

ISHAN S. PATEL

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Education

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science | Minor in Statistics

Dean's List: Spring 2019, Spring 2018, Fall 2017

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures, Algorithms, Systems Programming, Database Systems,
Applied Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Linear Algebra, Honors Computer Architecture

May 2021

GPA: 3.87/4.00

James Scholar

Industry Experience

Amazon.com, Inc. | *Software Development Engineer Intern*

May - Aug 2020

- Integrated AWS products to create data auditing service while balancing multiple business constraints
- Supported the development of pipelines for real-time detection and verification of counterfeit products with modern data science practices to improve customer order experience

Capital One Financial Corporation | *Software Engineering Intern*

Sep - Dec 2019

- Verified existing fraud detection features using Python's pytest library for exhaustive unit testing
- Contributed to the Anti-Money Laundering team with the development of features to expedite detection of suspicious activity on banking platforms

Digital Forces Corporation | *Software Development Intern*

May - Aug 2019

- Engineered safety software to detect safe and unsafe asphalt loading conditions utilizing multilayered neural networks and obtaining 99% accuracy
- Planned and designed procedures for new safety software to be integrated with existing

Project Highlights

ChessAI

Jan - Feb 2020

- Implemented an AI with a recursive minimax algorithm to select a robust next move based on potential outcomes of an opponent's next 3+ turns
- Built a classic chess game in Java following object-oriented programming principles

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Feb - Apr 2019

- Developed a web application to connect registered student organizations with members using Django
- Managed and stored data in SQLite database and aggregated data with advanced querying
- Created a recommendation engine using k-nearest neighbors machine learning algorithm

CU Recycle

Sep 2018

- Collaborated to build a classifier to identify an image of trash as recyclable or non-recyclable with a Convolutional Neural Network based on an item's shapes and colors obtaining 90% accuracy
- Launched mobile application, developed in Android Studio, on Android's Play Store and placed 2nd in PygHacks 2018 competition

Leadership and Activities

National Organization of Business and Engineering | *President*

Dec 2019 - Present

- Organizing and executing events with corporate sponsors and guest speakers to recruit new members interested in product development, technology, consulting, and industry management
- Supervising 3 committees totaling 40+ members to facilitate internal retention efforts while providing resources for individual member development

Champaign-Urbana Business and Engineering (CUBE) Consulting | *Senior Consultant*

Mar 2019 - Present

- Researching cost-effective tech strategy for a startup in the tourism industry in collaboration with a team of 5 business and engineering students
- Developing feasible application of modern AI tools for client's platform and recommendation systems

Skills

- **Programming Languages:** Python, C++, C, Java, SQL, Racket, Verilog, MIPS Assembly
- **Tools/Frameworks:** scikit-learn, Keras, Expo, Django, git