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RESEARCH Semi-structured Data, Structured Prediction, Natural Language Inference, Representation Learning, Interests Extreme Multi-Label Learning, Resource Constrained Machine Learning, Fairness and Ethics in AI

CURRENT School of Computing, University of Utah Aug 2018 - Present Position Graduate Research Assistant Advisor: Prof. Vivek Srikumar

EDUCATION School of Computing, University of Utah Aug 2018 - Present

PhD, Computer Science, School of Computing Advisor: Prof. Vivek Srikumar (CGPA: 3.9/4)

Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur July 2015 - May 2016

M. Tech, Computer Science and Engineering Advisor: Prof. Harish Karnick (CGPA: 9.3/10)

Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur

July 2011 - July 2015

B. Tech, Computer Science and Engineering (CGPA: 7.5/10)

Previous Microsoft Research Lab, India Oct 2016 - Aug 2018

EMPLOYMENT Research Fellow, Machine Learning and Natural Language Application Dr. Nagarajan Natararjan,

Dr. Praneeth Netrapalli & Dr. Prateek Jain

SCHOLASTIC Best paper award at DeeLIO workshop at ACL 2022

ACHIEVEMENTS Outstanding paper award at NLP4ConvAI workshop at ACL 2022

One of the recipients of the Bloomberg Data Science Fellowship 2021-2022. Renewed till 2023

Selected to attend Virtual-HLF 2020, MLSS-18 Madrid, MLSS-19 London, MLSS-20 Tubingen

Selected among the top 7 finalist in Ericson's Innovation Awards, India in 2016

Selected in top 100 all over India in Telnor, Internet for all challenge by Unisys in 2015

Best poster presentation for Internship works at Flipkart Internet Private Ltd. in 2015

 ${\bf 2nd}\ {\bf Best}\ {\bf project}\ {\bf for}\ {\bf project}\ {\bf on}\ {\it QA}\ {\it System}\ {\bf in}\ {\bf NLP}\ ({\bf CS}\ 5340/6340)\ {\bf in}\ 2018$

Best project award for project Distributed Classroom in Topic in Distributed System in 2015

Secured All India Rank 183 in IIT-JEE 2011 amongst more than 500,000 candidates

Qualified for Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY) scholarship, 2011

Selected among top 1% of students, Indian National Physics Olympiads, 2011

Selected among top 1% of students, Indian National Chemistry Olympiads, 2011

Selected among top 1% of students in State, Indian National Physics Olympiads in 2010

CONFERENCE AND JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS **Gupta, V.**, Bhat, R., Ghosal, A., Srivastava, M., Singh, M., Srikumar V., *Is My Model Using The Right Evidence? Systematic Probes for Examining Evidence-Based Tabular Reasoning*, TACL 2022 [Paper]

Gupta, V., Zhang, S., Vempala, A., He, Y., Choji, T., Srikumar V., Right for the Right Reason: Evidence Extraction for Trustworthy Tabular Reasoning, ACL 2022 [Paper]

Agarwal, C.*, **Gupta, V.***, Kunchukuttan, A., Shrivastava, M., Bilingual Tabular Inference: A Case Study on Indic Languages, NAACL 2022 [Paper]

Aggarwal, D.*, **Gupta, V.***, Kunchukuttan, A., *IndicXNLI: Evaluating Multilingual Inference for Indian Languages*, EMNLP 2022, Short version MIA-2022 [Preprint] [Paper]

Jena, A.*, **Gupta**, V.*, Shrivastava, M., Eisenschlos, J., *Leveraging Data Recasting to Enhance Tabular Reasoning*, EMNLP 2022 in Findings, Short version at SUKI-2022 [Paper]

Kumar, D.*, **Gupta, V.***, Sharma, S., Zhang, S., Realistic Data Augmentation Framework for Enhancing Tabular Reasoning, EMNLP 2022 in Findings, Short version at SUKI-2022 [Paper]

Shankarampeta, A.*, **Gupta**, V.*, Zhang, S., Enhancing Tabular Reasoning with Pattern Exploiting Training, AACL 2022, Short version at SUKI-2022 [Paper]

Jain, N.*, **Gupta**, **V.***, Rai, A., Kumar, G., *TabPert: An Effective Platform for Tabular Perturbation* EMNLP 2021, Demo track [Paper] [Project]

Neeraja, J.*, Gupta, V.* Srikumar, V. Incorporating External Knowledge to Enhance Tabular Reasoning, NAACL 2021 [Paper] [Project]

