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#### EDUCATION University of Virginia, Virginia, USA

- Doctor of Philosophy in Systems Engineering, GPA: 4/4 May'2021 - (Expected) May'2024 (Data Science and Operations Research concentration)
- Topic: Data-driven Strategies for Enhanced Community Resilience Against Hurricanes
- Committee: Negin Alemazkoor (Co-Advisor), Majid Shafiee-Jood (Co-Advisor), James H. Lambert (Chair), Samarth Swarup, Mani Rouhi Rad

## The Pennsylvania State University, Pennsylvania, USA

- Master of Science in Data Science and Analytics, GPA: 4/4
- Thesis: Energy Infrastructure Resilience and Economic Impacts: Modeling, Data Analytics, and Metrics
- Committee: Mohamad Darayi (Advisor), Colin J. Neill (Chair), Raghvinder S. Sangwan, Satish M. Srinivasan, and Ashkan Negahban

# Manipal University, Karnataka, India

• Bachelor of Technology in Information Technology, GPA: 3.67/4 2011 - 2015(Computer Science concentration)

### Research Interest

- Methodological domains: machine learning, deep learning, reinforcement learning, system modeling and simulation, data-driven decision making, mathematical modeling and optimization
- Application domains: energy systems, interdependent infrastructure systems, healthcare, computational sustainability, freight transportation, climate change

## Research EXPERIENCE

Doctoral Researcher - University of Virginia, VA, USA May'2021 – Present Graduate Researcher - The Pennsylvania State University, PA, USA Nov'2019 - May'2021 Research Assistant - Dept. of Information Technology, MIT, Manipal, India 2013 - 2015Research Intern - Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Guwahati, India Summer 2013

# EXPERIENCE

PROFESSIONAL Data Science Intern - Swiss Re, New York, NY, USA Jun'2020 - Aug'2020 Senior Data Scientist - Kearney, Mumbai, India Jan'2017 - Mav'2021Machine Learning Engineer - A.I. Research Lab, TCS, Kochi, India Aug'2015 – Nov'2016 Jan'2015 - Jun'2015Data Science Intern, Semantic Search - DataWeave Inc., Bangalore, India

# Teaching EXPERIENCE

Co-instructor - School of Data Science (DS 4002: Data Science Projects) Ongoing Co-instructor and TA - School of Data Science (DS 4002: Data Science Projects) Fall 2023 Teaching Assistant - School of Data Science (DS 6030: Statistical Learning) Spring 2023 Teaching Assistant - School of Data Science (DS 4002: Data Science Projects) Fall 2022 Teaching Assistant - School of Data Science (DS 6030: Statistical Learning) Summer 2022 Teaching Assistant - School of Data Science (DS 6030: Statistical Learning) Spring 2022

### TECHNICAL SKILLS

• Advanced Data Science: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Reinforcement Learning, Uncertainty Quantification, Meta-Learning, Transfer Learning

- Data Analytics: Data Mining, Predictive and Prescriptive Modeling, Quantitative Analysis, Parametric & Non-Parametric Statistical Modeling, Causal and Bayesian methods, Time-series forecasting, Design of Experiments, A/B Testing, ANOVA, Bootstrapping, Data Structures and Algorithms
- Programming Languages: Python, R, SQL, Java
- Development: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Spark (PySpark, Spark SQL), Hadoop, MapReduce, Graph DB, HBase, Neo4j, CI/CD Jenkins
- Project Management: Project Planning, Agile Development, Leadership, Problem Solving
- Visualization/Others: Power BI, Tableau, Elastic Search, Excel (Advanced), AIIMS, Minitab, KNIME, Alteryx, AWS, IBM Bluemix, Palantir Foundry

