EDUCATION & COURSEWORK

• IIT Bombay

B. Tech. in Metallurgical Engineering & Materials Science

Mumbai, India

March 2021

• IIT Hyderabad

Certification in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (Gold Medallist)

Hyderabad, India June 2019

Work Experience

• Nytro.ai (acquired by MarketStar)

Software Engineer (Applied AI/NLP)

San Francisco (Remote)/ Bangalore, India May 2022 - Dec 2024

- Domain-Specific LLM Adaptation for Sales Enablement: Fine-tuned GPT series with domain-specific corpora and programmable guardrails to align outputs with enterprise sales workflows. Achieved a 14% reduction in SDR onboarding time and an 11% uplift in close-win rates for 2,000+ agents across sales cohorts.
- Retrieval-Augmented Dialogue Agent for Multi-turn Sales Simulations: Architected RAG-based memory to ground LLM outputs in vectorized domain knowledge using LlamaIndex, Langchain, and PostgreSQL. Enhanced coherence in AI-generated responses and reduced hallucination rates by 40% across 50+ sales simulation paths.
- Contrastive Feedback Engine for Semantic Pitch Re-ranking: Built a semantic similarity engine combining BERT, OpenAI and Gemini embedding models with contrastive learning to match sales rep pitches with expert baselines. Deployment led to a 40% improvement in feedback precision and reclaimed 625 hours of manual effort.
- Multi-Metric Evaluation Suite for Dialogue Systems: Built a systematic evaluation framework for AI-generated conversations using ROUGE, BERTScore, and task-specific coherence checks (topic derailment, redundancy loops) to benchmark response quality and ensure safety across services. This evaluation framework drove a 20% gain in dialogue clarity and contextual relevance through iterative model improvements.
- Scalable Topic Segmentation for Contact Center Transcripts: Implemented topic segmentation for multi-modal long-form conversations using DistilBERT and a sliding window mechanism. This reduced manual evaluation latency by 62%, accelerating batch feedback analysis from 4 minutes to 1.5 minutes on 100K+ calls.
- Prompt Optimization and Stability Testing Infrastructure: Engineered an automated prompt testing suite incorporating zero-shot, few-shot, and policy-gradient strategies. GradSUM-based reliability checks ensured response stability, achieving 98% fidelity across edge and fallback cases. Integrated human-in-the-loop strategies.

Unacademy

Bangalore, India

 $Educational\ Content\ Manager$

June 2021 - Feb 2022

- Content Strategy for Learning Platform and YouTube: Spearheaded curriculum development and optimization for K–12 STEM subjects. Used learner analytics to drive syllabus updates and content publishing, resulting in 20M+ cumulative watch hours and contributing to a 23% increase in platform revenue in 3 months.
- User Behavior and Retention Analysis: Conducted exploratory analysis on user behavior using NLTK. Built sentiment-driven models, leading to a 46% reduction in churn and a 60% increase in session-level engagement

Projects

- Real-Time Sign Language Detection | Guide: Ph.D. Manisha Dubey, IIT Hyderabad | Project Link: Constructed a real-time gesture recognizer with 97% accuracy using Deep CNNs (VGG-16, VGG-19) trained on a dataset of 50K+ hand gesture images. Deployed using TensorFlow with transfer learning for 7 custom hand gestures.
- Measurement of Weld Quality | Guide: Prof. Satish Vitta, IIT Bombay: Designed a supervised learning system to correlate arc sound features with weld quality using decision tree models (80% accuracy). Compiled a 25-page research report and demonstrated ML-based non-invasive weld quality assessment.
- Credit Card Fraud Detection | Self Project: Built an anomaly detection model with 99% precision over 250K transactions using resampling techniques. Visualized trends through correlation analysis and Matplotlib plots.
- RAG-based QA System | **O telegram-bot-akask*: Developed an reflexive agentic system using OpenAI and FAISS, deployed with FastAPI on GCP. Achieved an F1-score of 97% on student queries.