# S M Rayeed

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#### Summary

PhD student in Computer Science at RPI. Focused on leveraging advanced Machine Learning techniques to drive breakthroughs in neuroimaging.

#### Education

Aug. 2023 - Present Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science Ongoing Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York, US Research Domain: Federated Learning, Neuroimaging, Image Analysis Advisor: Dr. Stacy Patterson (Google Scholar, Email)Jan. 2017 - Mar. 2021 Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Engineering CGPA: 3.76 out of 4.00 Islamic University of Technology (IUT), Dhaka, Bangladesh Thesis: Bangla Sign Language (BdSL) Dataset Generation using Depth Information Thesis Repository

#### Research Experience

| Aug. 2023 – Present   | Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Computer Science School of Science, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York, US - GTA Courses: CSCI 1100 (Computer Science I) - Instructor(s): Dr. Uzma Mushtaque (Scholar, Email) and Shianne M. Hulbert (Coursicle, Email)   |
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| Apr. 2021 – Jul. 2023 | Researcher, Systems and Software Lab, Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering Islamic University of Technology (IUT), Dhaka, Bangladesh - Lab Coordinator(s): Dr. Md. Kamrul Hasan (Email) and Dr. Hasan Mahmud (Email) - Area of work: Depth information in Sign Language Recognition - Conference paper: 01   Journal article: 01   Research grant: 01 |

#### **Publications**

| Mar. 2022           | Bangla sign digits recognition using depth information. doi: 10.1117/12.2623400                   |
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| Oct. 2022           | BdSL47 dataset, published on <i>Harvard Dataverse</i> . doi: 10.7910/DVN/EPIC3H                   |
| <b>Under Review</b> | BdSL47: A complete open-access depth-based Bangla sign alphabet and digit dataset ( <i>Link</i> ) |

## **Industrial Experience**

| Jan. 2023 – Present   | Software Quality Assurance Engineer - Automation using Playwright, Cypress   Project Management  | Nilavo Technologies Ltd<br>Dhaka, Bangladesh |
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| Mar. 2021 – Dec. 2022 | Junior Test Engineer - Automation using Cypress   API Testing   Security Testing using BurpSuite | Nilavo Technologies Ltd<br>Dhaka, Bangladesh |
| Nov. 2019 – Jan. 2020 | Software Quality Assurance Intern - Automation using Selenium   Manual Testing                   | Nilavo Technologies Ltd<br>Dhaka, Bangladesh |

## Technical Skills

| - Programming Languages : C, C++, Java, Python                | - Web Development : HTML, CSS, JS, Bootstrap, jQuery, PHP            |
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| - ML Tools: TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, Seaborn | - Image Processing : OpenCV, Pillow, SciPy, PIL, Haar Cascade, Caffe |
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- Database Management : SQL, PL/SQL, PostgreSQL, MySQL - Modeling Languages : MiniZinc, PDDL - Automation Tools: Cypress, Playwright, Selenium

- Security Testing Tools: BurpSuite, OWASP ZAP (Zed Attack Proxy) - Tracking Tools : Jira, Trello

- Graphics and Engineering Drawing: Blender, AutoCAD

## **Selected Projects**

more projects are available on: github.com/SMRayeed

| Aug. 2020 – Sept. 2020 | Brain Tumor Detection using CNN (Keras, TensorFlow) - Deep Learning project for brain tumor detection from MRI images           | Link |
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| Jul. 2019 – Aug. 2019  | Online Pharmacy Management System (HTML, CSS, JavaScript) - Web-development project for online medicine purchase and management | Link |
| Sept. 2020 – Oct. 2020 | Online Result Processing System (PLSQL) - Systems to automate the results of all the students in a class                        | Link |

| Sept. 2019 – Oct. 2019 | Disaster Loss Management (MiniZinc) - AI project based on optimization problem to minimize natural disaster loss and maximize relief material supply in a post-disaster scenario | Link |
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| Jun. 2020 – Jul. 2020  | Comparison among classifiers on Parkinson's diseases dataset (Keras, TensorFlow) - Machine Learning project to compare classifiers on Parkinson's diseases                       | Link |
| Feb. 2021 – Mar. 2021  | Website Automation Project (Cypress, JavaScript) - Automating basic functionalities of an online shopping website  | Link |

