

Project Title: Online Voting System Using Machine Learning and Blockchain

Abstract:

The **Online Voting System Using Blockchain with Ethereum and Machine Learning** is designed to provide a secure, transparent, and decentralized solution for modern elections. This system leverages the power of blockchain technology, specifically Ethereum with Ganache, to ensure the immutability and integrity of votes. By utilizing face recognition for voter authentication, the system further enhances security, preventing identity fraud and ensuring that only eligible voters can participate. Additionally, the integration of machine learning algorithms, including Decision Trees, Random Forests, and Logistic Regression, allows the system to predict future election trends based on historical data, providing valuable insights into the likely outcomes of elections.

The system features several key components: **Voter Registration & Authentication**, where voters are registered by the admin and verified using face recognition before voting; **Election & Candidate Management**, which allows the admin to create new elections and add candidates, with all data securely stored on the blockchain for transparency; **Secure & Transparent Voting Process**, where votes are digitally cast and recorded on the Ethereum blockchain to prevent manipulation; and **Election Results & Voter Insights**, where results are displayed securely after voting and provide real-time insights into the election process. The system also includes a feature for **Future Election Prediction**, where machine learning models predict outcomes based on multiple factors such as party, age, education, and other relevant parameters.

This blockchain-based online voting system ensures that the election process is fair, transparent, and secure, and that voter data is protected. The integration of machine learning provides valuable predictions and insights into voting trends, helping stakeholders make informed decisions. By employing advanced technologies such as blockchain and machine learning, the system aims to enhance trust in digital voting and promote democratic practices globally, ensuring a more reliable, efficient, and secure election process.

The "**Online Voting System Using Blockchain with Ethereum and Machine Learning**" provides a comprehensive solution to modernize and secure the electoral process. By utilizing **Ethereum blockchain**, the system ensures that every vote cast is immutable, transparent, and tamper-proof. Voter authentication is made secure through **face recognition technology**, preventing identity fraud and allowing only registered voters to participate.

The system leverages **machine learning algorithms** like **Decision Tree**, **Random Forest**, and **Logistic Regression** to predict future election outcomes based on historical data, helping provide insights into voting trends and potential election results. The **secure voting process** ensures that each vote is recorded on the blockchain, eliminating any risk of manipulation.

The proposed solution also ensures that the election process is transparent, as all votes are publicly verifiable on the blockchain. This system addresses the need for a more **secure, efficient, and transparent voting process**, ensuring trust in the digital voting system and enabling smoother, faster elections.

Functional Requirements :

Voter Registration and Authentication:

- Secure registration via face recognition.
- Verification of identity to prevent fraudulent voting.
- Customizable voter profiles with personal information.

Secure Voting Process:

- Voters cast votes digitally, which are securely recorded on the **Ethereum blockchain**.
- Ensures **immutability**, transparency, and tamper-proof election results.
- Prevents duplicate votes, ensuring fairness in the election process.

Election Result Prediction with Machine Learning:

- **Machine learning algorithms** (Decision Tree, Random Forest, Logistic Regression) predict election outcomes.
- Predictive models use data such as party, demographics, criminal cases, education, and more.
- Provides real-time insights into potential election results based on historical data.

Election Results Display:

- Results are displayed **securely** after voting ends.
- The system offers an **overview** of voting trends and breakdowns.
- Enables **public transparency** of election outcomes.

Offline Functionality:

- Record votes and verify identity offline.
- Sync data to the blockchain and cloud once an internet connection is restored.
- Ensures uninterrupted voting and authentication, even in areas with poor internet access.

Software Requirements:

Frontend Development

- **UI Design:** Figma for designing the user interface.
- **Frontend Languages:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap for creating responsive, user-friendly web interfaces.

Backend Development

- **Programming Languages:** Python for backend logic and **Django** for web framework.
- **Blockchain Integration:** Solidity for smart contract development on Ethereum.
- **API Testing:** Postman for testing REST APIs.

Machine Learning & Prediction

- **Machine Learning Algorithms:** Decision Tree, Random Forest, Logistic Regression for election prediction.
- **Machine Learning Libraries:** scikit-learn and TensorFlow for model training and prediction.

