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## EDUCATION

- M.S. Societal Computing (Ph.D. Discontinued)** GPA: 4.00 / 4.33 Aug. 2013 – Aug. 2017  
Carnegie Mellon University, School of Computer Science  
Major: Societal Computing (Information Technology)
- Master of Technology** GPA: 3.89 / 4.0 Jul. 2009 – Jul. 2011  
International Institute of Information Technology Bangalore (IIIT-B)  
Major: Computer Science
- Bachelor of Engineering (Hons.) & Master of Science (Hons.)** GPA: 8.19 / 10.0 Aug. 2001 – Jun. 2006  
Birla Institute of Technology & Science (BITS), Pilani, India  
Dual Degree Majors: Electronics & Instrumentation / Chemistry

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- Google Inc.**, Sunnyvale, CA – *Software Engineering Intern* May 2017 – Aug. 2017
- Statistical models to assess the overhead, correctness, and fairness of the *Perf* subsystem in Linux Kernel.
  - Upstream contribution (merged) – using C API for Python: [lkml.org/lkml/2017/7/21/654](https://lkml.org/lkml/2017/7/21/654)
- Microsoft Corporation**, Redmond – *Research Intern* May 2016 – Aug. 2016
- Measured success of projects that transitioned from proprietary code to Open Source Software.
  - GUI tool to extract and analyze data from GitHub: [github.com/arunk054/oss-analyzer](https://github.com/arunk054/oss-analyzer)
- VMware Inc.**, Palo Alto – *Performance Intern* May 2015 – Aug. 2015
- Auto-scaler service implementation and performance evaluation for a cloud computing Iaas.
  - Ported an industry standard benchmark to MongoDB: [github.com/arunk054/acmeair-netflix](https://github.com/arunk054/acmeair-netflix)
- Hewlett-Packard Company**, India – *Senior Software Engineer* Jul. 2011 – Jul. 2013
- Designed algorithms to optimize social media campaigns – Published: [dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=2380726](https://dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=2380726)
  - Developed social media based crowd sourcing platform – US Patent: [google.com/patents/US20150363741](https://google.com/patents/US20150363741)
- Hewlett-Packard Labs**, India – *Research Intern* Jan. 2011 – Jul. 2011
- Novell Inc.**, India – *Senior Software Engineer* Jul. 2007 – Jul. 2009
- Maintained package management in OpenSUSE Linux. E.g.: [bugzilla.novell.com/show\\_bug.cgi?id=214285](https://bugzilla.novell.com/show_bug.cgi?id=214285)
- Verizon Data Services**, India – *Software Engineer* Jun. 2006 – Jul. 2007
- Design and development of a voice portal system using Apache Struts and VXML.
- STMicroelectronics**, India – *Co-op* Jun. 2005 – Jun. 2006

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Python**, R, Machine Learning (*Samples [2014]*): [github.com/arunk054/machine-learning-algos](https://github.com/arunk054/machine-learning-algos)
- Java** (*Sample – Tetris style game [2007]*): [github.com/arunk054/puyo-game-tetris-style](https://github.com/arunk054/puyo-game-tetris-style)
- C/C++** (*Sample – GTK based virtual file system [2009]*): [github.com/arunk054/virtual-file-system](https://github.com/arunk054/virtual-file-system)
- Relevant Coursework*: Applied Machine Learning (A+), Computational Modeling (A+), Dynamic Network Analysis (A), Social Web (A), Distributed Computing (A), Computer Architecture (A)