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Examination	University	Institute	Year	CPI / %
Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2025	

Pursuing Minors in AI & Data Science and Honours in Computer Science & Engineering

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Conferred **Institute Academic Prize** by IIT Bombay for securing **1st Place** among all students of First year (2022)
- Achieved **Department Rank 10** in CSE department due to excellent academic performance & conferred with **AP grade (Advanced Proficiency)** - highest grade in **5 courses**, given to very few **out of 1400+ students** (2023)
- Awarded **Change of Branch** to **Computer Science & Engineering** department among **18 out of 1000+ students**
- Secured **All India Rank 1** in **Joint Entrance Examination Main** amongst 1 million+ students. (2021)
- Ranked within **top 102** out of **9000+ students**, attended **Astronomy Olympiad Orientation Camp** (2021)
- Awarded **Kishor Vaigyanic Protsahan Yojana (KVPY)** fellowship by Govt. of India for **AIR 119** (2019, 2020)

INTERNSHIPS, RESEARCH & MAJOR PROJECTS

Compressed Sensing for Terahertz Communications | Research Internship

Guide: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Thomas Kürner, *Technische Universität Braunschweig, Germany* (May'23-July'23)

- Studied formulation of **device discovery** process for Terahertz communication, as **Compressed Sensing** problem
- Proposed **re-weighted TV Norm Minimization & regularized Deep Inverse Priors** for signal reconstruction
- Provided **numerical and simulation results**, demonstrating a near **2x improvement** over known results
- Expected to result in **journal paper** in near future crediting me as **author/coauthor**, discussing proposed methods

Geo-Mapping & Route Optimization | Winter Internship | IFP Petro (Dec '22)

- Created **scoring model** based on **distance, transportation cost** data to **prioritize transportation** of used oil
- Utilized **Capacitated Vehicle Routing**, to **optimize real-time transportation routes**, **minimizing costs**
- Developed a web application to **streamline & automate the pickup requests** for used oil from various suppliers

Deep Retrosynthetic Prediction | In-Semester Undergraduate Research Programme | Ongoing

Guide: Raghavan B. Sunoj, *Department of Chemistry* (Jan '23 - Present)

- Studied **Augmented NLP Transformer Models** on **SMILES representation** of substrate for reaction prediction
- Reviewed **Graph Attention Neural Networks**, leveraging **masked self-attentional layers**, for reaction classification

Accurate and Efficient Distillation | Reading Project

Guide: Prof. Ganesh Ramakrishnan, *Department of Computer Science & Engineering* (Jan '23 - May '23)

- Investigated **challenges encountered** & methods to make **Knowledge Distillation** more **efficient & accurate**
- Demonstrated **4x accuracy increase** by **Weighted Distillation, Second Split Forgetting, Teacher-Guided Training**

Deep Reinforcement Learning for Stock Trading | Self Project (May'23-July'23)

- Created an **OpenAI Gym** environment to **simulate the stock market** by using authentic stock data
- Implemented **Deep Q Learning (DQL)** to **performs trading** on custom **OpenAI Gym** trading environment

Machine Learning for Algo-Trading | Winter in Data Science | Analytics Club (Dec '22 - Jan '22)

- Analyzed **market trend** using **technical indicators** and **XGBoost algorithm** on **BitMex** bucketed trade data
- Trained **Long Short-Term Memory Neural Network** for **predicting opening prices** of the indices in the future

Algorithmic Trading | Limestone Data Challenge, Tower Research Capital (March '23)

- **Fit Index values** to the stocks based on **predictive correlation** with sector returns using **Lasso regression**
- Implemented a **high sharpe ratio** trading strategy to **maximize daily returns**, **capping the risk** below a threshold

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming	C/C++, Python, Java, JavaScript, MySQL, Django, PostgreSQL, Bash, VHDL
Data Science	PyTorch, TensorFlow, spaCy, Keras, Scikit-Learn, OpenCV, NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

- **Teaching Assistant** - Department of Mathematics, IITB - **Calculus I (MA109)** and **Linear Algebra (MA106)**. Responsible for **mentoring** and **conducting weekly tutorial sessions** for a batch of **40+ first-year students**

TECHNICAL ACTIVITIES & EXTRACURRICULARS

- Built **Virus Wars** game in **Python**, for **Codewars v1**, a **Bot-Programming Contest**, by Web & Coding Club
- **Trainee/ Inductee** - IITB Mars Rover Team - gained hands-on experience on **working in a team** to learn about **Computer Vision Algorithms** for Mars Rovers, **programming robots (ROS)** and **robot control & automation**