Prince Patel

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EDUCATION:

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Expected 2025

BS, Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence with a Minor in Mathematics, GPA: 4.8

- Relevant Coursework: Fundamentals of Statistics (18.650), Deep Learning (6.S898), Intro to Machine Learning (6.036), Optimization Methods (6.7201), Intro to Algorithms (6.1210/6.006), Probability and Random Variables (18.600), Linear Algebra (18.06), Intro to C and Low-level Programming (6.1900/6.0004)
- Organizations: South Asian Association of Students (Big Events Committee), Phi Kappa Theta (Risk Manager)

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Epicore Biosystems

June 2023 - Sep. 2023

Data Scientist

- Implemented a generalized linear model for forecasting sweat rate by leveraging accelerometer and temperature data,
 enhancing the accuracy of the hydration-tracking wearable compared to the previous hard-coded estimation algorithm
- Presented outcomes of implementing new predictive model to company executives and potential investors

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

Biomechatronic Group, MIT Media Lab

Mar. 2023 - Present

Undergraduate Researcher

- Attempting to predict intentions of upper extremity amputees and translating to continuous prostheses control
- Implemented computer vision assisted hand tracking as an additional layer of training data validation, thereby reducing the cognitive load on patients during data collection

Marine Robotics Lab, MIT CSAIL

Dec. 2022 - Apr. 2023

Undergraduate Researcher

- Trained a goalie and locomotion policy for a quadruped and bipedal robot in Isaac Gym using a Proximal Policy Optimization reinforcement learning program
- Accessed the robot's onboard cameras and LiDAR sensors to add data inputs to the existing RL policy

EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE:

MIT 2026 Class Council

Mar. 2023 - Present

Vice President

- Collaborated with campus organizations to forge partnerships, expanding the reach and impact of class-wide initiatives
- Orchestrated initiatives to foster class unity, promote inclusivity, and cultivate a welcoming environment for all students

MIT Capital Partners

Mar. 2023 - Present

Sourcing Principal

- Demonstrated expertise in analyzing industry trends, competitive landscapes, and growth potential of startups
- Employed strong communication skills to establish mutually beneficial partnerships with startups and VC clients

PROJECTS:

Identifying Age-Related Conditions

June 2023

- Developed a gradient boosted decision tree model to accurately classify patients suffering from age-related health conditions using unlabelled health metrics

SKILLS & INTERESTS:

- Python (TensorFlow, pandas, numpy), C, Science Communication, Project Management
- Brain-computer interfaces, autonomous machines, volleyball, weightlifting