Tasdik Rahman

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Work Experience Razorpay (YC W15), Bangalore: Infrastructure Engineer,

July, 2017 - Present

• Enabling scale @ Razorpay as part of a 4 member Infra team.

CISCO, Bangalore: Software Engg. Intern, Security Business Group Jan, 2017 - June, 2017

- Rewrote an internal service previously a monolith to a micro-services based architecture (RabbitMQ, federation, AMQP protocol, docker, distributed systems)
- Implemented a POC to integrate ELK Stack to an existing appliance framework for real time log aggregation, analysis and querying (Elasticsearch, Logstash, Kibana)

Wingify, New Delhi: Software Engg. Intern, VWO Team

June, 2016 - August, 2016

- Integration of StatsD and Graphite for visualization of real time data consumption from RabbitMQ Work queues by an internal service on an array of production servers.
- Bumblebee: Custom Slack Bot for VWO Enterprise customers to get all campaign information, start/stop/pause, share campaigns etc. for their account right from their slack channel.
- Improved performance by 23.6% for an internal *flask* powered REST API used for report generation by the VWO app. Did so by refactoring existing codebase and implementing different algorithmic approaches.

OPEN SOURCE

Google Summer of Code: oVirt Org under RedHat

Summer 2017

• Responsible for writing new Ansible playbooks for roles with remote resources (Database, Data Warehouse) and other oVirt-utilities which would directly help in Easier testing, Automated Re-deployment and Reduced errors while deploying, Issue reporting et al.

EDUCATION

B.Tech in Information Technology, SRM University, India

2013 - 2017

• CGPA of **9.133/10**

TECHNICAL SKILLS Strongest Areas - Linux, Backend, DevOps

Languages - Python, Go, C/C++, Java, Shell Script

Tools/Frameworks - Ansible, Django, Flask, NLTK, Docker, Redis, RabbitMQ, Git, LAMP Stack, AWS, DigitalOcean, Heroku, SQLite, Travis-CI

NOTEWORTHY PROJECTS

All projects are available on Github: github.com/tasdikrahman

• SRM Search Engine: Senior DevOps & Backend developer

A General Purpose Search Engine, funded by "National Internet Exchange of India". Oversaw migration to Flask based app from a legacy CGI service. Helped write RESTful API's for various smart modules for our search service. Wrote scripts to automate the maintenance of our server. Crawlers to extract & index millions of pages, using NLP techniques to clear irrelevant data. Helped design & set up a 15 node, master-slave architecture Hadoop cluster.

• Plino: Founder & Backend developer

Conceived plino, a high accuracy spam filtering system built on top of a custom Naive Bayes

Classifier, trained against 33,000 emails. Designed & developed RESTful APIs using Flask.

Implemented Caching for server load reduction. Achieved over 3000+ users in our 1st version.

• spammy github.com/tasdikrahman/spammy/
Custom Naive Bayes classifier installable as a *pip module*. Can be trained on your own dataset for classifying emails into spam/ham. Accuracy achieved: 80% - 90%. Classifier object

can be serialized for later use, to avoid repeating training process. Powers the web app, "Plino". Downloaded over 1000+ times.

• easyrbac

github.com/tasdikrahman/easyrbac/

A pip module, which allows you add Role Based Access Control to your application using which you can include fine grained rules specifying which role has access to what kind of resources. An implementation of Prof. Sandhu's paper

• Space Shooter

github.com/tasdikrahman/spaceShooter/

A Pygame based classic 2D shooting game recreated in Python. Features include collision detection algorithms for sprites, high FPS flicker-free 2D animations, hot keys and space simulation. Cross platform Executables available for Linux/BSD, Windows, MAC OS based systems.

tnote

github.com/tasdikrahman/tnote/

A cross platform, command line note taking app built using python. Ability to add/remove tags & timestamp in notes. Supports Full text search based on content and tags & highlights the match if found. Encrypted the Database using AES-256 in CBC mode. Peewee used as ORM.

& Awards

- ACHIEVEMENTS Special mention among the winners for our project at the annual Engineering Hackathon at CISCO competing among 24 teams.
 - SRM Search Engine got covered thrice in *Times Of India*, a leading newspaper & by the TV Channel, *Vasanth TV*.
 - Space Shooter got featured by Softpedia, importpython, Python Digest, Pychina.org, dighub.ru, oschina.net, mybridge.co, recordnotfound.com, neuropuff.com & Product Hunt in games genre.
 - Plino got featured on *Product Hunt* in tech genre.
 - vocabulary got featured by Pycoders, Python Weekly & Import Python.
 - tnote got featured by Import Python & Python Weekly.
 - spammy got featured by *Import Python* & the hugely popular "awesome-machine-learning" on Github, under Natural Language Processing tools.
 - Senior Member of the College Coding Club, Code Rumble.
 - Silver Member of SRM Innovation and Incubation Club.

TECHNICAL Talks given

- "Diving deep on how imports work in Python", PyCon Taiwan June 2017
- "Introduction to Ansible", Bangalore Python User group April'17 Meetup
- "Demystifying how imports work in Python", ChennaiPy October'16 Meetup

HACKATHONS

- Team Leader for the Intern group during the Annual Internal Engg. Team hackathon at CISCO.
- Team Leader for a group of 5 at "Startup Weekend, Chennai" (2015)

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