# Tirath Bhathawala

## **EDUCATION**

SVKM's Dwarkadas J. Sanghvi College of Engineering

B. Tech in Computer Engineering with Hnrs in Intelligent Computing (CGPA - 9.24)

Mumbai Junior College of Arts, Commerce and Science

HSC (12th Boards - 91.5%, MHTCET - 99.5%)

Mumbai, India

2022 - 2026

Mumbai, India

2019 - 2021

#### EXPERIENCE

IIT Patna October 2024 - Current

Research Intern

- \* Developed a novel LLM-argumentation hybrid system for peer review assessment, evaluating 900+ ICLR reviews using state-of-the-art models (Llama 3.1, Mixtral, Gemini2, GPT-4), achieving strong inter-annotator agreement (Cohen's Kappa = 0.934) and implementing BAF and DF-QuAD Argumentation Frameworks for transparent scoring
- \* Architected a heuristic framework for optimizing peer review lengths through information density analysis, integrating metrics for content relevance, argument strength, and readability to establish optimal review length thresholds

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August 2024 - November 2024

AI Intern

- \* Devised workflows in Azure AI Promptflow for automated document processing, generation and retrieval tasks
- \* Optimized chunking, overlap and top-p parameters for 50+ RFPs, improving document retrieval perplexity by 25%

# PavePilot AI June 2024 - July 2024

Python (LLM) Development Intern

\* Developed an automated marketing content pipeline by evaluating multiple AI image models (BRIA, Stable Diffusion, Midjourney), implementing image processing with OpenCV and Pillow, and crafting platform-specific (LinkedIn, Instagram, etc) prompts with style guides for brand-aligned product advertisements

#### UIUC+ Summer Research Program

May 2024 - July 2024

Research Assistant

- \* Investigated the challenges and potential solutions in C to Rust translation by summarizing 5+ research papers (VERT, Lost in Translation, etc.) and analyzing the results of well-known transpilers and CodeLLMs
- \* Evaluated the quality of LLM-generated code by identifying potential bugs in the generated code snippets (C and Rust)

### Extra Co-Curricular

#### **DJSCE ACM** | Research Head

\* Leading personalized research mentorship programs for 50+ students, where research head collaborates individually with mentees through domain-specific learning and paper writing phases, fostering individual growth in academic research and publication

#### **PROJECTS**

#### Optima | OpenCV

\* Optima revolutionizes healthcare through real-time analysis of asthma pump usage, implementing posture detection, shake tracking, and pump-to-face distance measurement to provide precise patient behavior insights and treatment recommendations

 $\underline{\textbf{RakshakRita}} \mid BERT, nltk, seaborn, matplotlib, networkx, plotly$ 

- \* RakshakRita is a QR-based Police Feedback System empowering citizens to voice policing opinions, featuring dynamic feedback reports with interactive geo-spatial visualizations of police station performance
- \* Implemented NLP tasks like language translation, zero-shot classification, spam detection, chatbot creation and sentiment analysis.

#### ML and CV Fundamentals | tensorflow, keras, pandas

- \* Implemented deep learning models for medical image segmentation using the RSNA Breast Cancer dataset (pydicom, torchvision)
- \* Developed computer vision algorithms for object detection and image classification (CNN) (Oxford-IIIT Pet, MNIST, CIFAR10)

### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: C/C++, Python, Java, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, SQL, React, Rust

Tools: Linux, Git, Kaggle, Google Colab, Docker

Frameworks/Technologies: Tensorflow, Keras, PyTorch, OpenCV, AzureAI, FastAPI, NLTK, Streamlit

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures, Analysis of Algorithms, Data Warehouse and Mining, Artificial Intelligence, OOPS

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Winner in CodeBounty 2024, a college competitive programming contest

Finalist in the Rajasthan Police Hackathon 2024 (ML Lead)

Finalist in the Gujarat G20 Summit Hackathon 2023 (ML Lead)