Raghav Kanda

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Education

University of Toronto | HBSc

Toronto, Canada

Major in Statistics and Mathematics, Minor in Computer Science

Sept. 2021 - Apr. 2025

• Relevant Courses: Software Tools & Systems Programming, Software Design, Introduction to Machine Learning & Information Security, Advanced Calculus & Linear Algebra, Methods of Data Analysis, Theory of Computation, Probability & Statistics, Data Structures & Analysis, Regression Analysis

Skills

Languages: Python, Java, C, C++, Java, Unix (Bash), SQL, R, Django, Node.js, Go

Tools: Git, GitHub, VS Code, PyCharm, IntelliJ, CLion, nano, Docker, Unity

Soft Skills: Willingness to keep learning, Ability to work with a team, Strong interpersonal skills, Professional, Outgoing,

Problem Solver, Strong Analytical Skills, Creative Thinking,.

Project: Machine Learning Model Development

Designed and trained machine learning models in Python using libraries such as Scikit-learn and TensorFlow.

Developed a classification model to predict outcomes based on real-world datasets, achieving high accuracy through feature engineering and hyperparameter tuning.

Visualized model performance with confusion matrices, precision-recall curves, and other evaluation metrics.

Project: Information Security Analysis

Personally identified and analyzed vulnerabilities in various software systems across platforms like Windows, Kali Linux, and Ubuntu.

Utilized tools and frameworks such as **Metasploit**, **Wireshark**, and **OpenSSL** to perform in-depth security assessments.

Conducted penetration testing to uncover **security loopholes** and recommended actionable fixes to enhance **system defenses**.

Evaluated **encryption** protocols and system configurations to ensure compliance with **security** best practices.

UofTHacks X Hackathon Winner

Led a 4-person team to develop a meal-sharing **LLM** application in a 36-hour **hackathon winning** the sponsor challenge.

Designed and implemented an intuitive user experience, integrating real-time meal scheduling and seamless group coordination.

Project: Data Analysis

Leveraged powerful libraries including **Pandas**, **Matplotlib**, and **NumPy** to efficiently handle, manipulate, and visualize data.

Imported and analyzed datasets to compute key **statistics** and generated interactive and visually appealing charts from the data.

Implemented data cleaning techniques to handle missing values, detect outliers, and ensure the accuracy of analytical insights.

Awards

University of Toronto Scholar (CAD 5,000) - For outstanding academic performance

University of Toronto Principal's Entry (CAD 12,000) - Merit based academic award