

# Mudit Chaudhary

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## EDUCATION

**University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA, USA (Incoming)** 2021 - 2023  
Master of Science, Computer Science with concentration in Data Science

**The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong** 2016 - 2020  
Bachelor of Science, Computer Science with concentration in Intelligent Science  
Minor: Data Analytics and Informatics

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## PROFESSIONAL AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong** August 2020 – August 2021  
*Full-time Research Assistant (Supervisor: Professor Helen Meng)*

- Researched on Dialog Systems, Cross-lingual Hyperbolic Word Embeddings, and NLP
- Submitted research papers to major conferences. 1 paper currently under review
- Assisted in the development and deployment of a knowledge-grounded dialog system
- Assisted in the development of AI teaching curriculum and tools for high school students as part of the 'CUHK-Jockey Club AI for the Future' project
- Communicated with different stakeholders to improve the AI teaching curriculum
- Developed, deployed, and scaled Aspect-Based Sentiment Analysis and Voice Conversion deep learning models to production
- Conducted API load testing using Apache JMeter
- Developed dashboard for monitoring and managing the deployed web-APIs
- Designed and conducted AI workshops for school teachers and students
- Maintained and configured GPU servers for model development, training, and deployment
- Setup knowledge collaboration and sharing platform for the project team
- Trained and assisted project interns

**Logistics and Supply Chain MultiTech (LSCM) R&D Centre, Hong Kong** June 2019 - August 2019  
*Summer Intern (Supervisor: Dr. Dorbin Ng)*

- Performed research, developed and trained the Transformer NMT model and Deep Learning Sequence Models for domain-specific translation
- Performed feasibility analysis and generated computational resource estimations for the models
- Planned and developed Deep Learning Models to learn non-verbal features in conversational setting for chatbot augmentation

**The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong** February 2019 - August 2019  
*Part-time Research Assistant (Supervisor: Professor Bei Yu)*

- Assisted research on 'Faster Region-Based Hotspot Detection using Deep Learning'
- Learned about two-stage object detection models: Faster-RCNN
- Updated the codebase to support Python 3

**First Code Academy, Hong Kong** June 2018 - August 2018  
*Summer Intern*

- Taught programming skills to students, including Python, HTML/CSS, microcontrollers, app development, and VR
- Responsible for course creation and periodically communicating students' performance with their parents
- Assisted in the creation & organization of Standard Onboarding Procedures

**Centre for Global Health, The Chinese University of Hong Kong** August 2017 - September 2017  
*Front-end web developer*

- Comprehensively updated over 104 webpages, which included creating and remodeling the content as well as the design style enhancing the user experience significantly

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## PROJECTS

- **Final Year Research Project- Revisiting Object Detection Model**  
Worked under the supervision of Prof. Bei Yu to improve the performance of the RepPoints Object Detection Model. Focused on training balancing methodologies and developed a novel KQR Attention mechanism based on Transformer attention. Used PyTorch and mmdetection framework. Achieved final grade 'A.'
- **UTrack- University Application Tracker Android App**  
Developed an android app for for graduating students to track graduate school applications.
- **Skin Lesion Classification to detect Skin Cancer using Deep Neural Networks**  
Course research project under the supervision of Prof. K.S. Leung and Mr. FU Xinyu. Trained the ResNet model to detect and classify skin lesions. Achieved an accuracy of 78%.
- **Drug Molecular Toxicity Prediction using Deep Neural Networks**  
Deep learning model to predict the toxicity of a molecule based upon its structure. An application-based project as a part of the course – 'Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence.'
- **Small Sample Learning**  
Deep Learning model to learn from small samples using Transfer Learning. Top 10 finalist for Huawei AI Cloud Developer Challenge.
- **NoQueue**  
A food ordering application based on the Django framework.
- **Employee Hiring Portal**  
Created an employee hiring portal using Java and SQL.
- **2048 Game with AI**  
Developed a 2048 Game with an AI player using C-Language.

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## PUBLICATIONS

- 'Unstructured Knowledge Access in Task-oriented Dialog Modeling using Language Inference, Knowledge Retrieval and Knowledge-Integrative Response Generation'- Workshop paper accepted for AAAI 2021 Conference's DSTC9 Workshop [[arXiv:2101.06066](https://arxiv.org/abs/2101.06066)]

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## CERTIFICATIONS

- 'Microsoft Azure AI Fundamentals AI-900'- Credential ID: oQCV-uSoV
- 'Neural Networks and Deep Learning' authorized by deeplearning.ai and offered by Coursera

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

C, C++, Java, Python, Kotlin, COBOL, Pytorch, Keras, Tensorflow, Machine Learning, Linux, Django, Flask, Docker, mmdetection, RESTful API, Google Cloud Platform, Slurm, Android app development, HTML, CSS, MySQL

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## AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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| ● Selected for Faculty of Engineering Dean's List 2019-2020 for outstanding academic performance | 2020        |
| ● Selected for United College Head's List 2019-2020 for outstanding academic performance         | 2020        |
| ● Received Yuen Bing Kwan Ming De Xin Alumni Prize for outstanding academic performance          | 2019        |
| ● Received 1976 Ming De Xin Min Alumni Academic Prize for outstanding academic performance       | 2018        |
| ● Received 'Honors at Entrance' for exceptional academic performance at admission                | 2017        |
| ● Awarded Faculty of Engineering Admission Scholarship worth ~USD 5900                           | 2016        |
| ● Awarded full-tuition scholarship at The Chinese University of Hong Kong                        | 2016 - 2020 |

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## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Participated in Huawei AI Cloud Developer Challenge 2019. Qualified as top 10 finalists. (2019)
- Honorable Mention in the World Asian Case Competition conducted by the Academy of Asian Business. (2019)
- Appointed the Vice-Chairperson for the Hong Kong Institution of Engineers CUHK Student Chapter. (2017-2018)
- Organized events to promote cultural integration and internationalization through the i-Ambassadors scheme at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. (2018)
- Co-founder and Creative Director for the Association of Indian Students at The Chinese University of Hong Kong. (2016-2018)
- Member of the Toastmasters International at United College, CUHK. (2017-2018)