Ajinkya Prabhu

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

Masters in Mobile and IoT Engineering

Intro to Computer Systems - 15513

Vellore Institute of Technology

Bachelors in Electronics and Communication Engineering

• GPA - 9.1/10.0

specialization in IoT and Sensors

Vellore - Tamil Nadu July 2016 - June 2020

Pittsburgh - Pennsylvania *May* 2022 **–** *Dec* 2023

WORK EXPERIENCE

BlackRock Software Engineer I

Gurugram, India Jan 2020 – July 2022

• Collaborated with a team of five software engineers to develop a data lake called RBOR (Regulatory Book of Records) with schema management and automatic ingestion on the Cloudera Data Platform

Increased adoption of RBOR platform across BlackRock

• Spearheaded ingestion of securities data; ingested 600GB/week with 293 columns (100M rows)

• Boosted query performance by **60 times**

Mantra Labs Software Engineering Intern Bangalore, India

May 2018 - June 2018

Analyzed I2S protocol in its application to a solid-state microphone on the BeagleBone Black

• Devised a facial recognition system to recognize unknown faces in security cameras using FaceNet algorithm

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Student Researcher

ITC

Vellore Institute of Technology - Vellore

May 2019 - July 2019

Collaborated with a team of 5 students to develop a prototype that detects defects in incense sticks

• Developed a Convolutional Neural Network in tandem with an image processing pipeline for object detection and classification

Achieved an accuracy of 82% while maintaining throughput of five sticks per second

Creation Labs - Team AutoZ

Vellore Institute of Technology - Vellore Sept 2018 - Nov 2019

Student Researcher

• Collaborated with a team of 10 students to develop an autonomous mobile robot to compete in IGVC competition

• Led development of sensor localization and electrical drive subsystem

Successfully secured funding from DRDO for defense research during tenure as vice-captain

PROJECTS

Dynamic Memory Allocator | *GitHub*

 Developed a malloc package implementation that achieved a peak performance of 74% utilization while maintaining a throughput of $\sim 9000 \text{Kops}$

Tiny Shell | GitHub

• Implemented a shell application using UNIX fork and signal handling

HTTP Proxy | GitHub

Designed a concurrent web proxy with thread-safe caching between concurrent requests

Contributor - Vega | GitHub

• Developed distributed set subtract operation in Rust

SKILLS

Programming Languages: C, C++, Java, Python, MATLAB, SQL, Rust, Scala

Technologies: Git, Arduino, ROS, LaTeX, Spark, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Hadoop, Linux

Languages: English (Professional), Hindi (Native), Marathi

PUBLICATIONS & PATENTS

Publication: Image Compression and Reconstruction Using Encoder-Decoder Convolutional Neural Network - Prabhu A., Chowdhary S., Narayanan S.J., Perumal B.

Patent: A scanning device for inspecting and sorting high aspect ratio objects and method thereof - N202041047428

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Merit Scholarship: Awarded merit Scholarship for exceptional academic performance for 2 consecutive years