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Ma, Xiaoyuan, Pierce, Eric, Anand, Harsh, Aviles, Natalie, Kunk, Paul and Alemazkoor, Negin (2023), "Early Prediction of Response to Palliative Chemotherapy in Patients with Stage-IV Gastric and Esophageal Cancer," BMC Cancer 23, 910
- 8. Anand, Harsh, Nateghi, Roshanak and Alemazkoor, Negin (2023), "Bottom-up Forecasting: Applications and Limitations in Load Forecasting using Smart Meter Data," *Data-Centric Engineering*, 4, e14
- Anand, Harsh, Shafiee-Jood, Majid, and Alemazkoor, Negin (2023). "Perspicuity of Evacuation Behavior in Communities During Hurricanes Using Large-Scale Mobility Patterns and Communal Characteristics," 2023 57th Annual Conference on Information Sciences and Systems (CISS), Baltimore, MD, USA, 2023, pp. 1-6
- 6. Sharma, Rahul\*, **Anand, Harsh**\*, Badr, Youakim and Qiu, Robin (2021). "Time-to-Event Prediction using Survival Analysis for Alzheimer's Disease Progression," *Alzheimer's & Dementia: Translational Research & Clinical Interventions*, 7:e12229 (\*Equal contribution)
- Anand, Harsh and Darayi, Mohamad (2021). "A Probabilistic Approach to Modeling Power Network Component Importance Considering Economic Impacts," Proceedings of the 2021 IISE Annual Conference, 1010-1015
- 4. **Anand, Harsh** and Darayi, Mohamad (2021). "Power Network Component Vulnerability Analysis: A Machine Learning Approach," *Procedia Computer Science*, 185, 73-80
- Jaiswal, Devendra, Anand, Harsh, Srinivasan, Satish and Darayi, Mohamad (2021). "A Data-Driven Model to Generate Disruptive Scenarios for Infrastructure Resilience Studies," Procedia Computer Science, 185, 248-255
- Saxena, Akshay, Anand, Harsh, Pradhan, Tribikram and Mishra, S. R. (2015). "A Hybrid Chaining Model with AVL and Binary Search Tree to Enhance Search Speed in Hashing." International Journal of Hybrid Information Technology, 8(3), 185–194
- 1. Pradhan, Tribikram, **Anand, Harsh** and Goyal, Akul (2014). "THA A Hybrid Approach for Rule Induction System using Rough Set Theory, Genetic Algorithm and Boolean Algebra." *Global Journal of Researches in Engineering: Numerical Methods*, 14(1), 11

### Under review

- 4. **Anand, Harsh**, Alemazkoor, Negin, and Shafiee-Jood, Majid, "*HEvOA*: A comprehensive database of hurricane evacuation orders in the United States from 2016 to 2022," submitted to *Nature Scientific Data*
- 3. **Anand, Harsh**, Shafiee-Jood, Majid, Rouhi Rad, Mani, and Alemazkoor, Negin, "Evaluating the Effectiveness of Hurricane Evacuation Orders by Leveraging Large-scale Human Mobility Patterns," submitted to *Nature Scientific Report*
- 2. Gollapalli, Madhuri, **Anand, Harsh**, Srinivasan, Satish M., "Characterizing Diseases using Genetic and Clinical Variables: A Data Analytics Approach," presented at *International Conference on Intelligent Biology and Medicine* and accepted for publication at Quantitative Biology
- 1. **Anand, Harsh** and Darayi, Mohamad, "Modeling and Analyzing Energy Infrastructure Resilience considering Economic Impact," submitted to *Energies*

IN PREPARATION MANUSCRIPTS

- 4. **Anand, Harsh**, Watson, Walker, and Alemazkoor, Negin, "Evaluating Energy Utilization Patterns for Policy Development Towards Equity," analysis and draft in preparation for submission to *Natures Scientific Report*
- 3. Anand, Harsh, Khayambashi, Kamiar, Taghizadeh, Mehdi, and Alemazkoor, Negin, "Leveraging Spatio-temporal Predictive Models for Optimal Data Transmission and Storage Reduction in Wireless Sensor Networks," draft in preparation for submission to *IEEE Internet of Things Journal*
- 2. **Anand, Harsh** and Darayi, Mohamad, "Infrastructure Systems Resilience using Machine Learning Techniques: A Literature Review," draft in preparation for submission to *Sustainability*
- Mohellebi, Elias, Anand, Harsh, Darayi, Mohamad, Negahban, Ashkan, "Developing and Evaluating an Integrated Mobility and Epidemic Vulnerability Index via Network Analysis," draft in preparation for submission to PLOS One

BOOK Chapter

1. **Anand, Harsh**, and Alemazkoor, Negin, "Long-term impact of climate change on power grids." In Advancing the Resilience of the Power Grid under a Changing Climate, chapter draft in preparation for book publishing under IEEE and Wiley

