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#### **EDUCATION**

Columbia University New York, NY

Master of Science in Computer Science

GPA: 3.83/4.0

Haryana, IN

Dec 2022

May 2021

Ashoka University Postgraduate Diploma in Advanced Studies, Bachelor of Science

Major: Computer Science; GPA: 3.96/4.0 (Diploma) and 3.82/4.0 (UG).

Honors/Awards: Summa Cum Laude, Dean's List, Gold Medal for Academics.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

Intuit San Diego, California (Remote)

Software Engineer Intern at UI Platform

Jun 2022 - Sep 2022

Building and refactoring a tool center for Turbo Tax Online using React.

Troubleshooting bugs faced by users of the product and improving customer satisfaction.

Columbia University New York.NY

Columbia Data Science Institute Scholar

Jan 2022 - May 2022

Developing a collaborative predicting market where users are incentivised in case predictions are correct. Tools leveraged are: Python, Postgres SQL, Django, HTML, CSS

Ashoka University

Haryana, IN (Online)

Jun 2020 - Aug 2020

Research and Software Development Intern

Developed Covidbloc, a system involving an android(Flutter) mobile application and a web portal(Vue) with blockchain powered contact tracing (NodeJS server and Hyperledger Fabric) to track and prevent the spread of COVID-19.

## Kings College London and Trivedi Centre for Political Data

London, UK (Online)

Intern

May 2020 - Aug 2020

- Created an automated scraping system using Selenium to extract and clean useful documents released by the Indian government to tackle the Covid-19 pandemic.
- Executed a document classifier using NLP techniques to classify these documents topic wise.

# **SKILLS**

Technical: Python, Postgresql, React, AWS components, NodeJS, Javascript, Tenserflow, Keras, Hyperledger Fabric, Docker, Selenium, MongoDB, NoSQL, HTML/CSS, Django, Github, Jupyter Notebook, Postman, Flutter.

### **PROJECTS**

# Audio based Question & Answer Platform, Artificial Intelligence

Oct 2021 - Dec 2021

- Created a mobile application where users can ask and answer questions on any given topic using an audio-recording mechanism. It also facilitate recommendations (questions and topics) based on user history.
- Accomplished using React, Postgresql and AWS services such as S3 bucket, SQS, Elastic search, Lambda and API Gateway.

### Synthetic Data Generation and Secure ML, Privacy Preserving Machine Learning

Aug 2020 - May 2021

- Generated synthetic data in python with the help of conditional Generative Adversarial Networks to model sexual harassment cases in India.
- Implemented a linear regression model over a socket in a secure 2 party environment as per the protocols mentioned in the Secure ML paper. Programmed a Federated learning model (from scratch) on the MNIST fashion data set to compare with other models.

#### Image Coloriser and Automatic Essay Grader, Machine Learning

- Built an Image Coloriser designed to convert black and white images to coloured images using a Convolutional Neural Network model and a subset of the LFW dataset. Implemented a bidirectional LSTM based essay grader using Hewlett data corpus.
- Executed using these tools: Python, Machine learning libraries Keras, Tenserflow.

### Hyperfunds, Blockchain Development

Mar 2020 - May 2020

Developed a distributed application to help faculty at Ashoka University reliably spend research funds with approval from the right administrators (Tools: Hyperledger Fabric, Python, NodeJS, REST, Docker, Amazon Web Services).

### **PUBLICATIONS**

"BlockSim-Net: a network based blockchain simulator", Turkish Journal of EE and Computer Science, March 2022