

# GAURAV MISHRA

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## EDUCATION

### Shiv Nadar University

Greater Noida, UP (2015–2019 )

- B.Tech. with distinction in Electronics and Communication Engineering, **CGPA: 8.50/10.00**
- 85% Tuition Fee waiver, In top 10% ile of the class

### City Montessori School, Gomti Nagar

Lucknow, UP (2012–2014)

- Intermediate, 10+2 (Science+Computer Science), **Percentage: 90.0%**

## RESEARCH WORK EXPERIENCE

### Under Prof. Jayanthi Sivaswamy, Centre for Visual Information Technology, IIIT Hyderabad

Research Assistant

(Jan 2019-Ongoing)

- Working on Asymmetry Analysis in brain MR Scans
- Explainable AI in healthcare
- Segmentation of different structures using Deep Learning

### Under Prof. G.P.S. Raghava, Deptt. of Computational Biology, IIIT, Delhi

Long Term Research Intern

New Delhi (Dec 2018-Dec 2019)

- Worked in Computational Biology Lab with Prof. Raghava and his senior scholars
- Independent research work on multiple projects related to Machine Learning
- Assisted the researchers on Machine Learning projects, completed my undergraduate dissertation

### Under Prof. RN Biswas, Embedded Systems Lab, Shiv Nadar University

UG Teaching and Research Assistant for course Embedded Systems

Greater Noida, UP (Aug 2018 - Dec 2018)

- Created new experiments for a 3rd year course 'Embedded Systems Hardware'
- Worked on protocols such as SPI, I2C, etc. and peripherals such as RFID on ARM based STM32
- Assisted Prof. R.N. Biswas in lab

## PUBLICATIONS

### Peer-Reviewed Journal

- Piyush Agrawal, **Gaurav Mishra**, and Gajendra PS Raghava. Sambinder: A web server for predicting sam binding residues of a protein from its amino acid sequence. *Frontiers of Pharmacology*, 2019
- Sumeet Patiyal, Piyush Agrawal, Vinod Kumar, Anjali Dhall, Rajesh Kumar, **Gaurav Mishra**, and Gajendra PS Raghava. Nagbinder: An approach for identifying n-acetylglucosamine interacting residues of a protein from its primary sequence. *Protein Science*, 2019

### Conference

- Gaurav Mishra**, Urvi Ahluwalia, Karan Praharaj, and Shreyangi Prasad. Rf and rfid based object identification and navigation system for the visually impaired. In *2019 32nd International Conference on VLSI Design and 2019 18th International Conference on Embedded Systems (VLSID)*, pages 533–534. IEEE, 2019

### Archival(under review)

- Akshara Pande, Sumeet Patiyal, Anjali Lathwal, Chakit Arora, Dilraj Kaur, Anjali Dhall, **Gaurav Mishra**, Harpreet Kaur, Neelam Sharma, Shipra Jain, et al. Computing wide range of protein/peptide features from their sequence and structure. *bioRxiv*, page 599126, 2019

## PROJECTS

### Brain Asymmetry Analysis using DL and Image Processing

(Under Prof. Sivaswamy, Ongoing)

- Working on studying how quantifying asymmetry in brain on structural basis can lead to disease diagnosis
- Population meta-analysis also to be done to study how brain asymmetry varies across population, sex and demography
- Usage of Deep Learning and Image Processing to study the same

### Explainable AI in Medical Diagnosis

(Under Prof. Sivaswamy, Ongoing)

- Using Deep Learning paired with novel training methodology to make decisions explainable
- Tackling with the constraints of shortage of annotated images by designing novel training methodology which aids weakly supervised segmentation
- Working on DMEs and mammograms to detect breast cancer mass using Deep Learning
- Implemented in *Pytho*

### Machine Learning in Drug Discovery and Computational Biology

(Under Prof. Raghava, Dec'18-Dec'19)

- Project Title: In-Silico Drug Discovery using Protein-Small Molecule Interaction
- Employed Machine Learning to predict binding sites in a protein sequence to aid drug discovery
- Applied feature extraction, feature reduction and then applying Machine Learning techniques
- The ligand is Uridine 5'-diphosphate which is responsible for many metabolic functions in the body, *Implemented in Python*

## Feature Generation in Protein and Peptide Sequences(repo) (Guide: Prof. Raghava's Group,Dec'18-Dec'19)

- Extracted features from protein and peptide sequences which can later be used in predictive analyses
- Launched an open source web server [Pfeature](#), standalone, and executables. *Implemented in Python*

## Ensemble Learning for Regression Analyses

(Guide: Prof. M Gopal , Monsoon 2018)

- Employed Ensemble Learning methods to Regression Problems
- Compared performance of existing methods (like SVM, Neural Network) with Ensemble Methods
- Used feature importance and feature reduction using Ensemble Methods
- Dataset used: Boston Housing Dataset, *Implemented in MATLAB*