TECHNICAL PRESENTA-TIONS

- Anand, Harsh, Shafiee-Jood, Majid, and Alemazkoor, Negin (2023). "Evaluating the Effectiveness of Hurricane Evacuation Orders by Leveraging Large-Scale Human Mobility Patterns,"
   Technical Presentation in the session Response and Recovery to Disasters and Disruptions, IN-FORMS 2023 Annual Meeting, Phoenix, October 2023
- 6. Anand, Harsh, Shafiee-Jood, Majid, Rouhi Rad, Mani, and Alemazkoor, Negin (2023). "Evacuation Order Effectiveness And Community Behavior: Enabling Strategic Data-driven Decision Making Through Big Data," Technical Presentation in the session Machine Learning Applications and Data-centric AI, INFORMS 2022 Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, October 2022
- 5. Anand, Harsh, Shafiee-Jood, Majid, and Alemazkoor, Negin (2023). "Perspicuity of Evacuation Behavior in Communities During Hurricanes Using Large-Scale Mobility Patterns and Communal Characteristics," Technical Presentation in the session Applied Machine Learning, 2023 57th Annual Conference on Information Sciences and Systems (CISS), Baltimore, March 2023
- 4. Anand, Harsh, Shafiee-Jood, Majid and Alemazkoor, Negin, "Enabling Causal Study of Evacuation Orders Effectiveness through Big Data," Presentation in the 2022 Environmental Futures Forum, Energy Resilience Institute, Charlottesville, October 2022
- 3. Anand, Harsh and Darayi, Mohamad, "A Review On Energy Infrastructure Resilience: Modeling, Metrics And Data Analytics," Technical Presentation in the session *Energy Infrastructure Resilience and Economic Impacts*, INFORMS 2021 Annual Meeting, October 2021
- 2. Anand, Harsh and Darayi, Mohamad, "A Probabilistic Approach to Modeling Power Network Component Importance Considering Economic Impacts," Technical Presentation in the session Data and System Analytics Application II, IISE 2021 Annual Meeting, May 2021
- Anand, Harsh and Darayi, Mohamad, "Modeling and Analyzing Energy Infrastructure Resilience considering Economic Impact," Technical Presentation in the session Equilibrium Modeling of the Environmental and Institutional Aspects of Interregional Electricity Trade, INFORMS 2020 Annual Meeting, November 2020

POSTER PRE-SENTATIONS

- 6. Anand, Harsh, Shafiee-Jood, Majid, and Alemazkoor, Negin (2023). "Evacuation Order Effectiveness and Community Behavior: Enabling Strategic Data-Driven Decision Making through Big Data," U.S. Environmental Protection Agency International Decontamination Research and Development Conference (Best Poster Winner Award)
- 5. **Anand, Harsh** and Alemazkoor, Negin (2022). "Enabling Causal Study of Evacuation Orders Effectiveness through Big Data," Link Lab UVA Engineering Poster and Flash Talk
- 4. **Anand, Harsh** and Darayi, Mohamad (2021). "Modeling and Analyzing Energy Infrastructure Resilience considering Economic Impact," IISE QCRE/DAIS Best Student Poster Session
- 3. **Anand, Harsh**, Sharma, Rahul and Mungee, Atharva (2020). "Projecting Patterns with Causal Influences in a Dynamic Ecosystem for Retail Sales Forecasting," Penn State Poster Competition, Malvern, PA

- 2. Mani, Alakesh, **Anand, Harsh** and Venkat, Akula (2020). "A Qualitative Study of Multi-Channel Marketing Campaigns using Market Mix Modeling," Penn State Poster Competition, Malvern, PA
- 1. **Anand, Harsh** (2020). "Modeling and Analyzing Energy Infrastructure Resilience considering Economic Impact," Penn State Poster Competition, Malvern, PA

