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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Natural Language Processing, Statistical Inference, Data Mining

## EDUCATION

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### The Ohio State University

August 2018 | Present

PhD in Computer Science and Engineering. Advisor: Prof. Srinivasan Parthasarathy

### IIT Kanpur

June 2012 | Jun 2016

B. Tech. Computer Science and Engineering. *GPA: 9.2/10*

Minor in English Literature

## EXPERIENCE

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### The Ohio State University

Columbus, Ohio

*Research Assistant*

Aug 2018 | Present

- Ontology and relation modelling in transfer learning settings
- Semantic analysis of text, including style and intent

### Adobe Research

Bengaluru, India

*Research Scientist*

June 2016 | Jul 2018

*Research Intern*

May 2015 | Jul 2015

- Natural language processing problems including summarization, computational creativity and style in text
- Statistical modelling of effectiveness with econometric methods
- Frequent itemset mining based models
- Experiment design for evaluation

### IIT Kanpur

Kanpur, India

*Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Programming*

Jan 2016 | Apr 2016

*Teaching Assistant, Data Structures and Algorithms*

Aug 2015 | Nov 2015

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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- Balaji Vasan Srinivasan, Pranav Maneriker, Kundan Krishna, and Natwar Modani. [Corpus-based Content Construction](#), Proceedings of the 27th International Conference on Computational Linguistics (COLING), 2018
- Atanu Sinha, Meghanath Macha, Pranav Maneriker, Sopan Khosla, Avani Samdariya, Navjot Singh. [Anti-Ad Blocking Strategy: Measuring its True Impact](#), 2017 TargetAd and AdKDD (KDD workshop)
- Gaurush Hiranandani, Pranav Maneriker, Harsh Jhamtani. [Generating Appealing Brand Names](#), Computational Linguistics and Intelligent Text Processing (CICLing) 2017
- Natwar Modani, Pranav Maneriker, Gaurush Hiranandani, Atanu Sinha, Utpal, Vaishnavi Subramanian, Shivani Gupta. [Summarizing Multimedia Content](#) Web Information Systems Engineering – WISE 2016

## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

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- **Aditya Birla Group Scholarship** (2012 - 2016) Awarded to about 15 students from the top Engineering Schools across India on the basis of academic and co-curricular excellence
- **Academic Excellence Award** (2013) Awarded to top 7% of the students in the university
- **International Collegiate Programming Contest** (ICPC 2014) Positioned 22<sup>nd</sup> among the top 250 teams across India in Amritapuri Regionals.
- **IIT JEE, AIEEE** (2012) Ranked 145 among 0.5 million, and 39 out of 1.2 million candidates respectively in National Engineering Entrance examinations.

## RELEVANT COURSEWORK

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Data Structures and Algorithms, Probability and Statistics, Probabilistic Machine Learning, Machine Learning for Computer Vision, Approximation Algorithms, Parallel Computing (Current)

## LANGUAGES AND FRAMEWORKS

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Languages	Java, C++, C, Python:, Bash (shell scripting), Javascript, Haskell, Ruby
Frameworks	PyTorch, Tensorflow, scikit-learn, Git, AWS

## EXTRA CURRICULAR EXPERIENCE

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- Former National Record Holder for Rubik's Cube One Handed and Fewest Moves Solving (2013). Also coordinated the activities of the Rubik's Cube Hubby Group on campus, including organizing an official World Cube Association Competition
- Actively involved in Literary Discussion Group at IIT Kanpur (2013-2016)
- Regular participant in sprint distance triathlons and up to half marathon distance runs.

## REFERENCES

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<a href="#">Dr. Srinivasan Parthasarathy</a>	<a href="#">Dr. Atanu Sinha</a>	<a href="#">Dr. Subhajit Roy</a>
Professor	Principal Scientist	Assistant Professor
Computer Science and Engg.	Adobe Research	Computer Science and Engg.
The Ohio State University	Professor Emeritus, CU Boulder	IIT Kanpur