# **Arslan Chaudhry**

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## **Experience**

## Research Scientist, Google DeepMind

April 2021 - Present

- Team: Applied Research Team
- Focus Areas: Continual-, Meta-, Transfer-learning, Foundation models

## Research Intern, Google Research

June 2020 - September 2020

- Hosts: Srikumar Ramalingam, Andreas Veit
- Project: Mixup regularization for dataset efficiency

# Research Intern, Facebook AI

June 2019 - September 2019

- Hosts: Albert Gordo, David Lopez-Paz
- Project: Experience Replay for Continual Learning

#### Research Intern, Facebook AI Research

June 2018 - February 2019

- Hosts: Mohamed Elhoseiny, Marcus Rohrbach, Marc'aurelio Ranzato
- Project: Efficient Lifelong Learning.

#### **Software Developer, Mentor Graphics**

June 2013 - Aug 2016

 Developed a Virtual Machine Monitor (VMM)/ Hypervisor for ARM and Intel platforms.

## **Education**

## PhD, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Oct 2016 - December 2020

- Area: Machine Learning and Computer Vision
- Advisor: Philip H.S. Torr
- Thesis: Continual Learning for Efficient Machine Learning
- Studied on the Rhodes Scholarship

## BSc, University of Engineering & Technology, Lahore

Sep 2009 - Aug 2013

- Area: Electrical Engineering
- CGPA: 3.95/4.0 (Rank: 1/400+; Medalist)
- Thesis: Load balancing of compute intensive applications on Beowulf clusters

#### **Publications**

Google Scholar [https://scholar.google.co.uk/citations?user=F08vjQMAAAAJ&hl]

#### **Teaching**

Tutorials, **Machine Learning**, Hilary 2020, Trinity 2018, Stanford House (Oxford) Tutorials, **Networking**, Trinity [2018, 2019] University of Oxford Tutorials, **Operating Systems**, Hilary [2018, 2019], University of Oxford Lab, **Software Engineering**, Hilary [2017, 2018, 2019], University of Oxford Teaching Assistant, **Operating Systems**, Spring 2013, UET, Lahore

#### **Talks**

- KAUST, Continual Learning in Deep Neural Networks, July 2020
- Google Research, Continual Learning in Deep Neural Networks, July 2020
- Google DeepMind, Continual Learning in Deep Neural Networks, April 2020
- UET Lahore, Machine Learning Introduction, December 2017

# Computing Expertise

**Languages:** Python, C, C++

Programming Paradigms: Linux Kernel and Driver Development, Paral-

lel Programming, CUDA Programming

Machine Learning Frameworks: Tensorflow, Pytorch

**Embedded Systems:** ARM TrustZone, Intel's VT-d and VT-x

# Awards Grants Fellowships

Amazon Research Award, 2019-2020

NeurIPS Travel Award, 2019 ICLR Travel Award, 2018

Murray Speight Grant, Rhodes House, 2018

Rhodes Scholar, 2016

Performance Excellence Award, Virtualization Team, Mentor Graphics ESD, 2015 Topper and Gold medalist of Electrical Engineering Department, UET Lahore, 2013

Deans Honors List, UET Lahore, 2009-2013

Nominated for IEEE Region 10 executive comity by IEEE Lahore Section,  ${f 2013}$ 

Obtained third position in BLOSSOM held by MIT officials at PYF, 2012

Winner of Race to Innovation in Pakistan Student Congress, 2012

Obtained third position in Pakistan in IEEE Xtreme Programming Competition, 2012

PCS scholarship recipient worth PKR 113980, 2007-2009

#### Service

Reviewer for ICML [19-22], NeurIPS [19-22], ICLR [21-22], AISTATS[22], CVPR [19-20], ECCV[20], ICCV [19]

Reviewer for TPAMI, JMLR, IEEE Transaction on Multimedia