	Economic Impact, Felli State Foster Competition, Marvern, FA		
AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS	Olsen Graduate Fellowship ( $Endowed\ Fellowship$ )	2023	
	Louis T. Rader Outstanding Graduate Service Award	2023	
	Pete Cone Memorial Scholarship	2023	
	International Student Citizen Leaders Fellowship	2022 - 2023	
	Nominee (top $5\%$ among $800+$ TAs across UVA) for Graduate Teaching Award	2023	
	Link Lab Flash Talk Award	2022	
	INFORMS ORMS Tomorrow Conference and Travel Award	2021, 2022	
	Outstanding Student Award in Data Analytics, Penn State University	2021	
	Penn State Valedictorian, Class of 2021	2021	
	The Web Conference 2021 Student Scholarship	2021	
	Warren V. Musser Fellowship in Entrepreneurial Studies	2020 - 2021	
	Penn State Chancellor's Scholarship (Merit Award)	2019 - 2020	
	AICTE Scholarship (Tuition Waiver), Manipal University	2011 - 2015	
Competitions	Winner – Best Poster Award Competition @ 2023 U.S. EPA Decon Conference	2023	
	Winner – Freestyle O.R. Supreme Case Competition @ 2022 INFORMS	2022	
	Finalist – Duke-UNC-TMC Consulting Case Competition	2022	
	Winner – Freestyle O.R. Supreme Case Competition @ 2021 INFORMS	2021	
	Finalist – Mentor and Participant - 2021 Nittany AI Challenge	2021	
	Third Place – Innovation Design Competition @ 2021 IISE	2021	
	Best Student Pitch - Lion Cage: Annual competition for early-stage entrepreneurs	2021, 2020	
	Winner – Freestyle O.R. Supreme Case Competition @ 2020 INFORMS	2020	
	${\bf Judge\ and\ moderator\ -\ Smart\ India\ Hackathon\ -\ Sentiment\ Analysis\ of\ Code-Mixed\ Languages\ 2020}$		
	Placed in top 10% for prototyping Video-To-Text Summarizer - 2020 Nittany AI Ch	nallenge 2020	
	Runner's Up - Penn State Poster Competition - Retail Sales Forecasting	2020	
	Winner of Wawa - HCL Hackathon: Sales forecasting for Wawa using LSTM and Pr	rophet 2019	
	Ranked top $1\%$ in 4th International Math Olympiad and 13th National Science Olympiad		
LEADERSHIP	Chair - Graduate Engineering Student Council, University of Virginia	2023 – Present	
	Chair - Systems Engineering Student Advocacy Committee, University of Virginia	2023 - Present	
	Treasurer and Livability Chair - Link Lab, University of Virginia	2023 - Present	
	Selection Chair - Engineering School, Raven Society	2023 - Present	
	Senior Advisor - Graduate Consulting Club, University of Virginia	2023 – Present	
	VP of Projects - Graduate Consulting Club, University of Virginia	2021 - 2023	
	Chair (Interim) - Graduate Engineering Student Council, University of Virginia 2	2022 – May 2023	
	Vice-Chair - Graduate Engineering Student Council, University of Virginia	2022 - 2022	

Livability Liaison - Link Lab, University of Virginia

2022 - 2023

	International Student Chair (ESE Graduate Student Council), University of Virginia	2021 - 2023
	Student Senator, School of Graduate Professional Studies, Penn State University	2019 - 2021
	Global Programs Senate Committee, Penn State University	2020 - 2021
	Student Council and Curriculum Change Committee, Manipal University	2012 - 2015
	Class Representative, Manipal University	2012 - 2015
	Educator for Non-profit, Chala Janjatiya Vikas Sanstha	2009 - 2019
Professional Services	Program Committee Member and Reviewer - Manuscript and Posters, US-RSE Com	nference 2023
	Professional Studies Advocacy (through promo videos) for US Dept. of State, Educate	tionUSA 2023
	Editorial Board Member - OR/MS Tomorrow, INFORMS	2023 – Present
	Writer, eNews Daily and OR/MS Today Coverage - $\overline{\text{INFORMS}}$ 2022 Annual Me	eting 2022
	Webmaster - OR/MS Tomorrow, INFORMS	2021 - 2022
	Facilitator, Energy & Infrastructure - INFORMS 2021 Annual Meeting	2021
	Reviewer	
	International Journal of Medical Informatics Transportation Research Board (TRB) Digital Transformation and Society US Research Software Engineer Association IEEE Intelligent Transportation Systems Society	
	Session Chair  2023 INFORMS Annual Conference  TA16. Response and Recovery to Disasters and Disruptions	2023
	2021 Complex Adaptive Systems Conference Session 4: System Analysis Session 7: Applications of AI Session 11: Data Science and Analytics	2021
OTHER	Core Member - Student Health Advisory Committee, University of Virginia	2023 – Present
SERVICES	Waste Action Planning Committee, University of Virginia	2023
	Honor and Academic Integrity Committee, University of Virginia	2022
	Faculty Search Committee, ESE Dept., University of Virginia	2022
	K-12 Outreach - Starr Hill Pathways Program, UVA Equity Center	Summer 2022
Affiliations	Transportation Research Board (TRB) Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences (INFORMS) Institute of Industrial and Systems Engineers (IISE) The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi Complex Adaptive Systems Conference The Raven Society - The oldest and most prestigious honorary society at UVA	
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