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EDUCATION

Year	Degree	Institution	CPI/ %
2014-2019	B.S. in Mathematics And Scientific Computing Double Major in Computer Science And Engineering	Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur	8.7/10.0
2014	Senior Secondary Examination	St. Stephens Sn. Sec. School, Chamba, HP	89.2 %
2012	Matriculation Examination	St. Stephens Sn. Sec. School, Chamba, HP	94.7 %

INTERNSHIPS

• Research Intern, National University of Singapore

May 2017-July 2017

Mentor: Professor Wynne Hsu, School of Computing, National University of Singapore

- Worked on building **Recommender System** that predicts Effectiveness and Side Effects on the usage of a Drug for a Patient
- Did **Web Crawling** to make datasets and performed Baseline Evaluations using **Matrix Factorization** algorithms
- Worked on feature extraction, feature selection and parameter tuning for the **Random Forest Regression Model**
- Made a **Deep Learning Model** using Keras library to do Multi Label Classification of Side Effects for a patient-drug pair
- **Additional Project:** Created Web Crawlers for Facebook and Wikipedia and integrated the crawlers with the Maroon System

• Stance Classification of Tweets in Online Debates

June 2016-July 2016

Mentor: Associate Professor Vincent Ng, University of Texas at Dallas

- Worked on predicting stance for tweets against a target, a task in **International Workshop on Semantic Evaluation 2016**
- Developed a model for tweets that do not express opinion directly about the main target and implemented it using sklearn library

PROJECTS

• Human emotion recognition from images

September 2016-November 2016

Mentor: Assistant Professor Piyush Rai, IIT Kanpur

- Classified the emotion from facial images of humans using machine learning algorithms into seven categories
- Generated features by using **Google Cloud Vision API** and using Neural Network in the second approach
- Compared the above approaches by implementing **Support Vector Machine** and **K-Nearest Neighbour** for classification

• Polynomial Approximation of Non-Convex Functions

March 2017-April 2017

Mentor: Assistant Professor Aakash Anand, IIT Kanpur

- Used polynomial approximation to find the global minima of the distance function of an arbitrary point from a given curve
- Implemented Chebyshev-Proxy Root Finder in MATLAB and determined the global minima with error in the order of 10^{-9}

• Analyzing the Indian General Election

March 2017-April 2017

Mentor: Professor Harish Karnick, IIT Kanpur

- Designed Preferential Voting Models with the aim to make a more democratic model than the current Indian Electoral Model
- Simulated them over the data of General Election 2014 using hypothesis made from past trends and regional sentiments

• Academics App

May 2015-June 2015

Mentor: Programming Club, IIT Kanpur

- Built an android app which gives academic data like timetable, exam schedule and course details for IIT Kanpur students
- Scraped data from website using python libraries and used SQLite to support search queries on the course details data

TECHNICAL SKILLS AND RELEVANT COURSES

Programming Languages	C, C++, Python, Matlab, Verilog, MIPS, Bash
Utilities	Sklearn, Keras, Theano, Selenium, BeautifulSoup, Git, Latex
Computer Science	Machine Learning Techniques, Data Structure and Algorithm, Algorithms II*
Statistics	Computer Organization, Quantum Computing*
Other Relevant	Probability and Statistics, Applied Stochastic Process, Statistical Inference
	Introduction to Economics**, Numerical Analysis and Scientific Computing

*:Ongoing, **:Secured A*(Exceptional) Grade

ACHIEVEMENTS AND EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Awards and Achievements

- Obtained **second position** in International High Performance Computing organized by **CDAC India** and Techkriti IIT Kanpur
- Secured All India Rank 1940 in JEE-Advanced 2014 out of 150,000 students with Percentile **98.71**
- Obtained Merit with **Rank 13** in Matriculation Examination and **Rank 36** in Senior Secondary Examination

Extra Curricular Activities

- **Head** (May 2017-Present) and **Senior Executive** (October 2016- April 2017) at Content Creation Cell, STAMATICS
- Volunteered in **National Service Scheme** (2014-2015) and **Blood Connect** (February 2016 -December 2016)