

# Pratyush Kumar Lal

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## EDUCATION

Year	Degree/Certificate	Institute	CGPA/Percentage
2021-Present	<b>B. Tech</b>	National Institute of Technology, Arunachal Pradesh	7.85
2020	<b>CBSE (XII)</b>	Sunbeam School Lahartara, Varanasi	89%
2018	<b>CBSE (X)</b>	Sunbeam School Lahartara, Varanasi	95.2%

## EXPERIENCE

### AI-Engineer & Data Science intern

May 2024 – Aug 2024

*Dimension Forge*

- Engineered AI-driven products for **image generation**, **sales chatbots**, and **automated blog generation** using **vector databases**, **RAG** and **Langchain**.
- Designed and implemented a scalable **monolithic backend architecture** with **APIs**, utilizing **FastAPI**, **AWS (EC2, S3)**, and **Docker** for containerized deployment, while **fine-tuning LLMs** using **LoRA**.
- Resolved SDXL's **77-token limitation** by implementing **vector concatenation** with **PyTorch**, enabling high-quality image generation, and **collaborated** with **stakeholders** to optimize workflows.

### AI-Dev Intern

Jan 2024 – March 2024

*Synergy ML*

- Improved **PII detection** in **data processing systems** by optimizing a Microsoft library configurations, enhancing **data security** and **regulatory compliance**.
- Developed an **SDK** as a **PyPI package** for **RESTful API** integration; implemented **CI/CD pipelines** with **GitHub Workflows** and created **developer documentation**.
- Boosted **server performance** by optimizing **Gunicorn worker threads** with **gevent** and **eventlet**, improving **throughput by 30%**. and improved **codebase security** with **PyArmor obfuscation**.

## PROJECTS

### NER model for Tax Data | *Code*

- Trained an **NER model** for a **237,016-entry dataset** of **OCR-extracted text** focusing on entity extraction/classification and addressing missing values and class imbalance.
- Built and evaluated an **ANN**, achieving an **F1 score of 0.928**, and **improved performance** with **XGBoost (F1 score of 0.972)** and evaluated F1 scores using fieldwise metrics for each class.

### Trading Strategy and Closing Price Prediction | *Code*

- Extracted tick-level data of cryptocurrencies in bins of varying time intervals from **Bitmex exchange** via **API**
- Predicted market sentiments for trading strategy and used **XGBoost** to get an **f1-score of 0.67**.
- Predicted closing prices of securities using a four-layer neural network with two **LSTM layers** and optimised results.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** Python, C/C++, SQL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS

**Libraries & Frameworks:** FastAPI, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Tensorflow, Pytorch

**Developer Tools:** Git, Github, Docker, AWS, VS Code, Jupyter Notebook

**Operating Systems:** Window, Linux(Ubuntu)

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Achieved **top 2% ranking** out of 31,000 teams in a **national level case study competition** organised by **NAMO**
- Secured **2nd position** in **Computex Cup (Addovedi)** at **NIT Arunachal Pradesh**.
- Awarded a **Silver Certificate** for the **C++ NPTEL course** by **IIT Bombay**.
- Cleared **JEE Mains** and **NTSE Stage 1** (2018).
- Achieved **4th position** in the **Inter-NIT Coding Competition (NSCC)**.