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EDUCATION

K. J. Somaiya College of Engineering

Bachelor of Technology in Computer Engineering

Mumbai, India Aug. 2014 – Current

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EXPERIENCE

Morgan Stanley

Mumbai, India

Summer Technology Analyst

May 2017 - July 2017

• Controller's Workbench: Implemented a unique algorithm to store and retrieve hierarchical data to and from a relational database in a paginated fashion which led to a drastic improvement in the performance of the application under huge stress.

L. V. Prasad Eye Institute

Hyderabad, India

LVP-MITRA Research Fellow

Jan 2014 - Oct 2016

- Pediatric Perimeter: Worked on the software and hardware of the device
- Gaze Tracking: Was mentor of the Gaze Tracking project at the 'Engineering the Eye' Hackathon 2016. Implemented unique Image Processing and Machine Learning algorithms to achieve the same.

Projects

- Automated Gait Generation for Simulated Machines (Ongoing): Project to generate gait for simulated machines with no external input using only Deep Reinforcement Learning.
- Couponate Automating Coupons: A product that parses your text messages and emails for coupons / vouchers using entity extraction and adds them to your account, allowing you to share them with your friends and family. Created with a Rails backend, Android application and Chrome extension. Made at KJSCE Hackathon.
- Controller's Workbench: A visualisation tool for financial data written in C# which stored and retrieved hierarchical data from a relational database in a paginated fashion. Worked on while at Morgan Stanley.
- Pediatric Perimeter: A first of its kind device to measure the visual fields of infants to detect defects and help provide early stage medical aid. Created at L. V. Prasad Eye Hospital in collaboration with MIT Media Labs.

MOOCS

- Machine Learning, Stanford University: bit.ly/ml-certificate
- Neural Networks and Deep Learning, deeplearning.ai: bit.ly/dl1-certificate
- Improving Deep Neural Networks: Hyperparameter tuning, Regularization and Optimization: bit.ly/dl2-certificate

Positions of Responsibility

• Committee Head, KJSCE Codecell Led a team of 11 members to conduct various seminars and workshops for fellow students System Administrator, Engineering The Eye Hackathon Was responsible for network security during hackathon which had 150 plus participants Mumbai, India July 2016 – May 2017 Hyderabad, India July 2016

Competitions

KJSCE Hackathon 4 th /30 teams	Mumbai October 2017
$ \begin{array}{l} {\bf ACM\ ICPC\ Asia\ Regionals} \\ {\bf \ref{eq:condition}} \end{array} $	Chennai Dec 2016
• ACM ICPC Asia Regionals 219 th /1981 teams	Amritapuri $Dec~2016$
	Mumbai Feb 2016

Programming Skills

- Languages: C / C++, Java, Python3, C#
- Web Technologies: HTML / CSS, Javascript, Typescript, PHP, SQL, Angular, Django
- ML / DL Frameworks: Tensorflow, Keras, Pytorch, Scikit-learn