Anju Chhetri

WORK EXPERIENCE AND RESEARCH

• Research Assistant

April 2024 - Present

Nepal Applied Mathematics and Informatics Institute for Research (NAAMII) Advised by Dr. Binod Bhattarai

Lalitpur, Nepal

- Medical Out-Of-Distribution (OOD) Detection: My current research focuses on effective OOD detection methods in volumetric medical data, specifically MRI and CT scans.

• Undergraduate Research Intern

August 2023 - March 2024

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- Sampling techniques in Active Learning: I contributed to a project in the domain of active learning, with a particular emphasis on implementing and analyzing results for various sampling techniques on unbalanced datasets for a multi-class object detection task.

EDUCATION

• Pulchowk Campus - Institute of Engineering, Tribhuvan University

November 2019- April 2024

B.E in Electronics, Communication and Information

 Artificial Intelligence, Probability and Statistics, Mathematics (Linear Algebra, Calculus, Optimization), Control Systems, Data Structures and Algorithms, Discrete Structures, Embedded Systems, Numerical Methods, Computer Graphics

PROJECTS

• Improving Adversarial Image Robustness For Preventing Image Manipulation

October 2023 - April 2024

Academic Project

Link to Repo

- Tools & Technologies used: Python, PyTorch
- I developed an effective JPEG-resistant image immunization pipeline to counter text-guided AI manipulation, specifically for diffusion models. Additionally, I studied the influence of text prompts on the success of image immunization against these text-guided diffusion models.

Real-Time Visual Element Generation Using GANs

December 2022 - April 2023

Academic Project

Paper | Link to Repo

- Tools & Technologies used: Python, PyTorch, Unity, Barracuda
- My team and I developed a real-time neural rendering technique for generating realistic grass in video games. My task was to experiment with existing architectures, perform result analysis, and design new architectures that achieved both visual fidelity and low inference time.

Depth Estimation Using Stereo Vision

April 2022 - June 2022

Personal Project

- Tools & Technologies used: Python, OpenCV, PyTorch, MATLAB
- I worked on multi-view geometry and object localization using stereo vision for ABU Robocon 2022.
- My team and I created a custom dataset of 3000 images for ball localization.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Language: Python, LaTex, C/C++, MATLAB

System: Linux, Windows

Software: Emacs, Git, Arduino IDE Machine Learning Framework: PyTorch

AWARD AND ACHIEVEMENTS

• 2nd Runner up in **Hacking for Humanity 2023**, Nepal's largest all female hackathon

Februrary 2023

- Tools & Technologies used: IMU sensor, GSM & Bluetooth module, C++, Python, Pytorch
- Contribution:
 - * Prototyped the device on a PCB board, integrating IMU sensor, GSM, and Bluetooth modules.
 - * Created a dataset by collecting 6-axis motion data from the IMU sensor, capturing various movement patterns.

• Winner in Ace Ignite 2022

November 2022

- Tools & Technologies used: LoRa(Long Range) & GSM module, C++
- Contribution:
 - * Designed a sensor interface between LoRa and GSM module to send real time coordinates(longitude and latitude) to the computer device.

Represented Nepal in ABU-Robocon 2022

 $August\ 2022$

- Achieved 3rd place out of 13 teams representing 12 countries, along with a prestigious "NAGASE AWARD" for Nepal.
- Technical Contribution:
 - * Developed a robot vision system using stereo vision and object localization to accurately locate the ball in the opponent robot's head.

• Receiptent of Mahatma Gandhi Scholarship

2017-2018

– Awarded the prestigious Mahatma Gandhi Scholarship (2017-2018) and featured in the magazine published by Ex-Army Association Nepal.

COMMUNITY

Event Manager

December 2021 - February 2023

IT Club, Puchowk Campus

- Organized five events, each attended by approximately 50 students, covering topics from low-level system programming to UI/UX design.
- Oversaw technical setups and logistics for the club events.

• Student Member

December 2019 - August 2022

Robotics Club - Pulchowk Campus

- Technical Skills:
 - * Microcontroller: Arduino, Raspberry Pi Pico
 - * PCB design and Soldering (using KiCad software)
- Volunteering Activities:
 - * Delivered an introductory robotics session in "Milestone School" and "Xavier International College".
 - * Instructed 30+ students in "Advanced C Workshop" and "Robocamp 2023" organised by IT Club and Robotics Club at Pulchowk Campus.

REFERENCES

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