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# EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Year	Degree	Institution	CGPA/%
July'17 – Present	B.Tech, CSE	Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur	10.0/10.0
2017	CBSE – XII	Ahlcon Public School, New Delhi	96.2%
2015	CBSE – X	Apeejay School, Noida	10.0/10.0

### Projects

### Code Mixed Sentiment Analysis keshav22bansal/BAKSA\_IITK O Microsoft

Research Project under Prof. Ashutosh Modi

Jan 2020 - May 2020

- Participated in Task 9 of SemEval-2020 workshop shared task for sentiment analysis in bilingual code-mixed tweets.
- Used self-attention mechanism to bolster the performance of prevalent CNN architecture by creating an ensemble model.
- Utilized multilingual XLM-Roberta Language Model (variant of Bert) for sub-word embeddings.
- Ranked  $5^{th}$  out of 62 teams for Hindi-English code-mixed tweets.

# Log Analyser app

SnehalRaj/LogAnalyser () Praktice.ai

Nutanix Cloud Init.io Hackathon

March 2019

- Developed a web app to handle log messages generated by microservices distributed across multiple hosts.
- Included features like live debugging, searchable exception patterns, and statistical graphs.
- Declared the winning submission.

# Dcipher

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Course Project

March 2019

- Developed system for automatic solution of substitution ciphers in Haskell.
- Operating on N-gram model of English characters and stochastic local search over the space of  $10^{26}$  possible keys.

## Money Manager App

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Self Project

Oct' 2019

• Developed a mobile app to create a ledger of monitory transactions between friends using ReactJS and React-Native.

# Honours & Awards

- 2017-2020 Academic Excellence Award, for meritorious performance, IIT Kanpur
- 2018 J.N. Kapur prize, for the best second year student in Mathematics Courses, IIT Kanpur
- 2017 All India Rank 782, JEE Advanced
- 2017 All India Rank 59, JEE Main
- 2017 All India Rank 440, KVPY Scholarship

# SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C++, C, Haskell, Bash Libraries: PyTorch, Tensorflow, Keras, NLTK, Scikit-learn

Web: React, JavaScript, PHP, HTML, CSS

Utilities: Shell Utilities, Git, MongoDB, LATEX, Vim

Relevant Courses

Hyderabad, India

Software Development Intern

Work Experience

May 2020 - Present

- Worked in the Azure Compute group to enhance the boot time of virtual machines.
- Analyzed the performance of prior algorithm on variety of OS images and came up with an algorithm to automatically select optimal parameters used in it.
- Made modifications to enhance the maximum throughput available for the VM leading to an improvement 20 % in the booting time.

Bengaluru, India

Data Science Intern

May 2019 - July 2019

- Emulated Google's suggested clip feature for answering medical queries, by showing a short video clip.
- Used named entity recognition, and TF-IDF weighted word2vec model vectors for a baseline model, which was improved further using fastText sentence embeddings.
- Analyzed medical data, and came up with an algorithm to suggest ailments given a set of symptoms the patient suffers.

# Summer of Code

Kanpur, India May 2018 - July 2018

 $Full\ Stack\ Development$ 

- Developed Web and Android application allowing users to donate excess food to nearby food charities.
- Technologies used PHP, SQL Server database, Google distance matrix API, Geolocation API, Send Grid API, Microsoft Azure Cloud.
- Awarded the second runner up title.

# Positions of Responsibility

# **Project Mentor**

Association of Computing Activities

IIT Kanpur

• Conducted lectures on Probabilistic Machine Learning for 15 first year undergraduate students.

Company Coordinator at Student's Placement Office, IIT Kanpur, 2018-2019

Miscellaneous

- Silver medalist in Bitgrit data science competition at Inter IIT Techmeet, 2019
- Ranked first in Auquan's Asia Open Data Science competition, 2020.
- 4 star rating on Codechef competitive programming platform.

Natural Language Processing Modern Cryptology Computer Organization Computing Lab - 1

Introduction to Machine Learning Compiler Design Discrete Mathematics Computing Lab - 2

Linear Algebra (A\*)

Advanced Algorithms Data Structures and Algorithms Probability & Statistics Compiler Design Theory of Computation

Computer Networks Computer Graphics Mathematical Logic (A\*) Numerical Methods (A\*) Real Analysis (A\*)

Introduction to Programming (A\*) A\*: Grade for exceptional performance, i: In progress