# Nishant Uniyal

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# **EDUCATION**

# UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

MASC ELECTRICAL & COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Aug 2014 | Vancouver, BC Cum. GPA: 4.30 / 4.33 Emphasis in Machine Learning, Medical Image Processing, and Signal Processing

# MISSOURI UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

**BSc in Electrical & Computer** 

**ENGINEERING** 

May 2012 | Rolla, MO Cum. GPA: 3.67 / 4.0 Graduated summa cum laude

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

### **PROGRAMMING**

Experienced:

Python

Intermediate:

 $C++ \bullet C$ 

Beginner:

SQL • R • HTML • Ruby • Bash

• MATLAB

#### LIBRARIES AND PACKAGES

Scikit-learn • Keras • Tensorflow

- Hyperopt NumPy Scipy Pandas
- NLTK Spacy Plotly Superset
- Pytest OpenCV

#### **TOOLS**

Proficient:

Docker • Jupyter • Airflow • Git • Terminal • Pipenv • VS Code • Sublime Text • PyCharm • SQL Operations Studio

MTEX

Learning:

Deep Learning • Data Science Infrastructure • Kubernetes • AWS • MongoDB • Django

#### **OPERATING SYSTEMS**

MacOS • Linux • Windows

# LINKS

Website:// Nishant Uniyal Github:// nishantuniyal LinkedIn:// nishantuniyal Google Scholar:// Nishant Uniyal

## **EXPERIENCE**

#### **BOEING VANCOUVER | DATA SCIENTIST**

Nov 2017 - Present | Vancouver, BC

- Built a fully automated data engineering pipeline to injest and warehouse the data in a programmatical way.
- Researched and Developed NLP methods for text classification.

#### **CLARIUS MOBILE HEALTH** | RESEARCH SCIENTIST

May 2015 - Nov 2017 | Burnaby, BC

- Invented novel ultrasound imaging methods and developed imaging algorithms (listed inventor on 6 patents).
- Developed various automated algorithms from inception to deployment, which are currently offered to customers as premium product features.

### NZ TECHNOLOGIES | SOFTWARE DESIGN ENGINEER

Sep 2014 - May 2015 | Vancouver, BC

- Improved the gesture recognition and control system from 18 FPS to 30 FPS by integrating a new 3D infrared camera.
- Developed a real-time algorithm for perspective image correction using a projector-camera system.

#### PHILIPS RESEARCH | RESEARCH COLLABORATOR

Sep 2013 - Jan 2014 | Braircliff Manor, NY

- Developed a machine learning package for data analysis and tissue classification which resulted in a publication.
- Developed MATLAB scripts for ultrasound data processing and successfully used the data for prostate tissue classification.

# UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA | GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Sep 2012 - Aug 2014 | Vancouver, BC

- Proposed and developed an innovative semi-supervised machine learning technique. (Best paper award)
- Developed a machine learning, signal processing, and image processing package which successfully detected breast and prostate cancer using ultrasound data.
- Completed feasibility studies on ultrasound based methods for breast and prostate cancer diagnosis which resulted in three publications.
- Performed experiments to substantiate the ultrasound RF time series hypothesis.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Uniyal, N et al. "Ultrasound RF time series for classification of breast lesions." Medical Imaging, IEEE Transactions on , vol.PP, no.99, pp.1,1.
- Uniyal, N et al. "Ultrasound-based prediction of prostate cancer in MRI-guided biopsy." MICCAI CLIP, 2014. 142-150. [Best paper award, Presentation]

# **ACTIVITIES**

- Secretary of Electrical and Computer Engineering Graduate Student Association (ECEGSA) 2013-2014.
- Winner of the Three Minute Thesis (3MT) Department Heat, 2014 University of British Columbia.