# MRUNAL PALLEMPATI

#### APPLIED ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE GRADUATE STUDENT

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken

B. Tech. Mechanical - Smart Manufacturing

M.S. Applied Artificial Intelligence 2024-2026

• GPA: 3.945 / 4.0

• Relevant Coursework: Deep Learning, Applied Machine Learning, Pattern Recognition and Classification

## Indian Institute of Information Technology, Design and Manufacturing, Kancheepuram

• CGPA: 8.04 / 10

2017-2021

## **SKILLS**

• Languages: Python, C++, PL/SQL, Bash Scripting

• Libraries: TensorFlow/Keras, Scikit-learn, NumPy, Pandas

Tools: MATLAB/Simulink, Oracle 19c Database

Professional Skills: Research, Data Analysis, Literature Review, Technical Writing

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken

Research Assistant April 2025 - Present

 Currently exploring use cases of a Joint-Embedding Predictive Architecture (JEPA) to learn powerful representations from the complex, longitudinal NHATS (National Health and Aging Trends Study) dataset to predict future health states.

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# **Tata Consultancy Services**

**Database Administrator** December 2021 - August 2024

Project: National Pension System (NPS) & Atal Pension Yojana (APY)

- Optimized Oracle 19c Database performance and ensured high availability.
- Implemented and managed critical features including Oracle In-Memory and Database Vault.
- Engineered a robust data protection strategy, reducing potential data loss and successfully demonstrating a recovery time of under 30 minutes in disaster drills.
- · Administered schema management and oversaw database lifecycle management, including patching and upgrades, ensuring regulatory compliance.

### Aero2Astro

Computer Vision Intern May 2021 - November 2021

- Analyzed OpenCV's feature extractors on diverse camera datasets to optimize performance for autonomous drone navigation in varied lighting conditions.
- Researched and authored a comparative report on state-of-the-art SLAM algorithms.

# **PROJECTS**

# 3D Point Cloud Reconstruction on ShapeNet Dataset

- Engineered a data pipeline in Python using h5py and numpy to process over 50,000 point cloud samples from the ShapeNet dataset, enabling efficient handling of computationally intensive 3D data.
- Designed and implemented a 3D autoencoder in TensorFlow/Keras, architected to compress each 2048-point cloud into a dense 128dimensional latent vector.
- Trained the model over 50 epochs, optimizing for minimal reconstruction error and achieving a final validation loss of approximately 0.015.
- · Achieved a powerful, compressed representation of 3D objects, resulting in a 16x dimensionality reduction while maintaining high-fidelity geometric features.
- Developed 3D visualizations using matplotlib and open3d to qualitatively assess and confirm the high quality of the reconstructed shapes compared to the originals.

#### Automated Source Code Classification Using Long-term Recurrent Convolutional Networks

- Developed an automated system to classify over 65,000 source code samples by programming language (6 categories) and algorithm type (13 categories).
- Designed and implemented a hybrid CNN-LSTM (LRCN) model to process code syntax and semantics directly, eliminating the need for manual feature engineering.
- Engineered a full data pipeline that scraped samples from GitHub and performed preprocessing, including tokenization and sequence padding.
- Achieved 96% accuracy for language classification and 88% for algorithm identification, outperforming SVM-based methods by 7% and delivering 2x faster inference than AST-based models.