# ADIT SHRIMAL

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### **EDUCATION**

## M.S. in Data Science, University of San Francisco

Jul 2022 - Present

Relevant Coursework: Advanced Machine Learning, Distributed Data Systems, Data Structures & Algorithms, Relational Databases

## B.E. in Computer Engineering, University of Mumbai

Jul 2015 - May 2018

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms, Computer Networks, Database Management Systems, Machine Learning

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## **Amazon Web Services**

Nov 2022 - Present

Machine Learning Intern

- Built a sequential recommendation model using the RecBole library.
- Utilized SHAP and KernelSHAP to explain model predictions and identify features with the highest impact on recommendations, improving model interpretability and facilitating collaboration with non-technical stakeholders.
- Currently working on implementing Timeshap to provide time-based explanations of recommendations, enabling users to better understand why specific items are being recommended at a given time.

Fractal Analytics Nov 2021 - Jun 2022

Data Engineer

- Collaborated with clients to understand their business requirements and designed and built data-driven solutions for their enterprise data warehouse using Google Cloud Platform (GCP) products such as Composer, Dataflow, BigQuery, and Cloud Storage.
- Implemented an end-to-end data encryption strategy using Google Tink and Google KMS to enhance data security.
- Successfully migrated the client's existing data pipeline to a scalable and cost-efficient solution, resulting in improved performance and reduced costs. (Client: L'Oreal)

Bewakoof Brands Pvt. Ltd. Feb 2020 - Nov 2021

Data Scientist

- Built a data pipeline from scratch using Google Cloud Platform, which outperformed the existing pipeline in terms of scalability, fault tolerance, and cost-efficiency (approximate 40% cost reduction).
- Developed and implemented a Product Ranking auto-sort algorithm from scratch, resulting in a 25% boost in Revenue-Per-Thousand-Impressions, a 36% boost in Click-Through-Rate, and a 12% boost in Add-to-Cart-Rate.
- Developed product widgets 'Similar products', 'What's New', and 'Bestsellers' (currently live on Product Detail Page and Home page), which recommends products with similar content, new arrivals & bestsellers (last 30 days) which helped to increase customer engagement and boost Product-View-Rate per customer.
- Developed personalized recommendations for users by creating implicit ratings based on user behavior and using the ALS algorithm.

Reliance Jio Jul 2018 - Feb 2020

Data Engineer

- Built a large scalable platform for Jio Media Analytics to capture, visualize & provide insights into User Acquisition, User Engagement, and Content Consumption patterns.
- Built a streaming data pipeline that handled millions of events at scale in real-time using Kafka, Flink & Elasticsearch, outperforming existing pipelines that observed a Kafka lag of more than two hours.
- Implemented a data warehouse using HDFS, Spark, and Cassandra, which was used by Product Managers and Leaders for systematic computational analysis of data.

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Big Data Tools: Kafka, Flink, Spark, HDFS
- Google Cloud Platform: Pub/Sub, Cloud Dataflow, Cloud Storage, BigQuery, Cloud Functions, Firestore, Dataproc, Recommendations AI, Cloud Scheduler, Composer (Airflow)
- Programming Languages: Python, Java, SQL
- Databases: Elasticsearch, MySQL
- Machine Learning: Linear Regression, Logistic Regression, Decision trees, Random Forest, and Feature Engineering

### **AWARDS**

- Won 'Star Award 2022' for delivering outstanding solutions and solving complex technical customer challenges in a short period at Fractal Analytics
- Won 'Employee of the month' for October '20 and 'Employee of the Quarter' for Q4 FY 20-21 at Bewakoof Brands.