# RAMAN AHUJA

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### **EDUCATION**

## **Arizona State University**

#### **MS in Computer Science**

· Coursework: Foundation of Algorithms, Fundamentals of Statistical learning, Natural Language Processing

Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology

**B.Tech in Computer Science** 

C.G.P.A: 7.80/10.0

Electives: Artificial Intelligence, Neuro Fuzzy Techniques, Information Retrieval, Data Mining

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **Numerify India, Bangalore**

#### **Associate Software Developer**

June 2016-June 2018

### **Performance Optimizing Engine for Amazon Redshift**

- Developed an intelligent distribution and sorting mechanism for data on clusters by leveraging Master-slave architecture
- Implemented compression encoding to reduce storage and disk I/O, increased real time analytics performance by 60%
- Developed a framework to reclaim fragmented disk space across VPC's and achieved 40% gain in ETL job processing

### **Feedback Driven Decision Making**

- Developed an extractor pipeline for Microsoft-Yammer. Used NLP for parsing feedbacks
- Trained ML models for opinion analysis of feedbacks. Built intuitive visual dashboards by developing Micro strategy cubes

## **Healthcare Infrastructure Outage Analyzer**

- Built a predictive model which progressively gets trained on historic incidents, to forecast the critical client outages
- Architectured the datawarehouse model and developed an ETL pipeline for the outage analysis and preventive measures
- · Developed interactive dashboards to find actionable insights on outage trends which elevated incident resolution rate

## Centre of Excellence - VNIT

### **Research Intern**

May 2014 - Jul 2014

Developed a handled device to make eyes learn and discriminate colors for curing partial color blindness

#### **TECHNICAL PROJECTS**

## Increasing the efficiency of Naïve Bayes model for Sentiment Analysis

- Factored in feature extraction techniques, Negation Handling and Word N Grams, trained model on IMDB data
- To handle new reviews, an adaptive approach was devised using Sentiwordnet based self-learning algorithm
- Obtained accuracy of 85.1% for linear complexity model, at par, to the support vectors machines and neural models

### **Criminal Hotspots - Data Mining**

• Developed an application for interactive analysis of historic crimes by hotspot detection and classification of risk terrains using clustering algorithms in R based on geographical information and various criminal attributes

#### **Fake Mail Detection**

Developed spam email classifier factored in preprocessing, feature extraction and trained on SVM to test accuracy 98.5%

## Indexing Tool – Information Retrieval

• Developed a distributed system using Hadoop MapReduce framework for construction of inverted index on large-scale documents to improve search query performance and also relevancy by pre-processing using NLP constructs

## **KAGGLE PROJECTS**

## Intruder Detection Through Webpage Session Tracking [Python(numpy, pandas, scipy, scikit-learn, matplotlib)]

Predicted whether a webpage session belongs to legitimate user or someone else, by training ML model
on sequence of webpages attended consequently by the person in the history, used sequential pattern mining techniques

### Flight Delays [Python (scikit-learn, pandas, numpy)]

- Predicted whether a flight will be delayed by more than 15 minutes, improved model performance by onehotencoding **House Price Prediction** [Python (numpy, pandas, scikit-learn RandomForestRegressor, matplotlib)] (Kaggle Kernel)
- Predicted sales price of each home, used feature engineering and advanced regression techniques to reach RMSE 0.12
   SKILLS
- Java, Python, C, Spark, numpy, pandas, scikit-learn, AWS(S3,REDSHIFT,EC2,EMR,RDS), Mysql, Matlab Linux, Git, Jenkins

### **TECHNICAL TRAINING EXPERIENCE**

- Data Structures and Algorithms University California, San Diego Daniel M Kane
- Machine Learning Stanford University Andrew Ng