# RAJA SAIF ALI

## **BACHELOR IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**

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#### PROJECTS:

#### MNIST Neural Network Acceleration on GPU (C/CUDA)

Implemented a GPU-accelerated neural network for MNIST digit classification using CUDA in C/C++.
 Optimized matrix operations with custom CUDA kernels for parallel training and inference, achieving significant runtime reduction over CPU-based approaches.

#### **Autonomous Driving Model for TORCS (Python, LSTM)**

Developed an LSTM-based behavioral cloning model for autonomous driving in the TORCS simulator.
 Automated telemetry data collection to build a dataset of 1M+ samples, enabling the model to learn control strategies and race competitively against Al opponents.

### IPFS-Based Distributed File Storage using Ring DHT (C++, SHA-1, B-Trees)

Implemented a simplified IPFS model using a configurable Ring DHT with SHA-1-based content
addressing. Simulated geo-distributed file storage across machines, using B-Trees for local indexing and
modular routing tables for efficient O(log(N)) lookup. Supported real-time file insertion/removal, dynamic
node joining/leaving, and complete path traceability across the network.

#### Online Quiz Management System (Django, SQLite, HTML/CSS/JS)

Built a full-stack web platform to support automated quiz scheduling, grading, and performance tracking.
 Integrated Django for the backend and SQLite for persistent storage; designed responsive UI for seamless teacher-student interaction.

#### GYM Autonomous System (JavaFX, FXML, JavaScript)

 Created a desktop application for gym activity tracking. Enabled user registration, personalized training plans, and trainer-student management. Employed JavaFX with FXML for the UI and Java for backend logic, simulating real-world system automation.

#### Parallel IST Construction in Bubble-Sort Networks (C++, OpenMP, MPI, METIS)

• Engineered a fully parallel algorithm (complexity O(n·n!)) for constructing independent spanning trees in Bubble-Sort Networks. Utilized OpenMP and MPI for hybrid parallelism and METIS for optimized graph partitioning, demonstrating scalable high-performance computing.

#### **EDUCATION**

#### FAST, NUCES Islamabad | 2022-2026

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

6 Semesters in

#### The PEACE Group of School and Colleges Mansehra | 2020-2022

Fundamental of Sciences in Pre-Engineering

Percentage: 92.18%

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

**Programming Languages:** Python, C/C++, Java, JavaScript, MASM, C# **ML & Deep Learning:** LSTM, Behavioral Cloning, CUDA Acceleration

Frameworks & Libraries: CUDA Toolkit, Django, SFML, JavaFX, FXML, OpenMP, MPI, METIS

Web Development: HTML, CSS, JavaScript (Frontend), Django (Backend)

Databases: SQLite, MongoDB, SQL

**Tools & Technologies:** Git, Jupyter Notebook, Visual Studio, IntelliJ IDEA **Game Development:** Collision Detection, Particle Systems, Al Behavior Design

#### **INTERESTS**

Al/ML & Computer Vision: Deep learning for image recognition, object detection, and semantic segmentation. Image Processing: Techniques for image enhancement, feature extraction, and pattern recognition. High-Performance Computing: Leveraging CUDA and parallel computing for scalable AI solutions