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EDUCATION

Northeastern University, Khoury College of Computer Sciences, Boston, MA

(Expected) May 2023

Master of Science, Data Science

Indore Institute of Science and Technology, India

August 2012 - July 2016

Bachelor of Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, SQL, R, C++, C, HTML.

Frameworks and Libraries: Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn, NLTK, Spacy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Git, RDBMS, MySQL, PostgreSQL, DataGrip, PyTorch, Keras/Tensorflow, Tableau, AWS, Google Cloud Platform (GCP), QGIS, MS-Office. Knowledge Domains: Data Structures, Algorithms, Linear Algebra, Statistics, Probability, Natural Language Processing,

OOP Design, ERD, Data Modeling, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Regression, IR, A/B Testing, ETL, CI/CD.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Charles River Data (Data Scientist, Intern)

Revenue and Finance Management:

May 2022 – December 2022

- Reduced latency by 40% by redesigning and implementing end-to-end data consumption, processing, and analysis pipeline for historical financial data (insurance payments) from multiple API endpoints.
- Boosted work efficiency by 70% by designing Tableau dashboard for business to check sales by location, products, and providers.

Flood Insurance Premium Prediction and Anomaly Detection:

May 2022 – December 2022

- Improved prediction accuracy by **30%** by incorporating parameters from National Flood Insurance Prog. implementing **Decision Trees** for feature selection and using **PyOD** for outlier detection.
- Minimized payment risk factor by 20% after analyzing geographical data points of property using QGIS.

Geocoding Error Detection:

May 2022 – August 2022

• Engineered geographical features to improve efficiency of detecting geocoding errors by **30%** in residential and commercial properties with **Zillow** datapoints, Open Street Maps and QGIS.

Zensar Technologies/ LorhanIT Services Pvt. Ltd. (Software Engineer, Data Analytics)

Commercial Aviation Crew Leave and Payroll Management System:

December 2016 - October 2020

- Reduced workload by 60% after analyzing financial data and developing automated payroll mechanism.
- Enhanced user experience by 30% on introducing a feedback mechanism in Flight Plan (iPad app).
- Lead client-vendor discussion at multiple stages of project and trained 6 resources with business knowledge.

PERSONAL AND ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Salary Predictor:

- Created an end-to-end salary predictor by training the model on scraped LinkedIn and Glassdoor data.
- Model implementation (Multiple Linear Regression, Lasso Regression, Random Forest).

Sentiment Analysis (Sarcasm Detection): (Accuracy = **72.15%** approx.)

• Sarcasm detection with RNNs like **LSTMs** and making use of techniques such as **bag-of-words** with **TF-IDF**, **Word2Vec** and/or **GloVe** to predict whether a comment is sarcastic or not.

Spam SMS Detector/Classifier: (Accuracy = 97.21% approx.)

• Developed a classifier to detect whether an SMS is spam or legit by applying data modeling techniques namely **bag-of-words**, **TF-IDF** and **Naïve Bayes Classifier** to predict whether an SMS is spam or not.

Question Answer Model: (Accuracy = 70.9% approx., F1-Score = 80.95)

Implemented Information Retrieval and transformers (BERT, DistilBERT, ALBERT & Ensemble) to create a
Question-Answering Model based on SQuAD1.1 dataset.

INTERESTS

Meditation, Running, Cooking, Volunteering for cleanliness and sustainable living awareness drives.