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EDUCATION

CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY

M.S. IN ROBOTIC SYSTEMS

DEVELOPMENT

Aug'15 - Dec'16 | Pittsburgh GPA: 3.75

YOUNG INDIA FELLOWSHIP

(UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA)

MASTER'S PROGRAM IN LIBERAL ARTS

Jun'11-May'12 | New Delhi

Selected in top 57 students across India

MAHARSHI DAYANAND UNIVERSITY

B.TECH IN ELECTRONICS AND

COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

Jul'07 - May'11 | Faridabad 73.76%

Awarded chairman scholarship

LINKS

Github:// [tusharchugh](#)

LinkedIn:// [tusharchugh](#)

HOBBY PROJECTS

[Vehicle detection](#) using HOG and SVM

[Behavioral cloning](#) with deep learning

[Lane detection](#) and estimation of curvature

[Non-Intrusive Load Monitoring](#)

[SmartCap](#) for visually impaired

[Haptic belt](#) device for visually impaired

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING

C++ • MATLAB • Python

PLATFORM | FRAMEWORK | IDE

Linux • ROS • OpenCV • TensorFlow

Git • CI(Travis, Jenkins)

COURSEWORK

Machine Learning

Computer Vision

Robot Autonomy

Deep Learning

Algorithms

Embedded Real Time Systems (Linux Kernel)

Software - Object, Design and Concurrency

EXPERIENCE AND PROJECTS

GOOGLE | MACHINE LEARNING SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Jan'2019 - Present | Mountain View, CA

- Developed the machine learning models for removing ads for experimental treatments and credit repair policies (impact >100M/year)
- Owned the feature extraction and model development pipelines for predicting the risk of brand impersonation by the advertisers
- Conceptualized, created and evangelized the systems and best practices for streamlining the process of ground truth collection, continuous training of model, model debugging and metrics collections

GENERAL MOTORS | SOFTWARE ENGINEER, AUTONOMOUS DRIVING

Feb'2017 - Dec'2018 | Warren, MI

- Implemented and benchmarked deep neural networks for pixel wise scene segmentation on public and internal datasets
- Developed landmark association module for semantic localization
- Created software for automatic camera lens cleaning system verification

QUALCOMM RESEARCH CENTER | SOFTWARE INTERN

May'2016 - Aug'2016 | San Diego, CA

- Worked on software development of [Neural Processing Engine \(NPE\)](#)
- Designed a cap for the blind to narrate the scene using NPE and Alexa

MICROSOFT INDIA (R&D) | SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER

May'2012 - Jul'2015 | Hyderabad, India

- Envisioned, created and [released](#) to public [Kinect Ripple](#) - a dual projection infotainment platform built in C# with JavaScript based API's
- Developed and released software features for Dynamic CRM tool
- Co-founded Makerzby for Internet of Things (IoT) related development

CAPSTONE PROJECT | NREC, CMU

Aug'2015 - May'2016 | Pittsburgh, PA

- [Autonomous Water Taxi](#): Implemented path-planning stack using SBPL and ROS. Created Occupancy Grid Map (OGM) using OpenStreet maps, designed framework to add and inflate obstacle data to OGM, used ARA* algorithm as global planner, and tuned motion primitives
- [Andy - Instructing robot arms via speech commands](#) Enabled Andy to understand speech commands for performing table-top manipulation tasks. Used HSV as color space, HOG features, and SVM for detecting shapes

PUBLICATIONS

[Circuit Stickers](#): ACM CHI, 2014 Canada, Steve Hodge, Et Al.

[Vector2703](#): Autonomous Ground Vehicle, IEEE Explore Japan, T. Chugh, Et Al.

AWARDS

2016 3rd

2016 1st

2013 Editor's choice

2013 Top 12 Asia

2013 2nd/10 countries

2012 1st(India)

2010 1st(India)

Amazon Alexa

Qualcomm

Maker Faire, NYC

Wall Street Journal

Health 2.0, SF

Accenture and Yahoo

Microsoft

[Internet of Voice Challenge](#)

[Hackmobile](#)

Microsoft Research demo

[Best Asian Innovations](#)

Developer World Cup for Health

[Innovation Jockeys](#)

[Imagine Cup, Poland](#)