

# Vignesh Edithal

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## OBJECTIVE

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Looking for Machine Learning Engineer roles in Computer Vision and Data Science domain.  
Interested in contributing to challenging problems by leveraging programming and research skills.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**Advanced Micro Devices (AMD)**  
**Machine Learning Research Intern**

**May 2023 - December 2023 (expected)**  
**Markham, Ontario**

- Fine-tuned CLIP model to detect kill and death events in CSGO with 94% accuracy
- Surveyed more than 10 state-of-the-art Computer Vision models for Event Detection in Video Games
- Performance analysis of Vision Transformer, Masked Auto Encoders and ResNet using PyTorch
- Designed efficient data collection methodology to develop 50 GB in-house video dataset in a month

**D. E. Shaw**  
**Senior Member Technical**

**July 2018 - July 2022**  
**Hyderabad, India**

- Enabled firm-wide hierarchical permission management feature using Python and SQL backend
- Automated third party file transfers for HR using Python/Bash scripting leading to 10% ticket reduction
- Provided engineering support for production Linux cluster to SysAdmin team to reduce SRE escalations

## PROJECT WORK

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**Brain Tumor MRI synthesis using aggregation of GANs**

**University of Toronto**

- Implemented and trained DCGAN and WGAN models from scratch with tuned hyper-parameters
- Pre-processed data using up/down-sampling and used style transfer for post processing
- Obtained PSNR and SSIM scores comparable to relevant literature
- Showcase research in poster presentation with industry/faculty and submitted conference format report

**Novelty detection in texts**

**IIT Patna**

- Published research paper in COLING 2018 NLP conference: <https://aclanthology.org/C18-1237.pdf>
- Adapted CNN with self-attention deep network to detect novel semantics between texts
- Collected research feedback from AI-NLP-ML lab of IIT Patna through weekly presentations

## EDUCATION

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**University of Toronto**

**September 2022 - December 2023 (expected)**

**MSc in Applied Computing:** Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Data Science, GPA: 4.0/4

**IIT Madras**

**December 2021 - August 2022**

**Diploma in Data Science:** Statistics, Machine Learning, Business Analytics, GPA: 9.3/10

**IIT Patna**

**September 2014 - May 2018**

**BTech in Computer Science:** GPA: 8.9/10

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

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**Scripting**

Bash, PowerShell, Python

**Deep learning**

Transformers, PyTorch, Keras, Hugging Face

**Data Science**

Pandas, Numpy, Matplotlib, scikit-learn, SQL Alchemy