## RFID based Object Identification and Navigation (repo)

(Guide: Prof. RN Biswas, Spring 2018)

- Designed a novel method to help Visually Impaired using RF and RFID
- Use of RF to create a Virtual Acoustic Space which helps the visually impaired to locate the desired object *Used C programming*

## Prediction of Food Waste from Dining Halls using Machine Learning

- Used ML to predict how much food is going to be wasted on a particular day, developed for Azure Hospitality
- Using the tool, the hall managers decreased the amount of food to be cooked depending on the prediction
- Resulted in significantly less food wastage, *Implemented in Python*

## Crop Disease Classification using Deep CNNs (repo)

- Used Deep Learning to classify crop disease using a leaf image, Used Transfer learning for pre-training
- Neural Network trained on over 20000 images belonging to 15 classes of crop disease
- The model will be deployed as an open source web app to assist farmers, who can upload leaf image and get the disease type.

## Cancer Classification of Pigmented Lesion Images using Residual Neural Networks

- Aim of this project is to achieve state-of-the-art metrics in detecting type of skin cancer using lesion image
- The usability of ResNets will be checked, as it gives better results in image classification
- Working on HAM10000 dataset to detect the type of skin cancer, *Implemented in Python*

## Annual Household Income Prediction using Machine Learning

(Guide: Prof. M Gopal, Spring 2018)

- Used Machine Learning to determine Annual Income of a household using various socio-economic attributes

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- TA for Graduate Physics, 1st year course (Fall 2016), Under Prof Syed Kamil
- TA for Graduate Mathematics, 1st year course (Spring 2018), Under Prof Ajit Kumar
- TA for Introductory Physics and Maths for Freshmen(Summer 2018), Under Prof Amber Habib
- TA and Lab Assistant for Embedded Systems, 3rd year course (Fall 2018), Under Prof RN Biswas
- Mentor for Hindustani Classical Music evening classes

## RELEVANT COURSEWORK (SELECT)

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### University Courses

- Applied Machine Learning, Computational PDE, Mathematical Methods, Probability and Statistics, Dynamical Systems, Data Structures, Digital Signal Processing

### Online Courses

- [Neural Networks and Deep Learning](#) by deeplearning.ai on Coursera, Certificate Number: [LESLBWYD83TD](#)
- [Mathematics for Machine Learning Specialisation](#) by Imperial College London on Coursera, Certificate Numbers: [5FTA53CZML87](#), [JGH533XCZR4D](#)
- [Introduction to TensorFlow, Convolutional Neural Network in Tensorflow](#) on Coursera
- [Machine Learning](#) by Stanford University on Coursera, Instructor: Prof. Andrew Ng
- [Improving Deep Neural Networks: Hyperparameter tuning, Regularization and Optimization](#) by deeplearning.ai on Coursera, Certificate Number: [66FSVSA2JK7S](#)

## MISCELLANEOUS

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| <b>Technical Skills</b>   | Python, Shell Scripting, MATLAB, C, $\LaTeX$  |
| <b>Frameworks</b>         | Keras, scikit-learn, Tensorflow, Numpy, Pandas, Librosa, OpenCV   |
| <b>Research Interests</b> | Artificial Intelligence, , Explainable AI, Computer Vision, AI in Healthcare                                      |
| <b>Languages</b>          | Conversational and Written Proficiency in English, Hindi and Bhojpuri   |
| <b>Interests</b>          | Classical Music, Photography, Cooking   |
| <b>Profiles</b>           | <a href="#">github</a> , <a href="#">ResearchGate</a> , <a href="#">LinkedIN</a> , <a href="#">Google Scholar</a> |

## LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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### Food Committee, Dean of Student Welfare Office, Shiv Nadar University

Chairperson (Head) Greater Noida, UP (May 2018 - May 2019)

- Headed food related jobs and problems throughout the campus with 2500 people
- Organised first **Food Fest** which raised around 1.8lacs INR (2600 USD) in one day
- Negotiated and helped in opening new food outlets at campus, tendering and framing contracts

### Spic Macay SNU Chapter

Secretary (Head) Greater Noida, UP (Mar 2018 - Mar 2019)

- Managed a chapter of 100+ members, organising events involving reputed Indian Classical exponents

-Head of Logistics, Finance, Hospitality and Publicity Team

### **Snuphoria-The Music Society**

Head of Indian Music

Greater Noida, UP (Feb 2017 - Jan 2018)

- Head of Indian Wing of the Music Society, responsible for managing representations in Indian Music
- Organised events with ample representation of Indian Music
- Mentored Hindustani Classical Music classes for 3 consecutive terms

### REFERENCES

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#### **Prof. Gajendra P.S. Raghava**

- Head, Centre for Computational Biology, IIIT Delhi
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- Post-Doctorate Researcher, National Institute of Health, USA
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- Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science, Graphic Era Hill University, Dehradun
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