#### ASHOK PATEL

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#### **EDUCATION**

# Kelley School of Business, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

August 2018 – May 2019 (Expected)

Master of Science in Information Systems | Business Intelligence and Analytics

- Corporate Outreach Coordinator, MSISA: Assisting 5 executive board members to develop the corporate outreach strategy, inviting industry speakers, and organizing information sessions for 130+ MSIS students
- Relevant Coursework: IT in Business, Data Modeling & DB Design, IT Project Management, IT Architecture & Cloud Computing

## K. J. Somaiya College of Engineering, Mumbai, India

August 2014 - March 2018

Bachelor of Technology, Major: Computer Engineering

GPA: **3.95**/4.00

- Senior Mentor, Think Tank Campus Tinkerers' Club: Supervised 2 live projects from ideation to implementation:
  - 1. In-house research on demographic analysis of service usage trends for mobile applications
  - 2. Inventory and admission management system for a local hospital and medical research center
- Google Student Ambassador, KJSCE Chapter: Collaborated with GDG Mumbai to compile usage guides and conduct training sessions on G Suite apps (Google Docs, Sheets, Slides, Keep, Calendar) for 120+ students and faculty members in a team of 3

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# Indian Space Research Organization, Mumbai, India

March 2018 - August 2018

Lead Intern – Project Deployment

- Led a team of 5 in 2D & 3D simulation development of a hybrid algorithm (OpenCV, Unity3D) with dynamic path calculation, reducing mapping failure rates by over 90% through immediate reallocation of jobs post unexpected node failures in swarm
- Developed a Node.js control dashboard for Application Scientists to remotely log real-time network status, images and heartbeats
- Designed the mission flow, automated control testing, and programmed an asynchronous 2-way TCP channel for packet exchange

# Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, Mumbai | Bhubaneswar, India

April 2017 - March 2018

Research Data Analyst Intern

- Scraped, cleaned and analyzed historical data of 21 water quality parameters from 12 OGD repositories for 20+ states
- Modeled and implemented a relational database in SQL for 64000 sources with a custom Amazon RDS + S3 instance, provisioning automated backup, point-in-time recovery and cross-region replicas, reducing mean query response time from 4 to 0.053 seconds
- Designed and developed a web-based quality monitoring dashboard for the ministry officials to track hardware kits and govern quality control initiatives, reducing reporting time for preliminary test results by over 30 days

#### Surge, One Bit Technology, Mumbai, India

October 2016 – March 2017

Business Analytics and Operations Associate

- Responsible for analyzing historical registration data from 52 institutions to filter and report potential affiliations in a team of 6
- Automated registration and data retrieval flow reducing turnaround time by 2 days leading to an increase in acquisition rate by 60%
- Expedited development and testing of revamped company website towards on-time 'go-live', increasing online engagement by 30%

#### SELECTED PROJECTS

# **Application Suite for Personal Assistant Semi-Autonomous Swarm Drones**

Feb 2017 – March 2018

- Modeled and programmed a custom corpus-based command processing engine in Python with an interpretation accuracy of 97%
- Developed a native companion app (NLP and MultiWii control support) for interfacing with swarm intelligent drones (PlutoX)

# **Facial Feature Recognition using Cloud Dataproc**

April 2018 – May 2018

• Created a 2-node managed Cloud Dataproc cluster with Apache Spark to distribute a facial feature mapping job using haar cascades

#### **Demographic Analysis of Service Usage Trends**

June 2017 – Sept 2017

- Developed a native Android application to retrieve and upload comprehensive data about third party apps and service usage
- Parsed and analyzed collected data from Firebase RDB for mining personality trends based on usage statistics and demographics

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Programming/Scripting: (Proficient) Python Java HTML5 CSS3 JS XML | (Working Knowledge) MATLAB PHP
- Tools/Platforms: VS Code Android Studio Sublime MySQLWorkbench Postman Slack GitHub AWS GCP
- Analytics: R Excel Tableau RapidMiner Orange Jupyter TensorFlow Firebase Google Analytics
- Databases: MySQL MongoDB SQL Server Firebase RDB

## **EXTRACURRICULAR**

- Second Prize (Leader, Team MU-FALCON) among 254 participant teams at national level, Smart India Hackathon 2018
- First Prize (Team DIWAM) among 301 participant teams at national level, Smart India Hackathon 2017
- Led 300+ volunteers as the Station Leader (Hamara Station Hamari Shaan) for 7 days during a city-wide beautification drive
- Awarded \$1300 Scholarship (INSPIRE) by State Government for performing in top 1% across the State Board in high school