# Vaibhav Agrawal

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# **EDUCATION**

## **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY**

MS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE Dec 2020 | New York, NY GPA: 3.85 / 4

#### **IIT KHARAGPUR**

BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY Aug 2019 | Kharagpur, India Major in Civil and Minor in CS Gold Medalist | GPA: 9.03 / 10

# COURSEWORK

## **GRADUATE**

Design and Analysis of Algorithms
Operating Systems
Computer Networks
Database Systems
Application Security
Deep Learning
Java - Special Topics
Big Data | Cloud Computing

#### **UNDERGRADUATE**

Algorithms & Data Structures
Probability and Statistics
Switching Circuits and Logic Design
Computer Architecture & OS
Machine Learning
Artificial Intelligence
Natural Language Processing

# **SKILLS**

#### Over 5000 lines

• Go • C++ • Java • Python • C

#### **Full Stack Tools**

- AWS Android JavaScript Django
- React.js Agile Node.js Selenium

#### **Data Science**

- •Statistics MapReduce Spark Scala
- R Kafka Elastic Search Kibana

#### Machine Learning & Al

• Scikit-Learn • Pandas • SparkML NLTK • Pytorch • Keras • Tensorflow

#### **Database**

• DynamoDB • MySQL • MongoDB

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Holder of 2019 Anukul Chandra Sarkar Memorial Gold Medal at IIT Kharagpur for achieving department rank 1

Ranked 595 among 1 million in the 2012 International Mathematics Olympiad

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### Twitch | Software Developer Engineer

March 2021 - Present | San Francisco, CA

• SDE on Billing Platforms Team - Money Org

# New York University | SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

October 2019 - Dec 2020 | New York, NY

- Built API driven web app to manage a tutoring program in Django and React
- Developed a dedicated algorithm for matching students and tutors into individual and shared tutoring sessions

### Salesforce | Product Manager Intern

June 2020 - Aug 2020 | San Francisco, CA

- Built core release management tool on GUS to provide user a seamless experience while being agile in their production cycle
- Worked directly with customers to identify pain points and validate product roadmap while collaborating cross-functionally with engineering and UX teams

# IISc Bangalore | Research Intern (Statistics and Testing)

May 2018 - July 2018 | Bengaluru, IN

- Developed a dedicated algorithm to extract road links using Google Maps API
- Analyzed Google's traffic data to explore probability distributions of link-level traffic speed for efficient route choice making

## IIT Bombay | Applied Machine Learning Intern (NLP)

May 2017 - Oct 2017 | Mumbai, IN

- Designed an algorithm and improved the accuracy of word corrections up by 10% by introducing semantic language constraints of the Sanskrit grammar
- Further demonstrated different machine learning approaches like attention models and achieved the best F-score of 93.72 with LSTM
- Also developed an <u>Android App</u> using fragments layout to help users learn Sanskrit language with a built in text to speech component

# **PROJECTS**

## Twitter Bot Detection | BIG DATA

Spring 2020 | New York, NY

Built a machine learning model to identify Twitter bots that spread political propaganda on big data scale (accuracy of 91%) using SparkML, MongoDB and Kafka

## **AWS Projects** | CLOUD COMPUTING

Spring 2020 | New York, NY

Built server-less web apps on AWS for smart door authentication, email spam filtering and NLP powered photo search using AWS Lex, Kinesis, Rekognition and Sagemaker

# Crash Severity Analysis | Bachelon's Thesis (Data Mining)

July 2018 - April 2019 | Kharagpur, IN

Analyzed traffic data on vehicular crashes using several non-parametric machine learning algorithms and achieved the best accuracy of 90% with <u>XGBoost</u>

# **PUBLICATIONS**

- [1] V. Agrawal et al. Crash severity analysis through nonparametric machine learning methods. *Journal of the Eastern Asia Society for Transportation Studies*, (2019).
- [2] D. Adiga, R. Saluja, V. Agrawal, and et al. Improving the learnability of classifiers for sanskrit ocr corrections. 17th World Sanskrit Conference, Vancouver, IASS, (2018).