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## **EDUCATION**

**New York University** New York, NY

Master's in Data Science Expected Graduation: May 2024

Relevant Coursework - Data Science, Probability & Statistics, Optimization and Computational Linear Algebra

**National Institute of Technology Srinagar** Kashmir, India

Bachelor's in Computer Science & Engineering (CGPA: 8.61) Graduated: July 2022

Relevant Coursework - OOP, Database Management, Java, AI, Deep Learning, Unix & Shell Programming

## **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: Python, Javascript, SQL, C++, Solidity.

Libraries, Frameworks & Tools: Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Tableau, Scikit-Learn, Keras, TensorFlow, PySpark, PyTorch, React, Node.js, Express, AWS, Excel, Microsoft Office, PowerPoint, GitHub.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

**New York University** New York, NY

Teaching Assistant (Programming tools for the Data Scientist Course) September 2022 - Present

Guiding an undergraduate class of 43 students by explaining the course material and clearing their doubts.

Assisting the professor in creating & grading assignments, quizzes, and exams.

**NIT Srinagar** 

Srinagar Teaching Assistant (Deep Learning Course) August - December 2021

Supervised and managed a class of 64 students by providing instructions, leading discussions, and grading exams - attained a class average of 95% for completed assignments and exams.

Implemented weekly discussions and mini-projects that encouraged out-of-the-box critical thinking, resulting in enhanced course outcomes.

**Fevnn Labs** Remote

Machine Learning Intern

August - October 2021

- Supervised a team of 4 interns to perform market segmentation analysis on the tourism industry of India to find regions that increased the profits by 8% for a hostel chain.
- Performed Exploratory Data Analysis using **Seaborn** and **Matplotlib** to explain the findings to the senior executives efficiently.
- Designed a Machine Learning model that predicts the profitability of different regions with 80% precision.

**BITS Pilani** Raiasthan

Research Intern January - July 2021

- Co-Authored the national bestselling book "Machine Learning A Comprehensive approach" which has sold over 4000 copies.
- Designed a Convolutional Neural Network using Python's **TensorFlow** and **Keras** libraries that was aimed at training miniaturized car models for automated driving.
- Collected 50,000+ data samples using Scrapy and Beautiful Soup for the training and deployment of the Convolutional Neural Network.
- Investigated different e-Healthcare methods, presenting findings in a book chapter available on Taylor and Routledge titled A Taxonomy of e-Healthcare Techniques and solutions: challenges and future directions.

### **PROJECT**

## A Novel Deep Learning Approach for Classifying Traffic Signs

- Developed a Deep Learning model using the (GTSRB) dataset that used Convolutional Neural Network along with AutoAlbument & Spatial Transformer (STN).
- AutoAlbument uses reinforcement learning to automate the search for optimal image transformation policies and STNs results in models which learn invariance.
- The model had 92,397 parameters, was trained in under 3 hours, and achieved a validation accuracy of 99.86% which was comparable to the SOTA.