Aditya Thakkar

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Skills

Coursework	Languages	Technologies
Machine Learning, Neural Networks & Deep Learning, Statistics, Data Structures & Algorithms	Python, SQL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, MATLAB, Java, C++, C	Pandas, Scikit-Learn, Keras, Tensorflow, Django, D3, Docker, Simulink

Experience

Quantitative Research Associate Intern   May – Aug 2018
CIBC Asset Management   Toronto, ON
- Developing data tools and algorithms to analyze market conditions & make quant driven equity investment decisions
- Technologies Used: Python, JavaScript, D3, Django, SQL

Data Science Intern   Jan – Apr 2018
Manulife   Toronto, ON
- Wrote Bayesian network for fraudulent transaction detection with Python (Pandas, Numpy, etc.)
- Built dashboard using D3.js, Node.js and Neo4j to visualize fraud rings
- Brought data quality testing & monitoring project to from conception to production

Information Systems Developer Intern   Sept – Dec 2017
Manulife   Kitchener, ON
- Developed front end features for consumer facing websites (Java, JavaScript, HTML/CSS)
- Built app to track insurance payments for workers in the gig economy with a team of other interns
- Created filters on Contact Us forms which stop over 100,000 spam submissions per day

Research Student (Surgical Robotics)   May – Aug 2016
Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids) - CIGITI Lab   Toronto, ON
- Wrote path planning algorithm (Kalman filter) and workspace simulation using MATLAB & Simulink
- Solved inverse kinematics problem for a 6 DOF robotic arm with MATLAB using Jacobian method

Relevant Projects

Heart Disease Prediction with Random Forest Classifier |*Github Code - goo.gl/AJw4pX*
- Predicted blood vessel narrowing due to heart disease, resulted in 83% accuracy (Python, Scikit Learn)

Tensorflow Self Driving Car Image Classification Engine | *Github Code - goo.gl/oTQQiq*
- Classifies images into categories of common objects encountered by a self driving car on the road

Education

McMaster University   Expected May 2019
- Bachelor of Engineering (Co-op) – Electrical Engineering & Biomedical Engineering
- Awards: Dean's Honour List, McMaster Entrance Award

Leadership

President - Bioengineering At McMaster Society (BEAMS)   Mar 2016 – April 2017
- Led a team of 15 executives to double student attendance at all events from past years (beamsociety.ca)