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Machine Learning Engineer

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### **Skills**

**Expertise in Python** 

Very Good

Expertise in Matlab

Very Good

Expertise in C++

Good

Expertise in C

Good

Expertise in Solidity

Average

# Languages

English, Hindi

Engineering graduate student with interests in Data Mining, Machine Learning and Decentralized Applications.

### **Education**

2021-01 -Current

# Masters in Engineering: Electrical And Computer Engineering

University of Waterloo - Waterloo, ON Specialization in AI/ML

2012-08 -2016-12

# **Bachelor of Science: Electrical Engineering**

Purdue University - West Lafayette, Indiana, USA

# **Research Project**

#### **Driver Behavior Learning**

- Worked with Prof Mark Crowley and UWECEML lab on multi-modal data in fixed scenarios
- Performed Feature Extraction and Analysis on a dataset of drives
- Created a vanilla LSTM model to predict distance to the preceding target vehicle

# **Work History**

2019-07 -2020-02

## **Hardware Test Engineer**

Waymo, Mountain View, CA

 Perform Mechanical, Electrical and Environmental testing, drive hardware validation with a focus on custom hardware and performing RCA.

2017-05 -2019-07

## **Test Engineer**

Sanmina and Zollner Electronics, San Jose, CA

 Implemented automation solutions for data collection which helped save inventory cost by over 75% at Sanmina and 60% at Zollner Electronics

2013-04 -2013-06

# **Electrical Engineering Intern**

Gebr. Schmid, Freudenstadt, Germany

Developed Graphical User Interface for Sensor
Based reflection measurements of Solar wafers that
helped increase manufacturing efficiency by 65%