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## **INTERNSHIPS**

# Google Summer of Code 2017 (The Linux Foundation) Common Print Dialog

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- OBJECTIVE Build a unified solution for printing in desktop environments.
   A well designed print dialog will help the users to find the right printers and printing configurations
- Developed an ergonomic front-end written in Qt as a part of 5-strong team.
   It communicates with the back-end using DBus which supports printing with CUPS, IPP or Google Cloud Print

## École Normale Supérieure de Lyon (INRIA)

### Towards more scalable off-line simulation of MPI applications

**♀** Lyon, France

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- OBJECTIVE Build a framework for scalable time-independent trace replay for off-line simulation of MPI applications
- Merged ScalaTrace and Time-Independent Trace Replay to run simulations using Simgrid. Used NAS Parallel Benchmark to validate the framework

# Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology, Delhi Performance analysis and Optimization of Hadoop based cluster

May '13 − Jul '13

New Delhi, India

- **OBJECTIVE** Analyze the effect of various configuration parameters on Hadoop Map-Reduce performance under various conditions to achieve maximum throughput
- Studied the effect of block-size, copy phase, map spill and reduce phase for Fair, Capacity, and FCFS Scheduler on the throughput and execution time

# M.TECH. DISSERTATION

#### Scalability, Reliability, and Security of BodhiTree

- **OBJECTIVE** Supporting no more than 250 students combined with the security bugs, BodhiTree needs to be revamped, so that theoretically, its performance can increase linearly with linear increase in resources
- Expected outcome from this project is a scalable LMS which can be distributed (as an application container) and deployed with ease

#### Modeling Virtualized Applications using Machine Learning Techniques

- Performance models allows administrators to explore "what-if?" scenarios without the need of actual hardware. Simulations can be performed to get the expected performance if the model is correct
- Surveyed various machine learning approaches like ANNs/SVMs, Kalman Filters, Markov Models and Self-Organizing Maps for building performance models of virtualized applications

## **EDUCATION**

#### **IIT Bombay**

M.Tech. in Computer Science & Engineering

# Jul '16 - Present

GPA 8.33 / 10

### The LNM IIT, Jaipur

**B.Tech.** in Computer Science & Engineering

**GPA** 7.59 / 10

# **PUBLICATIONS**

### Journal Articles

 Casanova, Henri, Anshul Gupta, and Frédéric Suter (2015). "Toward more scalable off-line simulations of MPI applications". In: Parallel Processing Letters 25.03, p. 1541002.

## Conference Proceedings

- Apte, Varsha et al. (2017). "AutoPerf: Automated load testing and resource usage profiling of multi-tier internet applications". In: Proceedings of the 8th ACM/SPEC on International Conference on Performance Engineering, pp. 115–126.
- Bansal, Garvit et al. (2014). "A framework for performance analysis and tuning in hadoop based clusters". In: Smarter Planet and Big Data Analytics Workshop (SPBDA 2014), held in conjunction with International Conference on Distributed Computing and Networking (ICDCN 2014), Coimbatore, INDIA.

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Research Assistant CSE, IIT Bombay — Prof. Varsha Apte

₩ Jul '16 — Present

- Did experiments on client bottleneck detection and scalability of AutoPerf
- Upgraded AutoPerf so that it supports newer Java version, Maven architecture, and Google's style guide

## **PROJECTS**

#### **ASSR: Automatic Stuttered Speech Recognition**

Autumn '17

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- **OBJECTIVE** Enabling people having a stuttering speech impediment to use the current state-of-the-art speech-to-text systems
- UCLASS database was used for training and testing the ANN. IBM Watson's Speech-to-text system was used for validation of the corrected audio

#### Face Recognition using Faster R-CNN

Spring '17

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- OBJECTIVE Draw bounding box on all the faces in an image
- Developed a Faster-RCNN based model using VGG16 transfer learning
- Training dataset (WIDER): 12K 600x600 images. Test dataset (FDDB): 2845 images with 5171 faces. The accuracy obtained was 87%

#### Machine Learning approach for Music Genre Classification

Spring '16

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- OBJECTIVE Classify music into different categories: Rock, Hip Hop, Jazz, Metal, Classical, Pop, Disco, Blues, Reggae, Country
- Achieved an accuracy of 63.5% using Random Forest. Tried a different approach of using CNN on the spectrogram of audio files. Accuracy was 23%

#### Intelligent Reversi playing bot

Autumn '16

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- OBJECTIVE Build an intelligent agent to play Reversi
- Intelligence comes through Minimax algorithm with alpha-beta pruning
- The heuristic was a combination of parity, mobility, corners, and occupancy which determines the best possible next move

#### Solving Sudoku using Boolean SAT Solver in Haskell

Autumn '17

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- OBJECTIVE Build a SAT Solver and use it to solve Sudoku
- Implemented brute force and Davis-Putnam-Logemann-Loveland (DPLL) algorithms in Haskell
- Transformed Sudoku in 11,907 binary and 243 nine-ary CNF clauses which were fed to the SAT solver

#### **Resource Provisioning of LXD Containers**

Autumn '16

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- OBJECTIVE Prevent memory SLA violations in LXD based containers
- Implemented a framework which continuously monitors the containers in a cluster and alleviates memory hotspot by vertically and / or horizontally scaling the memory of containers

#### txt2midi: Indian musical notations to MIDI using Python

Autumn '16

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- OBJECTIVE Convert Indian classical music notation from text to MIDI
- Developed syntax for writing Indian classical music notation. Supports multiple instruments, mixing multiple tracks, setting volume and loop count for each track. The parser reads the input and generates a MIDI audio file

## **AREAS OF INTEREST**

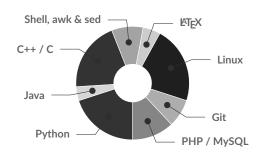
Machine Learning

Artificial Intelligence

Systems Networks

Performance

## **SKILLS**



## **IMPORTANT COURSES**

Automatic Speech Recognition

Machine Learning

Computer Vision

Artificial Intelligence

Virtualization

**Functional Programming** 

Performance Analysis of Systems & Network

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**



**Best Paper Award** 

AutoPerf was awarded the best paper award in ICPE 2017



**AP Grade** 

Was awarded the only AP grade in Software Lab among 116 students



**GATE Percentile** 

Secured 99.81 percentile in GATE 2016

# RESPONSIBILITIES

Associate Coordinator

**Networking - Computer Club** 

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Event Coordinator - Plinth 2012 Prison Break - Capture the Flag

# **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

- Swimming
- Listening to podcasts