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Professional Summary

Data Science professional with 1+ year experience at ERNET India and IIT Guwahati, specializing in deep learning, NLP, and MLOps pipeline development. Proven track record of building end-to-end ML solutions achieving 96.8-99.8% accuracy across language classification, and facial recognition projects with expertise in Python, PyTorch, and cloud deployment.

Education

Master of Mathematics, Indian Institute of Technology Madras7.43 CGPA (2023-2025)Bachelor of Science (Mathematics), Patliputra University, Patna62.2% (2018-2021)Senior Secondary, Bihar School Examination Board68% (2016-2018)Secondary, Central Board of Secondary Education9.4 CGPA (2015-2016)

Experience

Data Analyst Intern, ERNET India, IIT Madras Research Park

July 2024 - June 2025

- Analyzed **FSOC** Communication over a **1.12** km link in Kohima using Python, processing **180+** days of weather and signal data to detect **outage** causes, quantify downtime and improve network resilience.
- Developed 10+ Python visualization tools, **KPI** dashboards and automated reporting scripts to monitor **FSOC** link performance, categorize outage, and enhance **internet** services in remote hilly regions.
- Built groundwater forecasting models (MLR, RFR, ANN, GRU, LSTM) on 2.5K+ time-series points, achieving 98% accuracy and showcasing expertise in neural networks and time series analysis for sustainable resource planning.

Winter Intern – Applications of ML Techniques, E&ICT Academy, IIT Guwahati

Dec 2024 – Jan 2025

- Built and tuned **5+** deep learning models **(FFNNs, CNNs)** on MNIST, CIFAR-10 using TensorFlow/Keras, improving classification accuracy by **15%** through hyperparameters optimization and regularization.
- Fine-tuned VGG and ResNet models, evaluated performance using 6+ metrics (Accuracy, Precision, Recall, F1-Score, ROC- AUC, Confusion matrix) and created Python dashboards for result visualization.

Projects

Multilingual Language Classifier: Developed an end-to-end MLOps pipeline for classifying 27 Roman-script languages and continent groups on 10,000+ samples using character-level TF-IDF, TruncatedSVD, and Naive Bayes/LDA/QDA models, achieving 96.8% language and 89.4% continent accuracy; deployed via Streamlit App. [verify]

Music Recommender System: Built and deploy a content-based music recommender by preprocessing 1M+ song lyrics using NLTK, leveraging TF-IDF (5,000 features) and cosine similarity, and delivers real-time top-5 song recommendations via an interactive Streamlit app with Spotify API integration. [verify]

Sequence Modeling for Language Decoding: Built and optimized Seq2Seq transliteration models (RNN, LSTM, GRU) for Roman-to-Devanagari on 10,000+ samples, boosting validation accuracy by 8% through attention mechanisms, beam search decoding and Weights & Biases Bayesian hyperparameter sweeps. [verify]

Facial Recognition Attendance System: Developed a facial recognition web app using OpenCV, dlib, and CNNs to automate attendance for 1,000+ users with real-time video processing and reporting; achieved 99.8% recognition accuracy and deployed using Streamlit and Docker containers. [verify]

Skills

Technologies & Tools: Python, SQL, Git, Docker, MLflow, NumPy, Pandas, PyTorch, Streamlit, Power BI **Domains:** Machine Learning, Deep Learning, NLP, Transformers, MLOps, Computer Vision.

Relevant Coursework

Core Courses: Foundation of Machine Learning, Introduction to Deep Learning, Data Structures and Algorithm, Data Analytics Laboratory, Linear Algebra, Probability, Applied Statistics, Numerical Optimization, Multivariable Calculus Online Courses: OCI Data Science Professional (Oracle), Data Science Job Simulation (Lloyds Banking Group), Data Analytics (Deloitte), Intro to AI (IITM Summer School), Master in Data Science (Udemy), Communication Skills (TCS iON), Advance Diploma in Computer Applications (MICT Wizard-Tech), Power BI Workshop

Leadership, Activities, and Achievements

Scholastic: Secured AIR 417 in IIT-JAM (Mathematics); Qualified JEE (2018, 2019) and GATE (Data Science, 2025). Leadership: Volunteer at Forays 2024 (Math Fest, IIT Madras) managing event operations and participant coordination. Sports: Represented IIT Madras hostel teams in Cricket & Football, achieved 4th position in cricket tournaments and demonstrated teamwork, adaptability, and continuous improvement.