Gupta, V., Mehta, M., Nokhiz, P., Srikumar, V. InfoTabS: Inference on Tables as Semi-structured Data, ACL 2020 [Paper] [Project]

Gupta, V., Saw A., Nokhiz, P., Gupta, H., Talukdar, P., Improving Document Classification using Multi-Sense Embeddings, ECAI 2020, Short version at NAACL-SRW 2019 [Paper] [Blog]

Gupta, V., Kumar, A., Nokhiz, P., Netrapalli, P., Rai, , P., Talulkdar, *P-SIF: Document Embeddings using Partition Averaging*, AAAI 2020 [Paper] [Appendix] [PPT] [Poster] [Blog]

Uppal S., **Gupta**, **V.**, Swaminathan A., Zhang H., Mahata D., Gosangi R., Shah. R., Stent A., *Two-Stage Classification using Recasted Data for Low Resource Settings*, AACL-IJCNLP 2020 [Paper]

Raunak, V., Dalmia, S., **Gupta, V.**, Metze, F., On Long-Tailed Phenomena in Neural Machine Translation, EMNLP 2020 (Findings) & presented at SPNLP 2020 [Paper]

Li, T., **Gupta, V.**, Mehta, M., Srikumar, V., A logic-Driven Framework for Consistency of Neural Models, EMNLP-IJCNLP 2019 & StarAI 2020 [Paper] [Poster]

Gupta, V., Wadbude, R., Natarajan, N., Karnick, H., Jain, P., Rai, P., Distributional Semantics meet Multi-Label Learning, AAAI 2019 [Paper] [Slides] [Poster]

Mekala, D.*, **Gupta, V.***, Paranjape, B., Karnick, H. Sparse Composite Document Vectors using soft clustering over distributional representations, EMNLP 2017 [Paper] [Slides]

Gupta, V., Karnick, H., Bansal, A., Jhala, P. Product Classification in E-Commerce using Distributional Semantics, COLING 2016 (Master Thesis Work) [Paper] [Poster]

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Workshops Publications

Gupta, V., Shrivastava, A., Sagar, A., Aghajanyan, A., Savenkov. D., RetroNLU: Retrieval Augmented Task Oriented Semantic Parsing, Spa-NLP-2022 and NLP4ConvAI-2022, (Outstanding Paper)

[Paper]

Varun, Y.*, **Gupta**, V.*, Sharma, A., *Trans-KBLSTM: An External Knowledge Enhanced Trans-former BiLSTM model for Tabular Reasoning*, DeeLIO 2022 (Best Paper) [Paper]

Minhas, B.*, Shankhdhar, A.*, **Gupta, V.***, Aggarwal, D., Zhang, S., XInfoTabS: Evaluating Multilingual Tabular Natural Language Inference, Fever 2022 and MML 2022 [Paper]

Gupta, A., Gupta, V., Unsupervised Contextualized Document Representation, SustaiNLP 2021 [Paper]

Gupta, V., Bharti P., Nokhiz, P., Karnick, H., SumPubMed: Summarization Dataset of PubMed Scientific Articles, ACL-IJCNLP SRW 2021 [Preprint] [Dataset]

Yadav, P., Yadav, P., Nokhiz, P., **Gupta, V.**, Unbiasing Review Ratings with Tendency based Collaborative Filtering, AACL-IJCNLP SRW 2020 [Paper]

Raunak, V., Gupta, V., Metze, F., Effective Dimensionality Reduction for Word Embeddings,

RepL4NLP 2019

[Paper] [Poster]

Raunak, V., Kumar, V., Gupta, V., Metze, F., On Dimensional Linguistic Properties of the Word

Embedding Space, ACL-SRW 2019 (non-archival) & RepL4NLP 2020

[Paper]

Dohare, S., Gupta, V., Karnick, H., Unsupervised Semantic Abstractive Summarization, ACL-SRW 2018

[Paper] [Poster]

Wadbude, R., Gupta, V., Mekala, D., Karnick, H., User Bias Removal in Review Score Prediction, CODS-COMAD 2018 & DAB 2017 [Paper] [Poster]

Gupta, V.*, Mittal, S.*, Bhaumik, S., Roy, R. Assisting Humans to Achieve Optimal Sleep by Changing Ambient Temperature, BIBM 2016, BHI 2016 & HI-DS 2016 [Paper] [Slides]

TECHNICAL Manuscripts

Gupta, V.*, Nokhiz, P.*, Dutta, C.*, Venkatasubramanian, S., Equalizing Recourse Across Group, ArXiv 2019 [PrePrint]