## Standardized Test Scores

| Sept. 2022 | Graduate Record Examination (GRE) : 332 out of 340                    | Reg. Number :      |
|------------|---|--------------------|
|            | - Verbal : 162/170   Quant : 170/170   AWA : 4.0/6.0                  | 1203897            |
| Nov. 2021  | International English Language Testing System (IELTS): 8.0 out of 9.0 | TRF Number :       |
|            | - Listening: 8.5   Reading: 8.5   Writing: 7.5   Speaking: 7.0        | 21BD016026RAYS050A |

# Awards and Achievements

| Jun. 2022             | UIU (United International University) Research Grant Institute for Advanced Research (IAR), United International University, Bangladesh - Project Title: Generating Bangla sign alphabet dataset using depth information - Grant Reference: UIU-IAR-01-2022-SE-37  |
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| Dec. 2009 - Feb. 2014 | Math Olympiads – (Organizer: Bangladesh Math Olympiad Committee)  - Feb. 2014: 1st Runner-up — Secondary Level, National Event  - Dec. 2013: 1st Runner-up — Secondary Level, Regional Event  - Feb. 2010: 1st Runner-up — Primary Level, National Event  - Dec. 2009: Champion — Primary Level, Regional Event  |
| Mar. 2014             | Divisional Science Olympiad – (Organizer : Bangladesh Academy of Sciences)<br>- 3rd Position — Secondary Level, Regional Event   |
| Jan. 2014             | National Literature Olympiad – (Organizer : HSBC Prothom Alo)<br>- 2nd Runners-up — Secondary Level, National Event  |
| 2009 - 2020           | Public Examination Scholarships – (Awarded by : Government of Bangladesh)  - 2017-2020 : Higher Secondary Certificate Scholarship — Dhaka Education Board  - 2015-2016 : Secondary School Certificate Scholarship — Dhaka Education Board  - 2012-2014 : Junior School Certificate Scholarship — Dhaka Education Board  - 2009-2011 : Primary School Certificate Scholarship — Dhaka Education Board |

# **Extra-Curricular Activities**

| Apr. 2019 – Mar. 2021 | Assistant General Secretary (Logistics) – IUT Computer Society<br>- Organized 10th ICT Fest 2020   Supervised workshops, seminars, and visits for projects and coursework at IUT           |
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| Apr. 2017 – Mar. 2019 | Executive Member – IUT Computer Society - Organized 9th ICT Fest 2017   Organized workshops, seminars, and visits for projects and coursework at IUT                                       |
| Jul. 2014 – Jun. 2016 | General Secretary (Design and Logistics) – Notre Dame Nature Study Club, Notre Dame College<br>- Initiated and organized events, visits for projects, and competitions at secondary school |
| Oct. 2015             | Inauguration Speaker and Team Lead (Design and Logistics), 6th National Nature Summit - Organized by : Notre Dame Nature Study Club, Notre Dame College                                    |
| Jan. 2015             | Organizer (Design and Logistics), Green Inspiration 2015 – 1st International Nature Summit - Organized by : Notre Dame Nature Study Club, Notre Dame College                               |
| Mar. 2014             | Attendee, Math Camp for 55th International Math Olympiad (IMO) 2014, Cape Town, South Africa - Organized by: Bangladesh Math Olympiad Committee  |

## References

| Dr. Md Kamrul Hasan              | Dr. Hasan Mahmud                    | Mr. Sharif Rahman                |
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| Professor, CSE Department        | Associate Professor, CSE Department | Chief Software Architect, Biscom |
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