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EDUCATION

Program	Institution	CGPA/%	Year of Completion
Dual Degree in Biological Sciences	Indian Institute of Technology, Madras	7.94	2019-2024
XII (GSEB)	Best High School, Ahmedabad	80%	2019
X (GSEB)	Best High School, Ahmedabad	87.17%	2017

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- **Only** student from **2019 batch** to achieve **Panasonic Scholarship Program**
- **Gold Medal** for Class Rank 1, cleared 1st Level and secured **Int. Rank 3359** in 2nd Level of National Science Olympiad in Class X
- Secured International **Rank 859** in International Science Olympiad in **Class IX** conducted by **Science Olympiad Foundation (SOF)**

RELEVANT COURSES AND SKILL   *Completed Prof. Course, ** Coursera, ***NPTEL

• Data Structures & Algorithms for Biology*	• Biostatistics*	• Fundamentals of Operation Research*
• Statistics for Data Science with Python**	• Convolutional Neural Networks**	• Introduction to DL & NNs with Keras **
• Introduction to Machine Learning***	**Programming Languages:** C, SQL, Python, React, React Native	**Hackathons** Univ.Ai

WORK EXPERIENCE

**ML Engineer Intern
FN MathLogic
Consulting Services
Gurgaon**

May'23 – July '23

Developing a Conversational Question Answering System using Large Language Models (LLMs)

- Explored **LLM memory retention** via **finetuning methods LoRA** & **QLoRA** on **ICICI Lombard Policy QnA data**
- Implemented **Transfer Learning** on Microsoft's **DialoGPT** model that retained chat memory for **4-5 conversations**
- Achieved **60% ROUGE SCORE** on DialoGPT also used **Reinforcement Learning** from **Human Feedback** method with **GPT** gave **25% rouge score. Node JS** based frontend took user queries.
- Used **Dialogflow** & **FastAPI** based backend calls **LLM model** to generate answer and send them back to frontend

Document Parsing for Question Answering using LLMs with Langchain framework

- Transformed **ICICI Lombard docs** into chunks, each were converted to embedding using **LLM/encoder-only** model
- Used **Langchain** to retrieve **top** similar chunks to user's query which are given to LLM for answer generation
- Utilized **Flan-T5 model** as LLM & **embedding** of HuggingFace platform led to **30% rouge score** on test dataset

**ML Intern
Street Style Store**

May'22 – Aug'22

Conversation Classification for Enhancing User Experience

- Worked on **Classification** of conversation between user & agent regarding online order to improve user experience
- Utilized **N-grams** stored as **Bag of Words** & compared **Recall values** for SVM model that gave **96.4%** accuracy
- Used **Docker** & managed deployment on **AWS** infrastructure, configured **SQL database** for data storage & retrieval

**Data Science Intern
Supratech Lab
Gujarat**

Nov'21 – Dec'21

Machine Learning Modeling for Optimizing IVF process

- Identified crucial biomarker genes for IVF that enabled successful implantation, enhancing **IVF** treatments
- Employed **PCA** & **t-SNE** for dimensionality reduction & conducted **T-test** calculating **P values** that reduced **57k** GeneIDs features to **6k**
- Used **Feature Importance** of **Random forest** on data and trained **XGBoost** model that achieved **82% accuracy**

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**ML Research Intern
IIT Varanasi**

Research Paper

June'21 – July'21

Machine Learning for Milk Foam Analysis, Guide: Prof. Abhishek Dhoble

- Worked on Classification of **Surfactants** to study milk foam quality as demand for **Cappuccino foams** has increased
- **Randomforest** achieved **0.955 roc-auc score** & **88.1% test accuracy**, also applied algorithms eg **SVM, XGBoost etc**
- Explored **Casein** reaction with **surfactants**, this study also got published as the **research paper** in **Springer Nature**

**DDP PROJECT
IIT Madras**

July'23- Ongoing

Evaluating ML models for Chest X-ray of Diseases, Guide: Prof. Ganapathy Krishnamurthi

- Applied **Transfer Learning** on **Ensemble** of **CNN** models & **Self Supervised** methods for Pneumonia detection
- Implemented Image Data Generator for increasing training data to avoid **overfitting** & obtained **93.7%** accuracy

COURSEWORK

EddyNet: For Pixel-Wise Classification of Oceanic Eddies, [OE5015: Machine Learning for Ocean Engineers]

- Classified sea surface height maps using EddyNet, comprising convolutional encoder-decoder **U-Net** and a **pixelwise classification layer**
- For multiclass classification used **one-vs-all soft dice loss**. Accuracy from **Dice Loss** is **89.08%** and **Categorical Cross Entropy** gave **90.61**

PROJECTS

Stocks & Crypto Currencies Price Prediction Using LSTM

- Developed Long Short-Term Memory (**LSTM**) models with Keras to predict **Closing price** values based on over a decade of trade data
- While training, past **19** days values used as input to predict next day's value. Achieved mean squared error (**MSE**) of **0.465** on testdata

Quora Question Pairs

- Examined whether the questions in each pair are similar or not by calculating **cosine similarity** between the questions
- Used **GloVe embeddings, tf-idf and doc2vec vectorizer** that **achieved** maximum accuracy of **66%** in latter two methods

POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY

Computer Vision & Intelligence Club Project Member, Shaastra 2022   *June'21 – April'22*

- Worked on **YOLO v5 model** for detecting circuit components and the **mAP** score of the model evaluated with 25 images is **92.7%**
- Detected **terminal points**, **nodes** in circuit using **BFS algorithm** and generated netlist about connectivity of components with others

Biogen Super Coordinator, Shaastra 2022   *July'21 – Jan'22*

- **Supervised** all the coordinators in **theme ideation** & related events to be organized related to biotechnology under the Biogen Team
- **Collaborated** with other teams of Shaastra which help organizing event and also assist them with the **publicity** of the event

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Sports	• Selected for NSO Fitness program and also participated in Samanvay Marathon 2019