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Examination	University	Institute	Year	CPI / %
Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2023	null
Intermediate	CBSE	Divine Child High School, Surat	2019	96.00%
Matriculation	CBSE	Delhi Public School Surat	2017	10

Pursuing a minor in Computer Science

### SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS \_\_\_\_\_

- Secured All India Rank 116 in JEE Mains emerging as City Topper and State Girls' Topper (2019)
- Secured All India Rank 789 in JEE Advanced competing against 225 thousand candidates (2019)
- Recipient of KVPY fellowship awarded to top 1% by Dept. of Science and Technology, Govt. of India (2019)
- Conferred with AP grade (Advance Performer) in BB101-Biology granted to 8 out of 578 students (2020)

### INTERNSHIPS

### **Action Recognition in Smart Homes**

(May'21 - Aug'21)

Prof. Thomas M. Deserno | Research Internship

TU Braunschweig, Germany

- Developed video analysis framework for multi-camera, multi-person activity recognition in smart homes
- Tested performance of existing work on enhanced pose estimators like OpenPose, AlphaPose, LightTrack
- Remodeled LSTM network from joints based hand-crafted features, to extracting features from pretrained CNN for spatial dynamics and multi layer LSTMs with attention block for temporal modelling
- Upgraded person tracking with YOLOv4+Deepsort to support re-indentification and handle occlusions
- Expanded dataset to 300GB and improved accuracy on realistic and simulated fall datasets from 79% to 99%

### KEY PROJECTS \_\_\_\_\_

Self Driving Car

(Sept'20 - July'21)

Autonomous Vehicles, Computer Vision Subsystem | Team SeDriCa, UMIC

IIT Bombay

SeDriCa is a 22 membered student team working to build India's first self-driving car with level 4 autonomy

- Developed a Multi-Task Learning model using uncertainty to weight losses for object detection and road segmentation on BDD100K dataset by fusing Scaled-YOLOv4 and PSPNet to reduce computation cost
- $\bullet \ \ Designed \ and \ tested \ \textbf{cross} \ \ \textbf{connected} \ \ \textbf{network} \ \ from \ Faster \ R-CNN \ and \ PSPNet \ with \ ResNet 50 \ backbone$
- Scrutinized Hierarchical Multi-scale attention, EfficientDet, D-LinkNet to replace existing models

#### Bosch's Traffic Sign Recognition Challenge

(March'21)

Inter IIT Tech Meet

IIT Guwahati

Part of 10 membered team that won Bronze out of 23 teams which participated

- Obtained scores on simple baseline model and trained SOTA classification networks on GTSRB dataset
- Generated embeddings of dataset using t-SNE and layer wise visualisations of the model trained by user
- Implemented **GradCAM**++ and **Lime** to enable the user to investigate incorrect predictions and devised automated scripts for explaining **failures of system** based on confusion matrix, loss and accuracy plots

### Multi-Modal Image Registration using Unsupervised Deep Learning

(April'21)

Prof. Suyash Awate | Course Project

IIT Bombay

- Customised Voxelmorph to register cross subject brain scans of different modalities (MRI and CT)
- Trained CycleGAN network to register CT scans images with their MRI counterparts on the same dataset

### Image Super Resolution

(Dec'20)

Prof. Amit Sethi | Course Project

IIT Bombay

- Implemented SRGAN to estimate high resolution images from low resolution with an aim to recover content
- Formulated a VGG based content loss using output features of VGG19 model pretrained on ImageNet

#### The Tracking and Navigation Challenge

(Aug'20)

Autumn of Automation | UMIC

IIT Bombay

- Programmed a bot with **ROS** to solve perfect maze while avoiding obstacles using wall follower algorithm
- Exploited OpenCV and Canny edge detection for procuring letters present on the walls of the room
- Performed letter recognition utilizing transfer learning and fine tuning achieving best accuracy of 93%

#### Fruit Quality Predictor

 $(May'20 ext{-}Jul'20)$ 

Institute Technical Summer Project

IIT Bombay

- Built a real time application for non-invasive quality assessment of fruits by leveraging smartphone cameras
- Constructed a custom dataset and employed various data augmentation techniques to make the model robust
- Trained custom and SOTA models achieving best accuracy of 99%, 95% and 90% for banana, mango and pear

## OTHER PROJECTS \_\_\_\_

### Temperature Monitor | Microprocessors Lab

(March'21)

- Interfaced LM35 temperature sensor using ADC MCP3008 and displayed it on LCD using embedded C
- Played alarm while blinking LEDs at certain frequency if average temperature falls or rises outside the range

  Arithmetic Unit | Digital Systems Lab

  (Dec'20)
- Implemented and tested a 16-bit signed ALU comprising of Kogge Stone fast adder using structural VHDL

### Front-End Web Development | Learner's Space IIT Bombay

(July'20)

• Designed and built a responsive personal homepage using HTML5, CSS and JavaScript in the bootcamp

Cryptography | Summer of Science, Maths and Physics Club

May

• Compiled a detailed report on the methods and tools used under **Cryptography**, **Elliptic Curve** Cryptography, **RSA** algorithm, **Hash function**, **digital signatures** and how general ciphers can be decrypted

## Positions of Responsibility \_\_\_\_

### Department Academic Mentor

(July'21 - Present)

Department Academic Mentorship Program | Dept. of Electrical Engineering

IIT Bombay

- Selected as mentor from a pool of 86 applicants on grounds of **interviews** and **extensive peer reviews**
- Guiding 4 sophomores in their academic and co-curricular pursuits by leveraging the resources of the institute
- Collaborating with a team of 35 seniors towards building a support system for the students in the department

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages C/C++, Python, VHDL, MATLAB, Julia

Libraries PyTorch, Keras, Tensorflow, OpenCV, Numpy/scipy, matplotlib, Seaborn, Pandas

Softwares Quartus, Keil, Git, IATEX, AutoCAD, SolidWorks, Audacity

 ${\bf Development} \quad {\rm HTML}, \ {\rm CSS}, \ {\rm JavaScript} \\$ 

## KEY COURSES

**Electrical Engineering** Signal Processing, Digital Systems, Digital Systems Lab, Microprocessors, Micro-

processors lab, Control Systems, Probability and Random Processes

Computer Science Data Structures And Algorithms, Medical Image Computing, Foundations of

Intelligent and Learning Agents\*, Computer Networks\*, Computer Programming and Utilization, Programming for Data Science, Convolutional Neural Networks

for Visual Recognition by Stanford University

Mathematics Calculus, Linear Algebra, Differential Equations, Complex Analysis

\* courses will be completed in Nov'21

# Extracurricular Activities \_

• Volunteered for community service under National Service Scheme by recording audio books for visually impaired

• Coordinated the execution of **FInCoF** Freelancers, Interns and Co-founders Platform getting 120+ startups on board and assisted in securing 90+ internships for the students during Covid-19 (June'20)

 One among ten students selected for Science Film Making Workshop organised by the Vigyan Prasar Department of Science of Technology, Govt. of India and Film society of Surat, Gujarat (Oct'2016)

- Completed a DSLR workshop and served as a member of Delhi Public School Surat Photography Club (2016)
- Successfully completed 8 Level Graduate Course of IMA (Intelligent Mental-Arithmetic ABACUS) (2010)