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#### **OBJECTIVE**

Seeking challenging opportunities wherein I could utilize my experience to projects involving applications of Machine Learning.

#### **EDUCATION**

# Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY Master of Science in Computer Science

**December 2019** GPA: 3.68/4.0

Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Computer Vision, Algorithms, Operating Systems, Big Data Analytics.

# Birla Institute of Technology & Science, Pilani - Goa Campus, India Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science

May 2017

GPA: 8.28/10.0

• Deep Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Data Mining, Information Retrieval

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Python, TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, OpenCV, Java, C, Spark, Hive, Hadoop, SQL, Matlab, AWS (S3, Redshift), MongoDB, Javascript.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### SDE Intern at Uber Technologies (Uber Maps Team), Palo Alto, CA

May'19 - Aug'19

- Designed and implemented an end-to-end pipeline to extract features, train ML model, generate scores and trigger an alert in the system based on the prediction scores.
- Fully tested and productionized the pipeline and monitored the impact on business side.
- Technologies used Spark, Hive, Java, SQL, Hadoop, Python.

## Software Engineer at Indus OS (Data Science Team), Mumbai, India

Jun'17 - Jul'18

- Managed and improved the data pipeline that transforms server logs to databases using AWS.
- Analyzed user behavior, established models for targeting users leading to increased user engagement.
- Technologies used Amazon Web Services (S3, Redshift, Kinesis), Python, MongoDB.

#### Intern at Indus OS, Mumbai, India

Jan'17 - Jun'17

- Created and deployed a web-application dashboard for OEMs to login and view their periodic reports.
- Technologies used Python (Flask API), HTML, Javascript, Bootstrap, MongoDB, Redis Cache.

#### Research Intern (Undergraduate Thesis)

Jun'16 - Dec'16

Advisor: Prof. R Venkatesh Babu, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore, India

• Characterized image complexity and caption complexity in terms of scene elements, inter-element relations and established a relationship between them using MSCOCO and Visual Genome Datasets. *Framework - Keras.* 

#### **PROJECTS** -

# Hand Gesture Recognition in Real-Time Video Sequence (Master's Project)

Jan'19 - Presently

Working with Prof. Minh Hoai Nguyen in the Computer Vision Lab. Frameworks used - OpenCV, PyTorch.

# Deforestation Trends from 2012 to 2018 using satellite imagery

Mar'19 - May'19

- Used Spark (MapReduce) to efficiently read the high quality TIFF image data from hdfs.
- Applied K-Means over the extracted CNN features to locate regions with similar deforestation rates.

# Fake News Detection (Link)

Oct'18 - Dec'18

Trained different LSTM, CNN, and hybrid models to predict whether the text news is fake or not fake using NLP.

### Depth Estimation in Images (Link)

Oct'18 - Dec'18

- Implemented "Depth Map Prediction from a Single Image using a Multi-Scale Deep Network" paper.
- Improved the performance by experimenting with heuristics like data augmentation and ResNet architecture.

### Action Recognition in Videos (Link)

Oct'18 - Nov'18

 Trained different CNN, LSTM and hybrid networks on VGG16 features extracted from UCF101 dataset for action recognition in videos. LSTM+CNN hybrid outperformed all the other architectures.

Implemented PageRank using distributed TensorFlow over a Hadoop cluster on Google Cloud Platform.

**New Stackable File System**: bkpfs automatically creates backup versions of files, and allows to list, delete and view them. **Created a New System Call** which takes an input file, encrypts or decrypts it, and then produces a copy into an output file.

#### CERTIFICATIONS

• Deep Learning Specialization - 5 Courses by deeplearning.ai

Coursera Certificate Link