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Examination	University	Institute	Year	CPI / %
Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2023	
Intermediate	HSC	Ratanbai Walbai Junior College	2019	95.05%
Matriculation	ICSE	Smt. Sulochanadevi Singhania School	2017	97.00%

Pursuing a Minor degree in Computer Science and Engineering at IIT Bombay

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Secured an All India Rank of **628** in the JEE Advanced exam among **2.45** lakh candidates [2019]
- Among the top 1% of students to receive the esteemed KVPY (Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana) scholarship for higher education out of 1 lakh participants, after securing an AIR of 717 [2018]
- Secured 99.84% percentile in the JEE Mains examination among 9 lakh+ student candidates [2019]
- Offered a scholarship for higher education on being among top 2 students in Mumbai region in Maharashtra Higher Secondary Education (HSC) class 12th board exams in science stream [2019]
- Selected to appear in the coveted **Indian National Olympiad** (INO) after being among **top 1%** in the country in the National Standard Examination in Astronomy conducted by **HBSCE** [2018]

Work Experience

Student Developer | Google Summer of Code

[May - August 2021]

The Zulip project: powerful, open-source group chat application with first-class threading

- Worked on a **Django/Tornado** stack, writing maintainable code with **unit and integration tests**, contributing **200+** commits from **50+** merged pull requests over the entirety of the summer
- Utilized PostgreSQL features like row-level locks and transactions for concurrency control
- Developed the mute users feature, which was a release highlight in the Zulip 4.0 announcement
- Rewrote the email notifications event queue processor to be lossless by using persistent storage
- Refactored various areas to improve **codebase quality**, while ensuring **backwards compatibility** of the API as well as the Tornado **event queue** system to avoid issues during **server upgrade**

KEY PROJECTS

Parallelized Matrix Factorization

[April - May 2021]

Course project: High performance scientific computing | Prof. Shivasubramanian Gopalakrishnan

- Implemented the Modified Gram Schmidt process and the Householder reflection algorithm for QR factorization of real, square matrices in C++, and compared their performance
- Parallelized the serial algorithms using the **OpenMP** programming library for shared memory multiprocessing and **Nvidia's CUDA** platform and API for **GPU** based parallelization
- Performed a **time study** to analyze the effect of matrix size and number of parallel **threads** on the program's execution time. Achieved up to **60% speedup** over the serial implementation

Comparative Study of Image Compression Techniques

[March - May 2021]

Course project: Introduction to Machine Learning | Prof. Biplab Banerjee

- Utilized the **Scikit-learn** python library to carry out **Principal Component Analysis** of RGB component matrices of the image using **Singular Value Decomposition** to reduce the size
- Obtained a PSNR value of 24 with 150 components, and up to 62.5% theoretical size-reduction
- Compared the results with a **60** color points **K-means** implementation as well as a high fidelity generative compression **deep learning** model having PSNR values of 20 and 30 respectively

Git Contribution CLI

[September 2020]

Personal hobby project

- Developed a **command-line interface** to generate commit history based **heatmap** graphs similar to GitHub profiles, calculated from local **git** repositories, using the **Go programming language**
- Scanned for .git files to detect repositories in all sub-folders of a given directory using recursion
- Utilized the go-git package to find commits authored by a given email to generate the graph

Course Rank Portal

[June - August 2020]

A central platform for students to rate courses. A collaboration with Institute Technical Council

- Developed a **responsive** web app, **Credit** for writing course reviews, and implemented various features such as **up-vote/down-vote** review, course liking, and admin **moderation** of reviews
- Utilized the **Django** web framework for back-end and **Bootstrap** and jQuery for front-end
- Implemented OAuth2 module compatible with SSO IITB for secure verification of profiles

Positions of Responsibility

Web Convener | Undergraduate Academic Council | IIT Bombay [April 2020 - May 2021] Part of a 4 member team in UGAC catering to 4500+ students in the institute

- Responsible for upgrading and maintaining the council's webpages and building new ones
- Developed the **Learnerspace** portal which saw a 400% YOY increase in course registrations
- Revamped portal for iSURP registrations which saw 280+ student enrollments in 90+ projects

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Programming Languages: C++, Python, Javascript (and TypeScript), Go, Java, PHP
- Tools & Frameworks: Django, Tornado, CUDA, LaTeX, Git, PostgreSQL, Bootstrap, jQuery
- Software Experience: Linux shell, Visual Studio Code, GitHub, Microsoft Office

Extracurricular Activities

- ullet Secured **2nd position** in Shell Energy Day brainstorming competition among **10+** participant teams
- Achieved a perfect score in the Maths and Physics General Championship SciComp at IITB
- Completed **year-long** training in **tabla** instrument playing as a part of NSO in the freshman year
- Attended an online workshop on professional communication conducted by SARC IIT Bombay
- Worked as coordinator in **TechFest**, ideating and developing various **social awareness initiatives**
- ullet Awarded **B** grade in the elementary **drawing** exam conducted by the Government of Maharashtra