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# AVINASH MISHRA

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- IT Professional with over 4 years of experience in the domain of Distributed Systems, Big data technologies and Data Science.
- Team leading experience of very diverse and motivated engineers.
- Master of Technology in computer science.
- Proven ability to manage multiple projects while meeting challenging deadlines.
- I believe “ There is no such thing as a negative experience ”.

## EMPLOYMENT

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| <b>Data Scientist/Team Lead</b> | <b>paradigmshift.io, Japan</b> | <b>September 2016~</b> |
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### Repchecker

- Repchecker is a B2B cloud based reputation checker of modern hotel industry.
- I am responsible for designing the search component of it. Customer can search and monitor their competitors based on time bound search. I am working on it from scratch, designed the architecture which involves technologies like Java, Cassandra multi-node cluster, Solr, Hadoop, Nginx and Jenkins.

### Valuechain

- Valuechain is an NLP tool to process review data from OTAs.
- I am leading this project and we are team of 3 members.
- I have redesigned the architecture and we perform a lot of NLP techniques like Noise removal, Lexicon Normalization, Object standardization, Entity Parsing, Statistical featurizing and text classification and matching etc.
- We recently started doing decision tree based supervised machine learning to predict customer's revisit.
- Tools and technologies used : NLTK, Kuromoji, Apache Lucene, Java, Python, Maven.

### Distributed web crawler / Data Lake

- I am also leading this project. We are a team of 5 engineers for it.
- I designed distributed web crawling architecture. It has centralize controller, distributed spiders run and distributed storage in Cassandra.
- Tools and technologies used: Apache Spark, Apache Kafka, Scrapy web crawling framework, Apache zookeeper, Django, Python, Java.
- Data cleaner is another small module which we use to fetch data from Data Lake.

### Data Migration / query optimization

- We use MariaDB for storage but system performance was quite slow. So I segregated unused and analytics related data into Cassandra and rest is in MariaDB.
- Time to time I also do query optimization and data modeling.

### Software engineer (Big data department)

**Rakuten, Japan**

**Oct. 2014 - Sept. 2016**

### GSP

- GSP is Global search platform which is being used for almost all of the Rakuten services.
- Created automated testing framework (Ngauto) for distributed search services involving systems like Solr, Zookeeper, Cassandra and Hadoop.
- Created search peripheral components like dictionary compiler and word extractor

to support search sub-functions like “did you mean”, “related-words”, “spell-check” and “auto-completion”.

- DevOps : In-charge of CI/CD . Used docker, chef , Jenkins and some shell scripts for OS-provisioning and delivery pipeline.

### Survey Panda

- This was our training project we as a team designed Survey Panda for PC support help desk feedback. Project was evaluated as the best training project of October 2016 batch and product was chosen to be used at PC support help desk.
- Team size : 14
- I was part of backend team working on Spring boot (J2EE). My main task was to design survey database and validate survey form and post feedback form.

### Dynamic Search UI

- Initial team member responsible for improving dynamic search UI of Rakuten ichiba.

## Systems engineer

Infosys Ltd., India

Mar. 2011 - Aug. 2012

### Molina Healthcare management

- Molina was a client of infosys and they wanted to upgrade their healthcare product. It was a pretty big project and we were team of 20+ engineers. I was responsible to manage users’ health related information in database. I designed the DB in SQL server and performing stored procedures, triggers and functions to optimize it.
- Technologies : Java,Python, SQL server.

### Employee SWAP portal

- Infosys is topmost company in India with more than 150,000 employee.
- India with big demographic region sometimes people gets posting at a place where they don’t want to live. So my team and I have designed one web based swap portal for employees who are interested to swap their posting locations.
- Technologies : Java, Jsp, Servlet.
- Team size : 5

## Teaching assistant

VJTI Mumbai, India

Sept. 2013 - June 2014

- Courses: Data structures and algorithms, Software engineering, Mathematical foundation for computer science.

## EDUCATION

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| <b>Master of Technology</b> | <b>Software engineering,<br/>Department of CS (VJTI)</b> | <b>Sept. 2012 - June 2014</b> |
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| <b>Bachelor of engineering</b> | <b>Computer science &amp;<br/>engineering (RGPV)</b> | <b>July 2006 - June 2010</b> |
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- *Post Graduate Coursework:* Human computer interaction; Design patterns; Artificial Intelligence; Computational Theory; Network analysis, Advanced Data Mining;
- *Post graduation research work :* Hadoop file system optimization.
- *Undergraduate Coursework:* Operating Systems; Databases; Algorithms; Digital electronics, Programming Languages; Comp. Architecture; Engineering Mathematics, Data Mining.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### *Postgraduate Thesis, VJTI Mumbai (Prof. Mansi Kulkarni)*

#### Apache hadoop data on the cloud (2014)

- Provided different ways of putting analyzed hadoop data into cloud and performed a theoretical as well as practical comparison between two famous storage formats HDFS and Amazon S3 on various parameters like Scalability, Durability, Persistence, Price, Performance, Security, Limitations etc.

## TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

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### *Fun Projects*

- *Content based image retrieval system* (2013). Used Java to implement exact match algorithm for comparing images and based on Euclidean distance retrieved optimal match.
- *Airline Analysis (POC)* : This project had following functionalities:  
It lists Airports operating in India, lists airline having zero stops, lists of all airlines operating, which country has highest Airports, list of active airlines in US.
- *e-Commerce site(POC)* : Build an e-Commerce shopping site to search products and display. Search text box supports auto-complete feature. Users can type minimum 3 characters to search for products that they want. Solr has been configured for auto suggester.
- *Youtube Data analysis(POC)* : Get top 5 categories with maximum number of videos uploaded, Get top 10 videos and most viewed videos.

## ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE AND AWARDS

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- [Rakuten Project Award](#) for GSP.
- HackerRank : Among top java developers in Japan. [avinash\\_mishra02](#) Current rank is 1
- My blog : [avinash-mishra.github.io](#)
- Event organizer in Rakuten Technology conference 2014.
- Placement coordinator of software engineering branch during 2013-2014
- Hobbies : Solving puzzles and reading.

## *Languages and Technologies*

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- Language : C , Java , Python, SQL , bash
- Server : Apache tomcat, Jetty, Nginx
- Big data technologies : HDFS,Yarn, MapReduce,Spark, Kafka, Zookeeper
- Search technologies: Apache lucene, Solr
- Database : Mysql, Cassandra, MongoDB, MariaDB, SQL server, Redis
- DevOps/CI : Jenkins, chef, docker, Vagrant, Apache Maven
- IDE/Editors: IntelliJ Idea , PyCharm, Atom, Vim
- Tools : github, Jira, Confluence, Bitbucket.
- OS : Ubuntu, CentOS
- Data Science : Scikit-learn, NLP, NLTK, Kuromoji, Pandas, sentiment-analysis.
- Cloud Platform: AWS, Digitalocean, Amazon Lightsail