with the help of those skills: 2004-Present

- I have done several performances with both the instruments in fests and concerts held in my School and College.
- Gave introductory lessons on how to play the instruments to more than **50 interested students in my school and college**.

Practised Yoga and meditation regularly from the age of 10 and have worked towards: 2006-Present

- Raising awareness amongst my peers about the health benefits of various Yoga ashanas and mindfulness meditation
- Have encouraged and taught **more than 200 people including old, young and middle-aged people** to start doing the same.

Public Speaking, Debate, Elocution, etc. 2006-2018

- Regularly participated in public speaking in school and college.
- Actively participated in debate, elocution, extempore and other speaking contests.