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EDUCATION

University of Maryland, A James Clark School of Engineering

Masters in M.Eng. Cybersecurity Expected May 2023

Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune Institute of Computer Technology (PICT)

(PICT) Pune, India

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering, **GPA:** 9.46/10

June 2021

College Park, MD

WORK EXPERIENCE

R2i2 Technologies Delhi, India

Intern – Web Developer

May 2021 – July 2021

- Enhanced an internal website which helped create, edit and manage projects
- Designed, strategized, and enhanced an algorithm which solved the Multiple Traveling Salesman Problem (MTSP) using Google OR tools
- Developed a website for "Optiplan" project which solved MTSP problem using Google's OR tools

Globular Tech Services Amravati, India

Intern - PHP Developer

May 2017

- Developed a dynamic website for "Zheptours" a tours and travel company
- Designed and implemented an Admin Panel to create, control and update various dynamic sections of the website
- Learned advanced PHP and connection with databases and web hosting

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Network Intrusion Detection System (NIDS) using Federated Learning

Pune, India

Team Member

Jan 2021 – Jun 2021

- Detected Cyber-attacks by implementing a NIDS using Federated Learning
- Solved the lack of availability of data for Machine Learning (ML) algorithms that detect cyber attacks
- Implemented a NIDS system more efficient as compared to traditional ML based NIDS using Python
- Created a continuously evolving ML model as an improvement over traditional ML system

NIDS using Ensembling of Decision Tree and Convolutional Neural Networks (Seminar)

Jul 2020 – Dec 2020

Individual Seminar

Jul 2020 – Dec 2020

- Explored hybrid Machine Learning methods to implement a NIDS
- Improved accuracy implementation by using multiple ML algorithms and approaches

Face Recognition based Attendance System

Pune, India

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Team Member

Jul 2019 – Dec 2019

- Developed a native android application for student attendance
- Implemented Face Detection and Face Recognition to mark attendance using Python
- Automated and eased the attendance process as well as reduced the risks of 'attendance by proxy'

Safana - Employee Management and Project Management System

Pune, India

Co-Developer

Sept 2019

 Developed a native android application with a firebase backend to help project managers add and remove employees, tasks and projects

Fake News Detection System

Aurangabad, India

Team Leader (Hackathon)

Jan 2019

Created a web application to detect whether a news claim is fake or not by taking either a twitter tweet or a normal text
containing news claim, finding relevant news articles after keyword extraction and performing sentiment analysis on
contents of news articles using Convolutional Neural Network and Logistic Regression

SKILL SETS:

- **Programming -** Python, C++, Java
- Web HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, SaSS, JS, Jquery, PHP, node js, react js
- Databases MySQL, MongoDB, Firebase
- Operating Systems Linux, Windows
- Tools/Softwares Wordpress, Android Studio, Photoshop, Premier Pro, Canva, Office 365 suite

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

Event Head, "Lakshya" CTF 2020 - a cybersecurity technical festival at PICT

• Organized the event and managed the team of around 20 members, contributed problem statements (steganography, digital forensics, cryptography, penetration testing and encryption) and developed front-end for the event's website

Founder, Cyber Security Student Cell at PICT

Planned, strategized, and managed CTF events, seminars, and workshops in PICT

Social Media Manager, Coding and Decoding - A Technology page on Instagram (over 165k followers)

Create posts, Manage, Grow the social media page as well as engage with the audience via messaging and live streams.

Youtube Manager, Ash Studios - A technology related youtube channel (around 750 subscribers)