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EDUCATION

Georgia Institute of Technology

Aug. 2022 - Present

PhD in Computational Science and Engineering

Atlanta, GA

• Coursework: Grad Algorithms, Grad Machine Learning

Indian Institute of Science

Undergraduate Researcher

Aug. 2018 - Jul 2022

Bachelor of Science (Research) in Biology • CGPA: 8.4/10 • First Class

Bangalore, India

- Coursework: Machine Learning, Data Science, Game Theory, Neural Signal Processing, Systems Biology
- Scholarship: Cargill Global Scholars fellow, KVPY scholar

EXPERIENCE

ATCG Lab | Computational Genomics, Indian Institute of Science

Jan. 2022 - Apr. 2022

Bangalore, India

- Developed MMC toolkit, a fast and multithreaded minimizer counter, using C++ [Link]
- Designed a parallel algorithm to sparsely sample DNA k-mers while covering all the nucleotides in the genome
- Developed mathematical framework minimizer-space genome size estimation; fastest multithreaded pipeline

Cancer Systems Biology Lab, Indian Institute of Science

Dec. 2019 - Sep. 2020

Research Intern

Bangalore, India

- Co-authored two peer-reviewed articles in reputed journals: Physical Biology [Link], Interface [Link]
- Best Poster at SMB 2021 conference for deciphering the operating principles of circular toggle polygon networks
- Developed MATLAB scripts to visualize the dynamics of complex biological networks [Link]
- Mathematical modeling of CD4⁺ T-cell differentiation; **predictions experimentally verified** by an independent lab

International Genetically Engineered Machine (iGEM)

Mar. 2019 - Nov. 2019

Hardware and Modeling team, iGEM IISc

Cambridge, MA

- Awarded gold medal at iGEM Giant Jamboree; received iBEC grant worth USD 13,500 by Govt. of India
- Led a team of seven students; built OptoMatic: automated hardware for creating bacterial co-culture [Link]
- Organized interactive seminars on genetic engineering for K-12 students in Bangalore and Kolkata

Gray Lab | Protein Design, Johns Hopkins University

Sep. 2020 - Jul. 2021

Research Intern

Baltimore, MD

- Designed a stable enzyme for in-vitro conversion of A-type to O-type blood group
- Developed a **Python** script over Rosetta for simulating elongation reactions of mucin-type glycosylation [Link]

PROJECT(S)

Head-Pose Estimation

• Developed a machine learning model using **Tensorflow** for head-pose estimation; trained and tested on 'Yale's extended dataset' [Code] [Report]

SKILLS

Languages: Python, C/C++, MATLAB, R, Java, SQL (BigQuery, Postgre), Julia

Tools: GitHub, Rosetta, PyMOL, LaTeX