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Professional Experience

AI Software Solutions Engineer

Intel Corporation

January'24 - Ongoing

- Developing **high-performance kernels** for deep learning operators on the upcoming Intel **GPU** using **SYCL**. Conducting runtime analysis and optimization to enhance latency, memory bandwidth, I/O access, and compute utilization, and adding **symbolic support** to handle **dynamic shapes** of the operators.
- Enhancing the software stack by creating an optimized graph in C++ to handle complex operations and utilizing MLIR types, attributes, and dialect operations.

Senior ML Engineer

Qualcomm Corporate R&D

December'22 - January'24

- Spearheaded ONNX optimizations for NLP and CV models on Qualcomm's AI100 accelerator, achieving a
 notable 8.5% performance boost for large language models (LLMs) like ChatGLM2-6B through C++ node
 fusion of layer-normalization modules.
- **Doubled the efficiency** of NLP transformer decoder models (**OPT-LLM, GPT variants**) by implementing key optimizations, including **caching Key-Value matrices** and minimizing DDR reads and writes.
- Developed a Graph Neural Network algorithm to enhance compiler efficiency, resulting in a filed patent.
- Led a three-member team in optimizing and deploying the top 120 models from Hugging Face library.

ML Engineer

Qualcomm Corporate R&D

November'20 - November'22

- Engineered software modules in C++ & Python for AI/Deep Neural Network frameworks.
- Implemented auto-detection of post-processing components for image classification and object detection models, replacing them with **optimized kernels** to improve model accuracy during **quantization**.
- Achieved a 28.2% performance improvement for NLP encoder models (BERT and variants).
- Enhanced operator support in the GLOW compiler for the Cloud AI100 SDK.

Research Assistant

IIT-Bombay

August'20 – October'20

• Developed transformer-based architecture exploring the relationship between video, audio, and text features.

Patent and Publication

U.S. Patent application 18/330,253 and 18/500,014 (*Pending*)

• Proposed "Pre-Processing For Deep Neural Network Compilation Using Graph Neural Networks," filed on June 06, 2023.

Home Automation Using Panoramic Image Using IoT (Published in 2018)

• International Conference on Recent Innovations in Electrical, Electronics & Communication Engineering (ICRIEECE).

Tech Stack for Software Development and Machine Learning

- **Programming**: Python, C++, SYCL (DPC++)
- Machine Learning Frameworks: PyTorch, ONNX, ONNX Runtime
- ML Domain & Techniques: NLP, CV, Quantization, Pruning, Node Fusion, Graph Optimization, GNN
- Others: GPU Optimization, Git, Docker, GLOW (Machine Learning Compiler)

Education

Mumbai, IN

IIT-Bombay 1

July'18 - July'20

• M.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering, July 2020. CPI: **8.43** (on scale of 10).

Mumbai, IN

University of Mumbai 1

June'14 - June'18

• B.E. in Computer Engineering, June 2018. CPI: 9.07 (on scale of 10).

Master Thesis

• Computational Model to Understand and Predict Emotions. (2020)