### KARTHIK PANSETTY

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#### **EDUCATION**

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

May 2022

Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering

with a concentration in AI/ML systems

GPA: 4.0/4.0

Relevant Courses: Introduction to Deep Learning, Machine Learning for Large Datasets\*, Optimization,

Computer Vision\*, Image and Video Processing, Introduction to Machine Learning for Engineers,

Estimation, Detection and Learning, Foundations of Privacy\*. (\*F21)

Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Gandhinagar, India

May 2019

GPA: 8.35/10.0

Bachelor of Technology in Electrical Engineering with minor in Computer Science Relevant Courses: Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning, Mathematical Foundations for

Computer Vision and Graphics, Natural Language Processing, Applied Cryptography.

#### SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Skills Python, JAVA, MATLAB, C, SQL, Ruby.

Frameworks PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Pandas, Scikit-learn, NumPy, SciPy, Matplotlib, NLTK,

PySpark, OpenCV, Networkx, Amazon Web Services, Google Cloud Platform, Rails.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Engineering Development Group Intern MathWorks

May 2021 - August 2021

Natick, MA

- Built a working prototype of MATLAB WebApps as a user authored custom dashboard on ThingSpeak.
- Implemented an OpenID Connect Provider for user authentication using MathWorks account as a part of ThingSpeak to bridge the gap between the MATLAB WebAppServer and ThingSpeak.

## $\begin{array}{c} \text{Machine Learning Engineer} \\ Health Cloud AI \end{array}$

July 2019 - April 2020

Bangalore, India

- Developed sophisticated **Machine Learning models** from scratch to predict clinical diagnosis from unstructured clinical text in health records of patients using Tensorflow.
- Implemented a **recommendation system** to generate **personalized questions** based on history and demographics of patients.

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

## Research Assistant (Personalized Federated Graph Neural Networks) Carnegie Mellon University

September 2021 - Present

Pittsburgh, PA

• Working on using different **Federated Learning** algorithms on **Graph Neural Networks** for tasks such as Graph classification, Node classification, Node and Link prediction using **personalized methods** in PyTorch.

# Research Intern (GIcST: A Natural Language Framework to Identify Themes Differentiating Cohort Subgroups) University of Notre Dame

May 2018 - June 2019

South Bend, IN

- Developed a Generalized Identification of Cohort Specific Themes (GIcST) framework to **extract themes differentiating texts** of two generalized population sub-groups while accounting for overall population-level experiences.
- This framework automates the process of discovery of psychological themes with respect to outcomes from unstructured psychological intervention texts to personalize interventions and gain insights surrounding patient outcomes.

#### SELECTED PROJECTS

## Federated Optimization in Heterogeneous Networks Course: Optimization, Carnegie Mellon University

Feb 2021 - May 2021

• Reproducibility study to understand the comparison between the **Federated Learning** algorithms **FedProx** and **FedAvg** in highly heterogenous settings showing an **absolute improvement of around 19%** for the FedProx algorithm.

#### Quantization of CNN based Language Models

Feb 2021 - May 2021

Course: Intro to Deep Learning, Carnegie Mellon University

• Explored Quantization techniques on CNN-based Language models demonstrate that quantization can be used to achieve a model with a **4x reduction in size** with only a 2% loss in performance on Wav2Letter Language model.