

# Mukund Yadav

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## Education

**MS in Computer Engineering**, Virginia Tech, GPA: 4.0

Thesis: AutoCAT, Cache Security using Reinforcement Learning

Graduate Teaching Assistant: CS2506, Computer Organizations II

Courses: Advanced Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Computer Vision

Jan 2023 – Dec 2024

Blacksburg, VA

**BS in Electrical and Electronics Engineering**, Purdue University

Capstone: Industrial Internet of Things Sensor Interface Design for Industry Energy Management

Courses: Data Structures and Algorithms | Intro to Biometrics with Machine Learning

Aug 2018 – May 2022

West Lafayette, IN

## Experience

**Graduate Research Assistant**, Virginia Tech

Jan 2023 – present

- Implementing a Cache Security Model called AutoCAT using **Reinforcement Learning**.
- Testing the AutoCAT code on other research papers to verify its effectiveness.
- Expand the model to other CPUs by writing C and Python code.

**Voice Assistance Research**, UROP | Purdue School of Engineering and Technology

Aug 2021 – Dec 2021

- Developed a voice assistant with improved word recognition using Python.
- Created a **neural network** where the input would be the words said by the user as a string using **pyttsx3** and the output would be the best-matched word from a dataset with frequent medical terms.
- Revamped the pre-existing code to make it more logical, readable and scalable.
- Allows users to verbally ask about the medications they need and the VA would say it back to them.

**Full stack developer**, MURI | Purdue School of Engineering and Technology

May 2021 – Aug 2021

- Created a **web application** for the Grand Marble Map of Rome project.
- Developed the backend using **Django-Python**.
- Used **SQLite3** as the database during development stage which would keep 3D models of the map of Rome as the data.
- Migrated the database from SQLite3 to RDS on AWS during the production stage and created a lambda function script that would interact with the database and the application.
- Deployed application on **AWS** by creating an **EC2 instance** with **nginx** and **gunicorn**.

**Head of Communications**, Team Vyadh | Students for Exploration and Development of Space

Mar 2019 – Jul 2020

- Engineered a **rover** that would compete in University Rover Challenge, 2020.
- Developed a communication system called GCS(Geographical Communication System) that allowed the team to interact and monitor the rover using **node.js** and hosted it on a local Linux server.
- Integrated the **Arduino/MATLAB/Python** codes using **ROS**, responsible for rover operation.
- Lead and managed a sub-team of three freshmen, onboarded and mentored them about the system/project.
- Qualified as **one of 32 teams out of 500** for URC, 2020.

## Projects

**Face Identification App**, Python/ML

May 2022 – Dec 2022

- Developed a face Identification App using **TensorFlow**.
- The app would allow a user to protect other apps on their phones.
- Inspired by a paper on **Siamese Neural Networks**. Replicated the paper/developed the code for the app.
- Created a model using **convolutional neural network** for one-shot learning.
- Developed a 6-layer Deep Neural Network for best results.
- Deployed the model and made the app using **Kivy**.

**Baseball Stats Analysis Model**, Python/SQL

Apr 2022 – May 2022

- Developed a model using Python that would fetch baseball stats data in JSON format from an API.
- Developed the algorithm to **flatten the heavily nested data** and fed it to a **SQLite** table using the **pandas** library.
- Users could pass the game ID and the path to it, and then they would be able to run SQL queries through the terminal and analyze the data.

## Skills

**Machine Learning** (TensorFlow|PyTorch|Scikit-learn|Keras|Numpy|Pandas| Understand/implement ML algorithms)

**Front end development** (ReactJS|Tailwind CSS) | **Back end development** (Django|NodeJS|ExpressJS|MySQL)

**Data Structures** (Knowledge of/Develop algorithms using: Trees | Hash Maps | Graphs | Linked Lists | Stacks | Queues)

**Programming Languages** (Python|C++|C|Typescript|SQL|R) | **Software/Hardware** (MATLAB|ROS|Arduino|Raspberry Pi|Cadence|EAGLE.)

**Cloud Computing** (AWS|EC2|Database|Scripting|Hosting) | **Linux** | **Git**