Authentication & Security

- **Face Recognition:** Python Face Recognition Module for voter authentication.
- **Blockchain:** Ethereum and Ganache for secure vote recording and transaction management.

Deployment & Hosting

- **Deployment:** AWS EC2 for scalable cloud hosting.
- **Blockchain Deployment:** Infura or Alchemy for Ethereum network integration.

Database

- **Database Management:** SQLite for storing voter data and election-related information.

Hardware Requirements:

Operating System

- **OS:** Windows/Linux for backend deployment or macOS for frontend development.

Hardware Specifications

- **RAM:** Minimum of **4GB** for smooth application operation.
- **Storage:** **500GB HDD** or **SSD** for data storage and blockchain management.
- **Graphic Card:** Not mandatory, but **1GB** of VRAM may be useful for development or machine learning model training.

Networking

- **Network Bandwidth:** Minimum **5Mbps** for smooth data fetching from the cloud and real-time updates.
- **Internet:** Stable internet connection for uninterrupted communication with the blockchain and machine learning models.

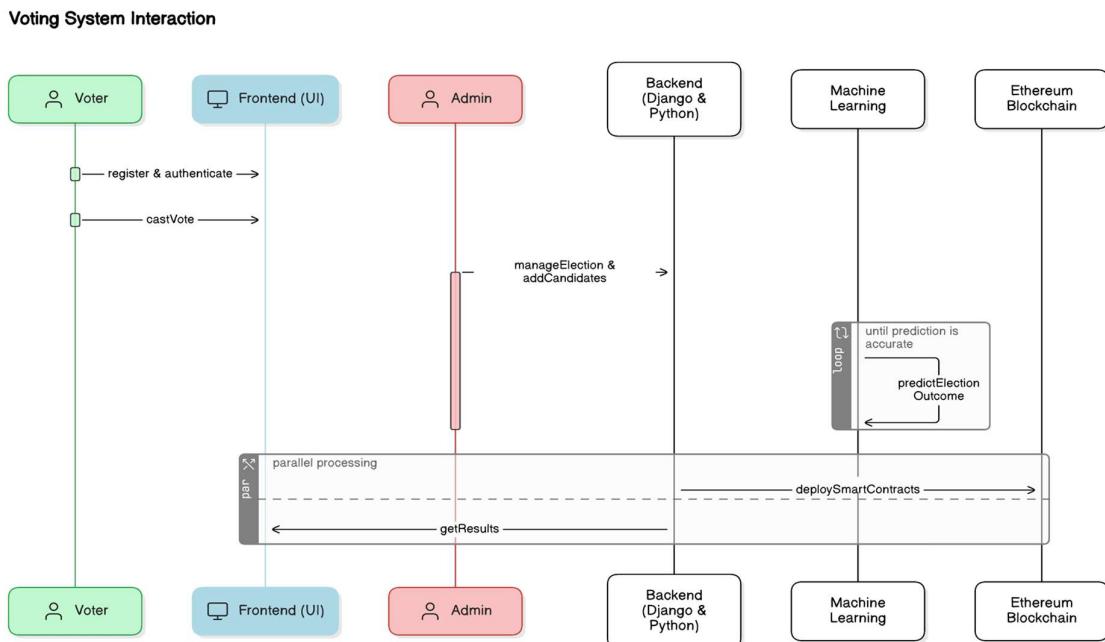
Results:

The **Online Voting System Using Blockchain with Ethereum and Machine Learning** has been successfully implemented with a focus on ensuring a secure, transparent, and efficient election process. By leveraging **Ethereum blockchain**, the system guarantees **immutable vote recording**, ensuring transparency and preventing manipulation. **Face recognition** technology secures voter authentication, ensuring that only registered voters can cast their votes.

