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EDUCATION

MUMBAI UNVERSITY, Thadomal Shahani Engineering College, Mumbai, India

May 2018

• Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering: **GPA: 3.63/4.0**

WORK EXPERIENCE

Technical Consultant, Annadhan Welfare Organization (Mumbai, IN)

Jan 2019 – Present

- Working as a pro bono technical consultant towards the design and development of the official Annadhan application in collaboration with J.P. Morgan Chase & Co.
- Created a work flow for the application's functionalities in accordance to the organization's day-to-day operations.
- Designed a sleek, consistent and user friendly interface for the application.
- **Keywords**: Application Development, Consultancy, UI Design.

Machine Learning Research Intern, University of Groningen (Groningen, NL)

Aug 2018 - Oct 2018

- Performed an extensive analysis of the proposed feature selection algorithm as compared to existing feature selection methods such as Fisher Score, Generalized Matrix Learning Vector Quantization (GMLVQ), ReliefF and Boruta.
- Developed a new weighting scheme for the algorithm that considerably improved its performance and efficiency for larger datasets.
- Supervised by Prof. Dr. George Azzopardi at the Bernoulli Institute for Mathematics, Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence.
- **Keywords**: Machine Learning, Feature Selection, Ensemble Learning, Bootstrap Aggregating (Bagging), Boosting, RandomForest, AdaBoost, XGBoost, Python, Plotly.

Software Engineering Intern, Vroom Cars (Irvine, CA, USA)

Feb 2017 - Aug 2017

- Researched On-board Diagnostics Parameter IDs (OBD II PIDS) codes used to request data from a vehicle.
- Implemented an algorithm to extract and transform raw data received through a mobile application into structured format.
- Developed an automated software to convert the structured data from a local database into multiple user-friendly graphs.
- **Keywords**: OBD-II PIDs, Software Development, Python, PHP, JavaScript, SQL, HTML, CSS, Plotly, Xampp, WordPress.

PROJECTS

Twitter Sentiment Analysis using Recurrent Neural Networks

Mar 2019

- Performed sentiment analysis on 1.6 million tweets using an RNN with LSTM units and achieved a final accuracy of 84 %.
- **Keywords**: RNN, LSTM, Sentiment Analysis, NLP, Keras, Python.

Neural Style Transfer

Feb 2019

- Transferred the artistic style of one image onto another image using a pre-trained VGG19 network with Imagenet weights.
- Keywords: CNN, VGG19, Keras, TensorFlow, Python, Matplotlib, Deep Learning.

Intelligent Games, Final Year Project

April 2018

- Developed an AI for chess and a famous tile puzzle game, 2048, using fundamental aspects of Game Theory.
- **Keywords**: Minimax Algorithm, Expectimax Algorithm, Python, JavaScript, Game Theory.

Blue Scroll, Android Application

May 2017

- Developed a news aggregation mobile application that uses an algorithm to parse over 50 different input streams from news APIs using JSON.
- Keywords: Android Application, AndroidStudio, Java, XML, JSON, News Aggregator.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Vice-President and Co-Founder, Rotaract Club of TSEC

Apr 2016 - June 2017

- Collaborated with Making A Difference, a non-profit organization, for beautification of 36 railway stations across Mumbai.
- Awarded the TSEC Leadership Award in March 2018 for co-founding and heading the Rotaract Club of TSEC in its inaugural year.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Programming Languages:** (Proficient) Python, Java; (Familiar) C.
- Frameworks and tools: Keras, TensorFlow, Plotly, Android Studio
- Data-oriented Languages: SQL, JSON.
- Web Development: HTML, CSS, PHP, JavaScript, Ajax.