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#### RESEARCH INTEREST

Data Quality Management & Data Valuation in Databases and Machine Learning, Privacy Preserving Artificial Intelligence, Optimization for Machine Learning and Deep Learning

#### **PROJECTS**

- Using a Probabilistic Database in an Image Retrieval Application
  - Utilizing probabilistic data generated by YOLOv5 model for better explanation and fine grained reliability of decision making.
  - Using ProvSQL to compute the probabilities and expected Shapley values in an image retrieval system.
- Expected Shapley-Like Scores of Boolean Functions: Complexity and Applications to Probabilistic Databases)
  - Defining expected Shapley-like scores (including Banzhaf index) for queries on the tuples of a probabilistic database.
  - Computing expected Shapley-like scores on probabilistic databases in polynomial time.
  - Implementing the computation in ProvSQL.
- Marich: A Query-efficient Max-Information Model Extraction Attack using Public Data (NeurIPS 2023)
  - Model extraction attack with minimum query budget
  - Model extraction using min-max game to minimize loss between target and attacker model and maximize information leakage
  - Use of Active Sampling methods to minimize query budget by sampling high information queries
- Optimisation Algorithms Insights
  - Analysis of optimization algorithms used in Machine Learning and Deep learning through visualisation (in Python)

## **EDUCATION**

#### PhD in Computer Science

School of Computing, National University of Singapore

着 January 2023 - Present

Singapore

CGPA 4/5

MSc in Big Data Analytics

Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Educational and Research Institute

**September 2020 – July 2022** 

Belur, India

CGPA 9.25/10

BE in Electrical Engineering

**Jadavpur University** 

**Aug** 2014 - June 2018

Kolkata, India

CGPA 8.58/10

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Python
- R
- PostgreSQL
- Neo4j

### **GRADUATE COURSEWORK**

- Optimization for Machine Learning
- Data Structures and Algorithms
- Probability and Stochastic Process
- Multivariate Statistics
- Machine Learning
- Computer Vision
- · Optimization Algorithms
- Online Learning
- Artificial Intelligence
- · Deep Learning and Neural Networks II
- · Uncertainty Modeling in Al

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant (as a PhD Student) for courses:

- Data Management and Warehousing
- Database Applications Design and Tuning
- Database Technology and Management

#### **AWARDS**

- Research Achievement Award in the Academic Year 2023/2024 by the School of Computing, NUS
- Teaching Fellowship Scheme awarded by the School of Computing in 2024/2025 Semester 1

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Trainee Data Scientist** 

Abzooba India Infotech Pvt. Ltd.

**■** July 2022 - Dec 2022 Kolkata, India

Developed a data imputation framework for general use in the company's business use cases and mentored two interns on projects focused on Explainable AI.

# Graduate Engineer Trainee Vedanta Aluminium Ltd.

苗 Sept 2018 - Feb 2019 🗣 Odisha, India

Managed a team for operations and maintenance of Ash Handling Plant and Coal Handling Plant of a power plant (Electrical Department)

#### Summer Intern

Defence Research and Development Organiza-

**★** May 2017 - June 2017 **♦** Hyderabad, India

Design of Brushless DC Motors for Tactical Aerospace Vehicle