The system is capable of **predicting election outcomes** using machine learning algorithms like **Decision Tree**, **Random Forest**, and **Logistic Regression**, providing valuable insights into voting trends and election results. **Votes are securely recorded on the blockchain**, preventing tampering and ensuring the integrity of the election process. Key features include **real-time election result predictions**, **secure voting** with **immutable blockchain storage**, and **transparent, verifiable election outcomes**. The system is designed to function smoothly across a variety of devices and platforms, ensuring accessibility for users in different environments.

Additionally, the integration of **machine learning** enables the system to continuously improve its predictions, providing valuable insights for future elections. **Real-time feedback** and **election trends** are displayed, enhancing the experience for administrators and voters alike.

System Architecture:



1. Voter Registration & Authentication:

- Admin registers voters with their **face and voter ID**.
- Bulk data upload for easy voter registration.
- **Face recognition** ensures secure voter authentication.

The image displays three screenshots of the DigitalBallot website, illustrating the voter registration and authentication process.

Screenshot 1: Home Page

Your vote is your voice. Use it to make a difference.

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Home Elections Results Admin Vote Contact Cast Your Vote

Welcome to Our Voting System

VOTE Cast Your Vote Today!

Exercise your democratic right by participating in our election. Your vote matters!

Vote Now

Screenshot 2: Voter Verification Form

How to Vote

To vote, Enter your Email and Aadhar number, then verify your identity with the OTP sent to your Email. Confirm your vote to complete the process.

Voter Verification Form

Aadhar Number: XXXX4545XXXXXX45

Email: example@example.com

Submit

Screenshot 3: Verify Your Identity

Verify Your Identity

We've sent an email with your code to

paco*****@outlook*****

Enter the code*

Remember this device for 30 days

Continue

Didn't receive an email? Resend Try another method

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Admin Login

Username

Password

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Login

2. Election & Candidate Management

- Admin can **create elections** and add candidates.
- All **election data** is stored securely on the **blockchain**, ensuring transparency.

The screenshot shows the 'Manage Voters' page. At the top, there's a navigation bar with 'RA Admin' on the left and a user icon on the right. Below the navigation is a sidebar with links: 'Dashboard', 'Voters Management' (which is active), 'Add Voters', 'Manage Voters', 'Election Management', 'Results', and 'Upload data'. The main content area is titled 'Manage Voters' and contains a table with three columns: 'Aadhaar Number', 'Image', and 'Action'. A message at the bottom of the table says 'No voters Added'.

The screenshot shows the 'Add Voters' page. The top navigation bar and sidebar are identical to the previous screenshot. The main content area is titled 'Add Voters' and features a 'VOTER REGISTRATION PORTAL' form. It includes fields for 'Aadhaar Number' (with a placeholder input field) and 'Upload Voter Image' (with a button labeled 'Open Webcam'). Below the form, a note says 'Please take a picture of Voter very clearly and upload it.'

The screenshot shows the 'Add Voters' page again, but the main content area now features a 'BULK VOTER REGISTRATION PORTAL' form. This form has a large red 'Upload CSV File' button with a sub-instruction 'Choose CSV File' and a red 'Upload' button below it.

3. Secure & Transparent Voting Process

- Voters cast votes digitally with **immutable blockchain recording**.
- Only **one vote per voter** ensures fairness.

The screenshot displays the DigitalBallot platform, which includes a voter interface and an administrator dashboard.

Voter Interface:

- The top navigation bar features a blue header with "DigitalBallot" and a red "Cast Your Vote" button.
- A banner at the top says "Your vote is your voice. Use it to make a difference."
- The main section is titled "ELECTION CANDIDATES".
- A box contains instructions: "How to Vote: Click the "Vote" button next to your preferred candidate, enter your phone number and Aadhar number, receive an OTP on your phone, enter the OTP to confirm your vote, and your vote will be successfully submitted."
- A candidate profile is shown with a placeholder image of a green leafy vegetable, the name "fsdfdf", and the text "Party: sdfsd Election: sdfs".
- A green "Vote" button is present.

