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Machine Learning Engineer

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SKILLS

- Machine Learning
- NLP, LLM, CV
- Python, SQL
- Data Analysis, ETL
- AWS Services, Docker, Git
- Fast API, Django REST

TOOLS

- Pytorch
- Tensorflow
- Jupyter
- Keras
- Linux
- Anaconda

HOBBIES

- Designing
- Technology
- Science
- Video games
- Technical Analysis
- Learning

Professional Summary

Experienced ML Engineer with the skillset of data manipulation & end to end ML pipeline. With profound understanding of classification, regression and NLP problems while staying current with the latest tools and technologies.

EXPERIENCES

Machine Learning Engineer (Remote) FEB-2022-On Going

TecShield

- Developed end-to-end machine learning pipelines for structured datasets of various clients, including data cleaning, EDA, feature engineering, and merging with external datasets such as natural and social events to identify cofounding variables.
- Solve Demand sensing & supply chain problems through Classification & Regression using gradient boosters and create documentation of results with different combinations.
- Created Django and Fast API apps and integrated MLflow to predict and train models through API requests and upload results and models on Amazon S3 bucket.
- Developed a data ingestion app for transforming data from excel or any format to JSON in specified json skeleton format.
- Created LLM chatbot that places orders and deals with customer automatically by calling methods
- Currently leading a chatbot project that will be trained on a US city's data about, locations, social life, websites, history. Gathered data and converted it into LLAMA dataset format (instructions, input, output) working on finetuning on PEFT's LORA adapter model for 13b LLAMA model.
- Optimized the flow for Medifast, Inc. on Dataiku. Recipes take 10-15x less time now.

Odoo Python

KK Networks

Worked in Odoo development, an Enterprise resource planning based framework where I completed tasks of inventory management, order management, and creating reports. Technical Skills Used: Python, XML, CSS, Postgres SQL

Data Science Training

DEC 2021-FEB 2022

Programmers Force

- Developed a small KYC program using TF that randomly asks for a hand gesture and verifies it.
- Cleaned, augmented and trained dataset for YOLO & MRCNN.
- Learnt ML Algorithms: kNN, K-Means, Naive Bayes, SVM & etc
- Learnt CNN, Bash, Numpy & Pandas and Practiced Python

EDUCATION

BS COMPUTER SCIENCE NOV 2016-MAY 2021

SUPERIOR UNIVERSITY

NOV 2016-MAY 2021

ICS: PHY, MATHS, COMP SEP 2014-MAY 2016

Punjab Group Of Colleges

SEP 2014-MAY 2016

GCE O Levels: PHY, MATHS, BIO, CHEM

RILLS Kamoke

SEP 2009-MAY 2014

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

NASA SPACE APPS CHALLENGE 2019

WINNER

Regional Winner & Global Nominee for presenting a solid plan about solving issue of Internet on the Ocean.

spaceappschallenge.org LinkedIn (must login)

SUPERIOR ENTREPRENEURIAL EXPO 2020

RUNNER UP

Our Business Idea of E-Cattle B2B App/Web 'Maveshi Mandi' stood runner up with an award prize of Rs.50k

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PROJECTS & ACTIVITIES

FINAL YEAR PROJECT

Developed 'NuraStyle', a Style Transfer image filtering android application using vgg-19 converted to TensorFlow lite protocol buffers . That resolved the issue of relying on the internet as well as providing an option to pick a style of their own choice by processing it on device. [github.com/..](#)

Stable Diffusion

Finetuned stablediffusion v1.5 on my face & hubble images with multiple combinations on number of instance images, UNET steps and text encoder steps to find out sweetspot for realistic looking images without producing artifacts.

[huggingface.co/..](#)

Prompt Generator

GPT Neo-125m finetuned on 1 million examples on [poloclub/diffusiondb](#) dataset for generating prompt for txt to img generative model 'stable diffusion'.

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