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SUMMARY OF SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE

- 2.5+ years of full-time Software Development experience, including 1.5 years in Artificial Intelligence (AI)
- Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, C++, HTML/ CSS
- Cloud Services: Microsoft Azure
- Frameworks/Libraries: Django, React, TensorFlow, Spark, MLlib, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Git, Docker, Nltk, Numpy, BeautifulSoup, Jupyter Notebook, Keras
- Databases: Mongo, MySQL
- OS: Linux, Windows
- Interpersonal skills developed through collaboration with team members in an Agile environment

EDUCATION

Master of Applied Computing at University of Windsor (UoW) with GPA: 91 2019 - Present Bachelors in Computer Science from JIIT, Noida, India 2013 - 17

WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior Software Developer at UST Global

Mar 18 - Jul 19

Intelligent Computing Environment (ICE): UST's Natural Language Processing platform.

- Microservices based pipeline for data processing, named entity recognition, predictive models
- Integration of mitie, crf, spacy, corenlp models for default and custom entity recognition, involving tagging, training, predicting, pos tagging
- Using Python framework Falcon with MongoDB to create all the RESTful services, in an Agile-scrum environment
- Building Docker containers for the application and unit testing with sonar test coverage

Anthem Virtual Assistant (Proof of Concept): A chat-bot for the healthcare giant Anthem to answer user queries regarding insurance plan & coverage details.

- Parsing PDF documents to HTML to get data access by sections
- Used BeautifulSoup to extract the required data
- Used Rasa for Natural Language Processing
- Used Python with MongoDB for development in an Agile-scrum environment

Software Engineer at Infosys

Jul 17 - Mar 18

Applications Migration to Azure Cloud

- Creating virtual machines, vnets, network security groups on Azure for the applications
- Publishing the applications, databases on virtual servers
- Testing the migrated application for bugs

Software Engineer Student Intern at Infosys **Web Developer Summer Intern** at Tnine Infotech

Jan 17- May 17 Jun 16 - Jul 16

ACADEMIC AND PERSONAL PROJECTS

Admin Controlled Chatbot using Chat: An admin controlled chatbot to help international students with features like admin can make any changes to the bot using a secret key through the chat panel itself.

- Used IBM Watson for creating the bot
- Used Django, Python to consume the webhook call and REST APIs for CRUD operations on bot
- Application hosted on cloud using Azure App service.
- https://github.com/karansingla06/Admin-Controlled-VISA-Chatbot

YouTube Statistical Data Analysis: Analysis done on YouTube most popular videos data and also on COVID-19 data.

- COVID-19 related data mining using YouTube Data v3 API
- Data Cleaning, Processing and Visualization using Apache Spark, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn
- https://github.com/karansingla06/YouTube-Trending-Videos-Analysis

Web Search Engine: A Java web search engine based on the data collected using web crawling.

- Inverted index using Trie and Hashmap
- Ranking of web pages using Quick select algorithm
- Auto-completion using Trie and spell check using Edit distance algorithm
- https://github.com/karansingla06/Web-search-engine

E-commerce with React, Django: A web based e-commerce application using React and Django.

- User creation, authentication with session management
- REST APIs for CRUD operations on shopping cart
- https://github.com/karansingla06/Ecommerce-React-Django/

Multiple Characters Recognition with Tensorflow: A learning project to gain a better understanding of tensorflow and neural networks.

- Used EMNIST-ByClass dataset and built the neural network with Adam optimizer function
- Used OpenCV to preprocess user image and to segment the multiple characters present in the image
- https://github.com/karansingla06/Characters-Recognition-NeuralNetworks-Tensorflow

Improving Computer Vision accuracy using CNN: A learning project to explore image recognition

- Used multiple data sources like Fashionist dataset, computer generated & real world images
- https://github.com/karansingla06/ML-AI-Projects/tree/master/ComputerVision

Credit card fraud detection, Spam Detection: Personal projects for exploring and learning machine learning.

- Used Kaggle credit card fraud and spambase dataset respectively
- Trained with SVM, Naive Bayes classifiers and got accuracy of 96% and 91% respectively
- https://github.com/karansingla06/ML-AI-Projects/tree/master/MLProjects
- https://github.com/karansingla06/ML-AI-Projects/blob/master/MLProjects/NB spamDetection.ipynb

CERTIFICATIONS

•	"Applied Plotting, Charting & Data Representation" - Coursera	Mar 20
•	"Introduction to TensorFlow for AI, Machine Learning and Deep Learning" - Coursera	Feb 20
•	"Spark for Machine Learning & AI" - LinkedIn Learning	Feb 20
•	"Building React and Django Apps" - LinkedIn Learning	Jan 20
•	"Natural Language Processing with Python for Machine Learning" - LinkedIn Learning	May 18
•	"Understanding Machine Learning with Python" - Pluralsight	Apr 18
•	Earned Microsoft Certified Solutions Associate (MCSA) credential for Cloud Azure	Nov 17

ACHIEVEMENTS

•	Graduate Student Representative for School of Computer Science at UoW	Sep 20-Present
•	Spot Award for Best Performance at UST Global	Apr 19
•	Student Branch member of Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)	2015 - 16
•	Won gold medal in volleyball Fun Sports Meet competition at JIIT	2016
•	Member of Knuth Programming Hub at JIIT	2014 - 15

CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

•	Participated in national level Code To Win competition at UoW	Oct 19
•	Volunteered for Community Clean Up event at UoW	Sep 19
•	Graduate Student Society (GSS) and Indian Students Association (ISA) volunteer	Sep 19
•	Volunteer in raising funds for Kerala flood victims at UST and raised \$10000	Dec 18
•	Volunteer in organizing events with NGO Saksham at Raahgiri for blind children	Apr 15