Administrator Dashboard:

- The top navigation bar has "Admin" and a user icon.
- The left sidebar includes "Dashboard", "Voters Management" (with "Add Voters" and "Manage Voters" options), "Election Management" (with "Results" and "Upload data" options), and "Upload data".
- The main dashboard area shows three summary cards:
 - ELECTIONS REGISTERED: 2 (Since last Week)
 - CANDIDATES REGISTERED: 1 (Since last Week)
 - NO OF PEOPLE VOTED: 0 (Since last 3 days)

4. Election Results & Voter Insights

- **Election results** are displayed securely the day after voting.
- Provides insights and trends based on **voting data**.

The screenshot shows the DigitalBallot Admin dashboard. On the left sidebar, there are links for Dashboard, Voters Management, Election Management, Results (which is selected), and Upload data. The main content area is titled "Results Table" and displays a table with the following data:

Sno.	Election Name	Picture	Head of Election	Election Date	Type	Action
1	gdghh		Sun	March 13, 2025	Rajya Sabha Election	<button>Verify Result</button>
2	gdghh		Sun	March 13, 2025	Rajya Sabha Election	<button>Verify Result</button>
3	sdfs		sdf	March 14, 2025	Rajya Sabha Election	<button>Verify Result</button>

At the bottom of the page, a black banner contains the text "Your vote is your voice. Use it to make a difference." and a red button labeled "Cast Your Vote".

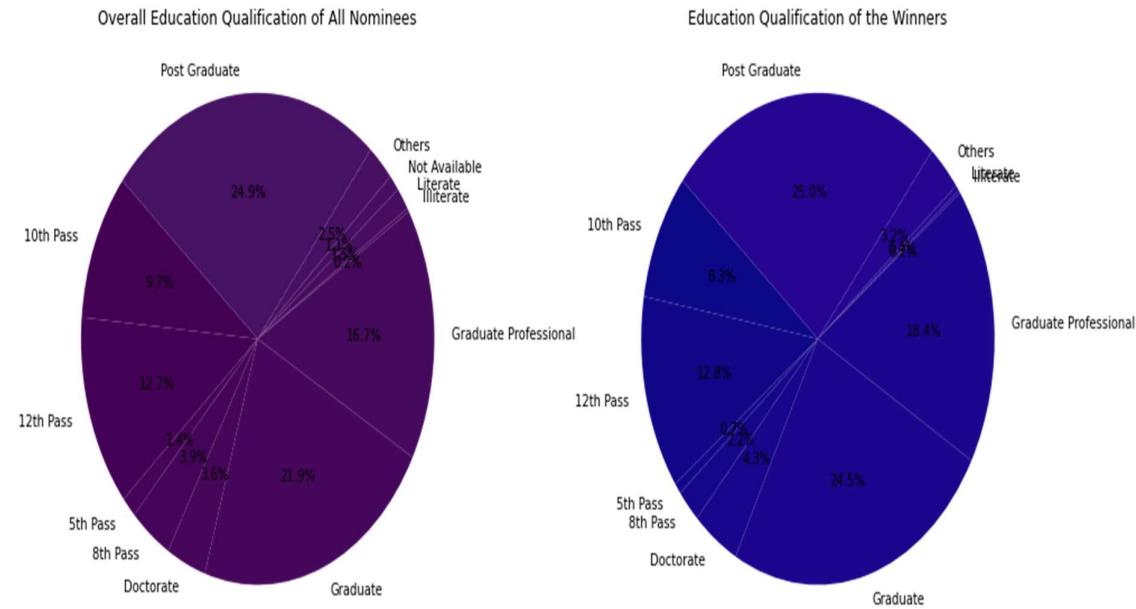
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Candidate Name	Party Name	Symbol	Votes
Harsha Vardhan Rachalapally	party		3

5. Future Election Prediction using Machine Learning

- Predicts election outcomes with **Decision Tree**, **Random Forest**, and **Logistic Regression** algorithms.
- Analyzes factors like **party**, **gender**, **age**, and more for accurate predictions.



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Cast Your Vote

Election Prediction Form

Party:

Gender (1 for Male, 2 for Female):

Criminal Cases:

Age:

Category:

Education:

Total Votes:

Total Electors:

Assets:

Liabilities:

Predict

