SAQUIB KHAN

Research Assistant

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Research intern with results-oriented attitude in AI, NLP, and data analytics. Developed a Spoken Query Retrieval System for FIRE 2024, obtaining relevant documents in English with 85% accuracy and 10% reduction in query processing time. Predicted EPL match outcomes with 75% accuracy using 100,000+ football match records and Power BI dashboards. Comparing 5 dementia prediction ML models, ensemble technique improved accuracy by 92% and reliability by 15%. Also created predictive models for industrial chemical analysis at Tata Steel (83.67% accuracy). Loves using cutting-edge research and computer learning to address challenging, real-world challenges

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

FIRE 2024 Conference - Spoken-Query Cross-Lingual Information Retrieval (SqCLIR) [Aug 20, 2024 – Oct 14, 2024]

- Collaborated with a team of 4, including an NLP Engineer, to develop a Spoken Query Retrieval System that achieved 85% accuracy in retrieving relevant documents for monolingual queries in English, Gujarati, Hindi, and Bengali.
- Processed over 5,000 spoken queries using FastWhisper for audio transcription and sentenceTransformers/OpenAl embeddings for semantic similarity analysis.
- Built a retrieval system capable of handling 4 languages, contributing to a novel shared task addressing under-resourced Indic languages at FIRE 2024.
- Reduced query processing time by 30% by optimizing embedding generation and indexing techniques.

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Football Analytics Project - English Premier League (EPL) Analysis [Sep 1, 2024 - Nov 30, 2024]

- Analyzed 20 years of historical football data (2004–2024), processing over 100,000 match records to identify trends in team performance, player stats, and match outcomes.
- Created interactive Power BI dashboards summarizing key insights, which included 50+ visualizations such as win rates, goal distributions, and player performance metrics.
- Identified patterns in team performance, enabling the prediction of match outcomes with 75% accuracy using statistical models.
- Worked in a team of 6 to deliver actionable insights, reducing manual analysis time by 40% through automation in Python.

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IEEE Access 25' - Comparison of Machine Learning Models for Dementia Prediction [Feb 1, 2025 – Feb 28, 2025](In Progress)

- Compared 5 machine learning models (e.g., Random Forest, SVM, Neural Networks) on a dataset of 1,000 patient records, achieving a peak accuracy of 92% with an ensemble approach.
- Evaluated model performance using metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score, improving prediction reliability by 15% compared to baseline models.
- Processed and cleaned 20+ features from raw patient data, reducing noise and improving model interpretability.
- Documented findings in a manuscript submitted to IEEE Access 25', with contributions from a team of 4
 researchers.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Tata Steel Private Ltd. | Machine Learning Intern | Python

MAY 2024- Present

 During industrial training in steel manufacturing, I developed a Gradient Boosting Regressor ML model to predict Sulphur, Magnesium, and Lime levels, achieving 83.67% accuracy and 72.24% within ±0.002 threshold.

360 digiTMG | Associated with INNODATATICS | Machine Learning Intern | Python Optimizing Machine Downtime using ML | Accuracy: 79% Machine Learning Intern | Machine Learning Intern | Python Optimizing Machine Downtime using ML | Accuracy: 79%

May 2024 - June 2024

 Skills: EDA, Machine Learning and Statistical Analysis, Predictive Maintenance, Programming and Software Development-Proficiency in Python Using libraries and frameworks such as Pandas, Scikit-Learn, Project Management, Collaboration and Communication, CRISP - ML(Q), PostgreSQL

EY Global Delivery Services | Advance Data Analytics Intern | PowerBI Flipkart Business Monthly Data Analysis

Dec 2023 - Jan 2024

• Developed a comprehensive business data analysis dashboard for Flipkart, with a focus on sales performance & customer behavior to provide actionable insights and improve business strategies.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Programming Languages: Python, Java, MySQL
- **Technologies/framework:** PowerBI, MS Excel, ChatGPT, GitHub, VS Code, Google Colab, Jupyter Notebook, Matplotlib, Scikit-Learn, Pandas, Numpy, Plotly, PostgreSQL, Latex, Knime, LLMs

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Technology in Artificial Intelligence & Data Science

October 2022 - May 2026

C. V. Raman Global University | CGPA: 8.54

Bhubaneswar, Odisha

Relevant Coursework: Machine Learning, Data Mining, Data Structures & Algorithms, Database Management System, Object-Oriented Programming, Computer Network, Computer Organization, Java, Python

Upper & Lower Secondary Education

March 2009 - July 2022

Loyola School - ISC: 86% in Pure Science | ISCE: 93%

Jamshedpur, Jharkhand

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Building Generative Al apps using Ollama and LLMs
- Research Intern in a startup to research for market trends and competitors.
- Actively participating in Webinars and workshops based on ML, DL, NLP & Computer Vision