Mekala, D., Gupta, V., Kar, P., Karnick, H., Bayes-optimal Hierarchical Classification over Asymmetric Tree-Distance Loss, Tech Report [PrePrint]

Mahajan, D., Gupta, V., Keerthi, S., Sundararjan, S., Efficient Estimation of Generalization Error and Bias-Variance Components of Ensembles, Tech Report [PrePrint]

Master Thesis

Product Categorization in E-Commerce using Distributional Semantics

Prof. Harish Karnick (IIT Kanpur) & Pradhuman Jhala (Flipkart.com)

[Thesis] [Slides]

- Proposed a novel distributional semantics representation for text documents.
- Use the proposed representation with a novel two-level ensemble approach utilizing (with respect to the taxonomy tree) a path-wise, node-wise and depth-wise classifiers for product classification.

Research Internships

Bloomberg AI (IE and KG), London and India

May 2022 - Sep 2022

Temporal Question Answering over Tables

Dr. Shuo Zhang, Dr. Ridho Reinanda

Bloomberg AI (IE and KG), New York (Part-Time) Information Extraction for Trustworthy Tabular Reasoning Aug 2021 - Dec 2021

Vempala, Dr. Yujie He, Dr. Temma Choi

Dr. Shuo Zhang, Dr. Alakananda

Bloomberg AI (IE and KG), New York

May 2021 - Aug 2021

Information Extraction for Trustworthy Tabular Reasoning Vempala, Dr. Yujie He, Dr. Temma Choi

Dr. Shuo Zhang, Dr. Alakananda

Facebook AI Research (Assistant), Seattle

Sep 2020 - Dec 2020

Efficient and Effective Semantic Parsing

Dr. Denis Savenkov (Research Scientist)

IBM Research, Thomas J. Watson Research Center

May 2019 - Aug 2019

Contrastive Explanations for Natural Language Task

Dr. Kush R Varshney (Research Manager)

Microsoft Research India, Bangalore

May 2016 - Jul 2016

Aug 2015 - July 2016

Estimation of Generalization Error for Ensembles

Dr. Sundararajan Sellamanickam (Principal

Applied Scientist)

Flipkart Internet Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore (Part Time)

Pradhuman Jhala (Principal Architect)

Web Scale Product Classification Flipkart Internet Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore

May 2015 - July 2015

Web Scale Product Classification

Pradhuman Jhala (Principal Architect)

May 2014 - July 2014

Samsung R&D Institute, Bangalore

Sandip Bhaumik (Group Manager) & Raj Roy (Manager)

Mobile and Healthcare Solution Y2014

May 2013 - July 2013

Synopsys Inc., Bangalore DALI Verification System Coverage Visualization

Yogesh Pandey (Group Director)

Teaching Experience

Guest Instructor: for CS 2420 - Introduction to Algorithms and Data Structures, Spring 2022. Taught two lecture on Graph Data Structures and Algorithms. Feedback available on request.

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Guest Instructor: for CS 2420 - Introduction to Algorithms and Data Structures, Fall 2021. Taught two lecture on Graph Data Structures and Algorithms. Design the weekly assignment and the practice lab session. Feedback available on request.

Workshop Organization: Co-Chaired to organized the NAACL-HLT Student Research Workshop 2021.

Seminar Coordinator: for CS 7941-Data Science Seminar (Spring 2021, Fall 2021-2020, Summer 2020) along with two University of Utah professors (Prof. Jeff Phillips and Prof. Aditya Bhaskara)

ACM ikDD Student Ninja: Helping ACM SIGKDD India Chapter (iKDD) to grow among the next-generation Data Science (DS) enthusiasts. Involved leadership roles in organizing iKDD activities as well as creating and running new periodic programs.

Teaching Mentor: for CS 6355 Spring 2021 Structured Prediction. Involves office hours for doubt clearing, assignment and examination evaluation.

Tutor: for CS 6150 Fall 2021 Advanced Algorithms. Involved guidance with the weekly assignments and the course material. Feedback available on request.

Teaching Mentor: for CS 6150 Fall 2019 Advanced Algorithms. Involves office hours for doubt clearing, assignment and examination evaluation.

Teaching Assistant: for MLT 2016 - Machine Learning Tool and Technique: Mentored a group of 30 M-Tech students part of a course on Machine Learning. Set up a labeling software for project work, resulting in a new dataset.

Teaching Assistant: for OS 2016 - Operating System: Mentored a group of 30 M-Tech students part of an introductory course on Operating System.

Miscellaneous

[Professional Services], [Seminars Talks], [Research Grants], [Mentored Students]