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Summary

Data Science graduate seeking full-time opportunities with experience building end-to-end ML solutions, including data preprocessing, modeling, and deployment. Skilled in Python, Transformers, and big-data tools, with a track record of delivering **high-accuracy models** and reducing manual workflows by **50%**.

Experience

- Research Assistant, University of Texas at Arlington** Jul 2025 – Present
- Developed a Streamlit application that ingests waiver documents in Excel format and automatically highlights content discrepancies, reducing manual review time by **50%** and improving validation accuracy.
 - Built and deployed TextCNN and Transformer-based classifiers to categorize document context into **20+ tag categories** significantly speeding up downstream document processing.
- Graduate Math Tutor - Statistics, University of Texas at Arlington** Jan 2025 – May 2025
- Tutored **100+** undergraduate students in Statistics, Probability, and Calculus I-III across two tutoring centers, improving student performance by an average of **20%**.
 - Cleaned, transformed, and validated real-world community datasets, increasing data usability and enabling students to perform meaningful statistical analyses.
 - Guided students on research methodology, hypothesis testing, and statistical interpretation, helping translate community-driven questions into actionable insights.
- Junior Data Scientist, Analyttica Datalab Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru** May 2022 – Jul 2023
- Designed and developed **150+** reusable data science functions for the LEAPS analytics platform, enabling faster implementation of data visualization, data management, and time series analysis workflows.
 - Upgraded **80+** static matplotlib visualizations into interactive Plotly dashboards, increasing user engagement and reducing dashboard creation time by **25%**.
 - Involved in building a recommendation engine to enhance the LEAPS user journey by providing personalized data science problem suggestions, improving platform retention by **15%**.
 - Authored **60+** Jupyter notebooks for applied data science case studies, helping users learn key ML concepts through hands-on experimentation.
 - Led client open house sessions for Siemens and Aditya Birla Group, presenting classification and regression analyses to groups of up to **30 participants**, strengthening client engagement and understanding.

Technical Skills

Languages & Data Analytics: Python, C, C++, R, pandas, numpy, scikit-learn, matplotlib, plotly

AI/ML & Big Data: Tensorflow, PyTorch, OpenCV, Keras, Hadoop, Spark

CI/CD & Version Control: Jenkins, Docker, Kubernetes, Git, Bitbucket

Databases: MySQL, SQLite DB Browser

Projects

- Scot Forge Data Analysis Project - Impact of Temper on Tensile Tests** Jan 2025 – Apr 2025
- Selected from 40+ teams to work with Scot Forge on a predictive modeling project. Conducted EDA, hypothesis testing, and data preprocessing, including feature engineering and scaling. Built a classification model to predict process results, achieving **98.82%** accuracy after resampling, identifying key predictive features
- Maverick Rover Team - University Rover Challenge** Jun 2024 - Apr 2025
- Worked on ArUco marker detection and LiDAR-based object detection. Integrated ZED SDK and configured vision processing on the NVIDIA Jetson TX2. Flashed the Jetson and installed the latest JetPack SDK for optimized deployment

Education

- Master's in Data science, The University of Texas at Arlington GPA: 4.0** Aug 2023 - May 2025
- Coursework: Neural Networks, Computer Vision, Big Data, Probability & Statistics
- Bachelor's in ECE, Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bangalore,** Aug 2018 - May 2022
- Coursework: Introduction to ML/DL, Data structures using C++, Cryptography, IoT