

# AKHIL GOEL

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## EDUCATION

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**Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA**  
Bachelors of Science in Mathematics & Computer Science

*Aug 2018 - May 2021 (Expected)*  
GPA: 3.86/4.0

**Thomas Jefferson HS for Science & Technology**

*July 2014 - June 2018*

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**MIT Lincoln Laboratory**

June 2019 - Current

*Summer Research Intern & Student Technical Researcher*

*Lexington, MA*

- Used Monte-Carlo simulations to develop a dynamic time-gating algorithm for a biomedical imaging technique called Time-Domain Diffuse Correlation Spectroscopy.
- Upcoming poster presentation at SPIE Photonics West, San Francisco, February 2020.
- Implemented convolutional neural network architectures for nuclei segmentation and quantification of neurodegenerative disease biomarkers.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Team and Best Poster in Intern Innovative Idea Challenge for proposal on automatic American Sign Language translation. Receiving funding for continued project development, pursuing patent.

**GoVivace Inc.**

July 2018 - Aug 2018

*Research Intern*

*McLean, VA*

- Researched on using deep learning to enhance speech recognition accuracy.
- Leveraged Kaldi toolkit to work on developing improved signal-to-noise ratio estimates, allowing for a better balance between the acoustic model and language model.

## PROJECTS

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**American Sign Language Translation at MIT Lincoln Laboratory**

*June 2019 - Present*

Developed project proposal for automatic American Sign Language translation through deep learning with a team of six other interns. Continued research development is funded by MIT Lincoln Laboratory

**Autonomous Robot Navigation at Georgia Tech IVALab**

*Jan 2019 - Present*

Applying reinforcement learning algorithms to improve traditional local planning methods in robotics.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Programming Languages**

Python, C/C++, Java, Bash, Matlab

**Software & Tools**

Git, PyTorch, TensorFlow, OpenCV, LaTeX, Mathematica, ROS

**Concepts & Coursework**

Data Structures, Algorithms, AI, Computer Vision, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Object-Oriented Programming, Prob/Stat Theory, Applied Combinatorics, Vector Calculus, Advanced Linear Algebra

## LEADERSHIP & EXTRACURRICULAR

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**The Agency - Treasurer:** Officer for the AI/ML research club at Georgia Tech. Preparing lectures, planning events, leading weekly beginner workshop series on deep learning fundamentals and applications.

## AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

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**Qualifier** for the 2018 and 2015 American Invitational Mathematics Examination (AIME)

**Semifinalist (Top 500 in the nation)** for the 2017 and 2016 USA Biology Olympiad (USABO)