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Education

May 2017 May 2021 Odisha University of Technology and Research (OUTR)

Bhubaneswar, Odisha

Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech) in Fashion and Apparel Technology

CGPA: 8.43/10

 ${\it Undergraduate Thesis-Applications of Artificial Intelligence in Fashion Industry} \ [\bigcirc]$

Courses - Data Structures, Algorithms, Machine Learning, Linear Algebra, Calculus, Probability & Statistics

Experience

Dec 2022

ETH Zürich | Assisted Forest Regeneration Lab []

Zurich, Switzerland

Present

Research Affiliate | Advisor: Dr. Leland Werden

- > Working on a project on quantification of potential carbon capture and plant biodiversity recovery of forest, savannah, and mangrove assisted restoration projects.
- > Currently analyzing data related to regeneration practices and creating data pipelines.
- > Built a transformer based model for summarization of grey literature regarding regeneration practices.

Jul 2023

Neuromatch Academy [3]

Remote

Aug 2023

Research Volunteer | Advisors: Dr. José Biurrun Manresa & Dr. Xi-He Xie

- > Participated in the 2023 Summer School on Computational Neuroscience.
- > Worked on 'Prediction of Future Continuous Motion States from ECoG Recordings' based on joystick tracking data. [O] [Slides]

Aug 2022 Oct 2023 Center of Excellence - Artificial Intelligence [♥] | Tech Mahindra [♥] Bhubaneswar, India

- Associate Researcher | Advisors: Prof. Jibitesh Mishra & Ipsit Misra
- > Built various robust and interpretable deep learning models for deployment of an intelligent health care application $[\mbox{\ensuremath{\mathfrak{O}}}]$ and a multi-level smart parking system $[\mbox{\ensuremath{\mathfrak{O}}}]$.
- > Published 3 papers and 1 Patent at international conferences and journals.

Aug 2022

Carnegie Mellon University | Xu Lab []

Pittsburgh, USA

Sept 2023

Research Intern | Advisor: Prof. Min Xu

- > Built an end-to-end multimodal model for particle picking and subtomogram alignment.
- > Also worked on modeling continuous conformational changes in cryo-ET images with self-supervised representation learning.

Jul 2022

École de Technologie Supérieure (ÉTS Montreal)

Montreal, Canada

Aug 2022

Summer School Research Intern | Advisors: Prof. Pierre-Marc Jodoin & Prof. Thomas Grenier

- > Partcipated in 2022 3rd Edition Summer school on Deep Learning for Medical Imaging(DLMI) [3].
- > Worked on benchmarking various weakly supervised segmentation techniques for cardiac diseases diagnosis $[\mathbf{Q}]$.

Jul 2021 Jan 2022 International Institute of Information Technology, Hyderabad (IIIT-H) [3]

Hyderabad, India

- Research Intern | Advisor: Prof. Jayanti Sivaswamy & Prof. CV Jawahar
- Worked on an attention-based model for Covid-19 detection from Chest-X Rays.
 Created a database for the segmentation of sub-cortical structures from MRI scans for the young population.

Skills

Research Interests

Languages: C, C++, Python

AI for Social Good

Frameworks: Tensorflow, PyTorch, Keras, REST API

Trustworthy Machine Learning

Misc.: Git, Linux, 上TEX, Matlab, QGIS

Human-AI Interaction

Publications

Deep Learning Based Classification of the Big Four Snake Species Using Visual Features [%]

Nishikant Parida, Aditya Narendra, Priyanshu Panda, Pooja K Reddy & Ipsit Misra 14th IEEE International Conference on Cloud Computing, Data Science & Engineering, India

[Confluence'24]

From Robots to Books: An Introduction to Smart Applications of AI in Education (AIEd) [%] [Slides]

Shubham Ojha, Aditya Narendra, Siddharth Mohapatra, Ipsit Misra Springer International Conference on Recent Innovations in Computing, Hungary

[ICRIC'23]

Chaurah: Smart Raspberry-Pi Parking System [%] [Slides] [0]

Aditya Narendra, Soumya Choudhury, Asutosh Mishra & Ipsit Misra International Conference on Communication and Computational Techniques, India

[ICCCT'23]

Patents

AI-Based Emergency Healthcare Solution (Patent No- 202331002146) [%] Ipsit Misra, Jibitesh Mishra, Aditya Narendra, Khirod Behera

[India Patents Office]

[Published and Under Examination]

Select Projects

Satellite Data-based Pollution Forecasting using CNNs \cite{O}

Jan 2023 - Apr 2023

Advisor: Prof. Jibitesh Mishra

- > Built a CNN-based model to predict Breezometer Air Quality Index (BAQI) using Sentinel-2 images achieving over 87% Accuracy matching existing industry models. [Paper In Preparation]
- Created a dataset of over 10,000 satellite images at resolution 1280 x 1280 and 10,000 Breezometer air quality data records across 57 cities in India.

MoSwasthya: ML Based Application for Cardiac Disease Risk Prediction [♠] [♠] [Slides] Nov 2022 - Dec 2022

Advisor: Ipsit Misra

- > Created an all-in-one application that provides a ensemble methods based FAPS (First Action Prediction System) which estimate the cardiac disease risk on non-medical inputs with a real-day accuracy of 91.24%.
- > Won the First Prize worth 2500\$ USD among 4000 participants at the Smart Odisha Hackathon.

Vision-Based Models for Sorting and Segregation of Waste $[\mathfrak{O}]$ [Slides] *Associated Organization: Omdena*

July 2022 - Aug 2022

- > Built various vision-based models using state of art architectures for segregation and sorting of waste/trash into 10 commonly occurring classes as a task lead for the model-building team.
- > Evaluated this approach on benchmark datasets and models demonstrating almost matching accuracies in most cases.
- > Worked as a co-task lead for the deployment of the application using the Hugging Faces-Gradio Framework.

CoughVid: Covid-19 Detection from Cough Voice Samples []

Feb 2021 - Jan 2021

Advisor: Prof. S Behera

- > Developed an RNN and MFCC feature-extraction based model to detect Covid-19 from coughing audio samples.
- > Obtained an overall accuracy of 82.42% in Pfizer Digital Medicine Challenge.

Honors and Awards

Smart Odisha Hackathon, 2022 [�] [�] Awarded 1st Prize worth 2500\$ USD by the Chief Minister of Odisha for Healthcare sector out of 1000 teams nationwide.

Hugging Face Gradio NYC Hackathon [] Ranked 2 out of 100s of participating teams and won 200\$ USD worth of Hugging Face store goodies.

OUTR Merit Scholarship: Secured academic scholarship for ranking 1st in the department over last two undergrad years.

OUTR Best Thesis Award: Received nomination for my thesis among 1200+ students in 2021 undergraduate batch.