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EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

Intelligent Robot Lab

Jun 2020 - Present

Providence, RI

- Working on Reinforcement Learning/Robotics research, advised by Prof. George Konidaris.
- · New mathematical framework (LOMDPs) for robot domains
- · Unsupervised representation learning for improving RL
- · Graph-based priors for improving multi-task and RL performance

Machine Learning Intern

Myelin Foundry

i Jun 2019 – Aug 2019

Bangalore, India

- Developed a cutting-edge, deep-learning based pipeline in Pytorch and Tensorflow to augment VFX workflows for a POC product.
- Researched and managed a company-wide, cloud-compute platform, reducing potential monthly costs by 70%.
- Helped transition MLOps to Microsoft Azure.
- Implemented DeepLabv3+ from **ECCV 2018** to develop SOTA pipelines for semantic segmentation tasks.
- Achieved 90% in business-aligned metrics with reasonable inference time.

Software Engineering Intern

Scripbox

i Jul 2018 – Aug 2018

Bangalore, India

- Developed integrated data visualization tool in Typescript with ReactJS.
- · Researched RFM analysis to gather business insights using Python.

Teaching Assistant

Brown University

Sep 2019 – May 2020

Providence, RI

- CSCI 1430 Computer Vision (Prof. James Tompkin)
- CSCI 2951F Introduction to RL (Prof. Michael Littman)

PUBLICATIONS

*equal contribution

- K. Asadi, N. Parikh, R. Parr, G. Konidaris, and M. Littman (Sept. 2020).
 "Deep Radial-Basis Value Functions for Continuous Control". In: *Under review*.
- N. Srinvasan*, N. Parikh*, Z. Horvitz*, A. Shah, and G. Konidaris (Oct. 2020). "Graph Embedding Priors for Multi-task Deep Reinforcement Learning". In: *Under review*.
- C. Allen, N. Parikh, and G. Konidaris (Oct. 2020). "Learning Markov State Abstractions for Deep Reinforcement Learning". In: *Under review*.
- M. Merlin, N. Parikh, E. Rosen, and G. Konidaris (May 2020). "Locally Observable Markov Decision Process". In: International Conference on Robotics and Automation. Workshop on Perception, Action, Learning.

EDUCATION

B.Sc. in Computer Science

Brown University

a Aug 2018 – May 2022

GPA: 3.9

Advised by: **Prof. Michael Littman**

Graduate Courses

ML with Limited Labeled Data

Reintegrating Al Prescriptive Analytics

ML Theory Seminar Intro to RL (IS)

Undergraduate Courses

Distributed Systems Computer Vision

Accelerated Intro CS Intro to Systems

Linear Algebra Convex Optimization

Probability & Statistics Microeconomics

Honors Multivariable Calc. Algorithms

PROJECTS

Onager

Lightweight hyperparameter tuning and experiment management, with interfaces to Slurm and Gridengine clusters

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SKILLS



AWARDS

2nd place - Brown Datathon

Developed a U-Net style CNN model to perform neuron cell segmentation on fruit fly and mouse brains.

rgreenblatt/brown-datathon

Stripe Sponser Prize - HackPrinceton

Developed a gun violence awareness tool integrating live data visualization and machine learning predictions.

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