VIBHU DALAL

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EDUCATION

Master of Science, M1 Applied Mathematics

Sept. 2024 – Jun. 2025

Université Paris Cité

Paris, France

Bachelor of Science in Mathematics

Dec. 2020 – Oct. 2023

Sri Aurobindo International Centre of Education

Pondicherry, India

EXPERIENCE

Machine Learning Engineer

May 2024 - Aug. 2024

Neptune Technologies LLC

Contract

• Contributed to the development of machine learning models for stock market prediction

Research Intern Jun. 2023

Jun. 2023 – May 2024

DREAM Lab, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Remote

- Co-authored a research paper which explores the applications of Optimal Transport theory for the task of dataset distillation (submitted to CVPR 2025)
- Worked closely with Dr. Haohan Wang on projects aimed at improving the interpretability of convolutional neural networks

Research Intern Apr. 2023 – Apr. 2024

Dr. Min Xu's lab, Carnegie Mellon University

Remote

• Jointly first-authored a research paper exploring novel approaches to anomaly detection in the context of laboratory automation (published in *Expert Systems with Applications*)

Machine Learning Intern

Telekinesis AI, Technische Universität Darmstadt

Feb. 2022 - Dec. 2023

Remote

- Conducted literature review of Human Pose Estimation algorithms and implemented research papers
- Set up simulation environments to simulate industrial robots using C++
- Helped develop the back-end and front-end software for controlling industrial robots using .NET and C#

PUBLICATIONS & PREPRINTS

Dataset Distillation via the Wasserstein Metric

H. Liu, Y. Li, T. Xing, V. Dalal, L. Li, J. He, H. Wang

arXiv preprint arXiv:2311.18531

Short-Time Fourier Transform for deblurring Variational Autoencoders

V. Dalal

arXiv preprint arXiv:2401.03166

Deep Video Anomaly Detection in Automated Laboratory Setting

A. Dabouei*, JP. Shibu*, V. Dalal*, C. Cao, A. MacWilliams, J. Kangas, M. Xu

Expert Systems with Applications, 2025

Formalising Propositional Information via Implication Hypergraphs

V. Dalal

arXiv preprint arXiv:2502.00186

Transfer Learning Toolkit for Large Language Models (link)

- Developed a toolkit by implementing 12 transfer learning techniques for pre-trained language models, consisting of fine-tuning and parameter-efficient approaches
- Packaged the toolkit into a Python library and used OpenAI's GPT2 to test it

Visual Saliency Map Translation (link)

 Developed a system to improve Convolutional Neural Network interpretability by generating visual saliency maps and their corresponding textual explanations

ChessGPT (link)

- Trained Open AI's GPT2 on a large database of chess games scraped from the internet
- Implemented a customised beam search and used a language model scorer to create a chess engine with GUI

Other projects available here.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Université Paris Cité

• Smarts-Up Excellence Scholarship

Sri Aurobindo International Centre of Education

- Winner of the Best Student Prize: 2023
- Winner of the Prize for Academic Excellence (awarded annually): 2021, 2022, 2023

CERTIFICATES

GRE General Test Oct. 2023

Verification link

332 / 340

• Quantitative Reasoning: 168 / 170

• Verbal Reasoning: 164 / 170

• Analytical Writing: 4 / 6

DELF B2 Jan. 2024

Verification link

91 / 100

• Listening: 21.5 / 25 | Reading: 21.5 / 25 | Speaking: 25 / 25 | Writing: 23 / 25

IELTS Jan. 2024

Verification link

8/9

Listening: 9/9 | Reading: 8.5/9 | Speaking: 8/9 | Writing: 7/9

SKILLS

Languages: English, French, Hindi

Programming: Python, C/C++, SQL, Matlab, Bash, JavaScript

Libraries and Frameworks: Pytorch, TensorFlow, NumPy, Eigen, MySQL **Computer and Software Skills**: Git, Linux, LATEX, Blender, Gazebo