DIVJOT SINGH MANCHANDA

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EXPERIENCE

IIT Madras, CAMS IIT-M Fintech Innovation Lab

Research Intern

Chennai, Tamil Nadu June 2024 - August 2024

- Performed feasibility analysis to explore the integration of AI in financial modeling and fintech solutions
- Finetuned a RAG-based LLM on financial Data with web search capabilities.

Renault Nissan Technical Intern Chennai, Tamil Nadu

September 2024 - November 2024

Enrolled: Sept. 2022 — Expected: June 2026

- Developed an algorithm to evaluate past part vendors based on pricing, lead time, MOQ, quality, defect rates and other variables, enabling data-driven reordering decisions and improving time to make decisions by 60%
- Designed a **chatbot** to simplify access to the vendor analysis data using structured outputs, improving decision-making efficiency.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's in **Artificial Intelligence**

Relevant Coursework: Neural Networks and Machine Learning, **Deep Learning Techniques**, Design in Artificial Intelligence Products, Probabilities and Statistics, Advanced Calculus, Image and Video Processing, **Reinforcement Learning**.

PROJECTS

Vogue Fusion (PULSE Hackathon)

IIT Bombay

Project Link: https://github.com/djsmanchanda/VogueFusion_Pulse

November - December 2024

- Secured 2nd place out of 500 teams at the PULSE Hackathon, IIT Bombay, winning INR 1L in prize money.
- Developed an algorithm using Pinscrape API for seasonal trend analysis for fast-fashion lines of the Aditya Birla Group.
- Built ComfyUI workflows using SDXL and custom LORAs to automate design processes and reduce time-to-market.
- Designed a custom genetic algorithm to generate reproducible dye mixtures and predict printing costs within 7% MOE.

MirrorBot

Intel Unnati AI Labs

Project Link: https://github.com/djsmanchanda/MirrorBot

August 2024 - December 2024

- Implemented data preprocessing of Users' past Instagram and WhatsApp chat histories to ensure relevant content extraction.
- Fine-tuned LLaMA 3.2 (3B) on the curated dataset to replicate the creator's messaging style and natural conversational flow.
- Conducted under <u>Intel Unnati</u> Generative AI Industrial Training 2024.

SKILLS

- Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Hugging Face, ComfyUI, LangChain, Flask, Streamlit
- Tools and Platforms: Git, Weights and Biases, Docker, AWS EC2, AWS S3, AWS Lambda

ACHIEVEMENTS

Won multiple hackathons and competitions with cumulative cash prizes exceeding INR 2,00,000

• First rank at HackStreet 2.0, SRM, Chennai

March 2024

• Second rank in Innofusion'24, SRM, Chennai

February 2024

• Third rank in Synapses 2.0, National Level Hackathon, PES University, Bangalore

May 2024

Line Follower Competitions:

- Built a **High Speed, High Precision** Line Follower Robot through a custom PCB and a new PID control algorithm.
- Ranked 1st place at BITS Pilani, 2nd place at Anna University, and 3rd place at Kongu Engineering College, Erode.

VOLUNTEERING - Student Clubs

DATA SCIENCE COMMUNITY

Chennai, Tamil Nadu October 2022 - Ongoing

Machine Learning / Research Supervisor

- Acquired hands-on experience in advanced AI, ML, DL, and Data Science through multiple cross-domain projects.
- $\bullet \ \ Collaborated \ with students \ from \ diverse \ backgrounds \ to \ develop \ cutting-edge \ AI \ solutions, \ including \ a \ Rhythm \ Generator.$

CINTEL'S NEXT GEN AI

Chennai, Tamil Nadu January 2023 – September 2024

Domain Head, Robotics and Generative AI

- \bullet Mentored and lectured a team of 25 students at making robots incorporating the use of AI
- Organized a large multi-domain hackathon attended by over a 1000 students.