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EDUCATION

- **BRAC University** Mohakhali, Dhaka
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science; CGPA: 3.75/4.00 *Jan 2012 – Aug 2016*

EXPERIENCE

- **Therap (BD) Ltd.** Banani, Dhaka
Software Engineer, System Architecture Team *Oct 2016 - Present*
 - **About:** Therap (BD) Ltd. is a fully owned subsidiary of Therap Services LLC, USA. Therap is an online documentation, reporting and communication software suite for agencies supporting individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (I/DD).
 - **Core Responsibilities:** As a full-stack developer for the system team, I write and maintain modules mostly related to system administration and user login. Additionally, I write programs critical to the performance and security of the system. Finally, I authored front-end and back-end libraries that other teams use internally for their development.
 - **Core Technologies:** Java EE, Spring, Hibernate, Javascript, SQL, Oracle Weblogic, Gradle, Git, Bash.
- **BRAC University** Mohakhali, Dhaka
Teaching Assistant *Jan 2014 – Aug 2016*
 - **Data Structures:** Taught Data Structures for a total of five semesters. I graded quizzes and assembled supplementary practice material for students
 - **Discrete Mathematics:** Taught Discrete Mathematics for one semester grading quizzes and providing supplementary learning materials.

DEEP LEARNING

- **Degree Thesis** *Jan 2016 – Oct 2016*
Comparative Analysis Between Learning Models Using Facial Expression Recognition
 - **Objective:** Our objective was to investigate how efficiently Google's Inception-v3 deep neural network architecture performed in comparison to some popular variants of SVMs at the time, a few shallow neural nets and a CNN model designed by us in a computationally harsh environment such as mobile GPU.
 - **Results:** We found that the Inception-v3 module outperformed all previous benchmarks and provided the best although actually testing the performance of each model in a mobile device was left as future work.
 - **Link:** Comparative Analysis Between Inception-v3 And Other Learning Systems Using Facial Expression Recognition
- **Deep Learning Specialization** *Dec 2016 – Mar 2017*
Five course Coursera specialization taught by Prof. Andrew Ng of Stanford University
 - **Course 1: Neural Networks and Deep Learning:**
 - * Understand the major technology trends driving Deep Learning
 - * Be able to build, train and apply fully connected deep neural networks
 - * Know how to implement efficient (vectorized) neural networks
 - * Understand the key parameters in a neural network's architecture
 - **Course 2: Improving Deep Neural Networks, Hyperparameter tuning, Regularization and Optimization:**
 - * Understand industry best-practices for building deep learning applications.
 - * Be able to effectively use the common neural network "tricks", including initialization, L2 and dropout regularization, Batch normalization, gradient checking
 - * Be able to implement and apply a variety of optimization algorithms, such as mini-batch gradient descent, Momentum, RMSprop and Adam, and check for their convergence.
 - * Understand new best-practices for the deep learning era of how to set up train/dev/test sets and analyze bias/variance
 - * Be able to implement a neural network in TensorFlow.

- **Course 3: Structuring Machine Learning Projects:**
 - * Understand how to diagnose errors in a machine learning system, and
 - * Be able to prioritize the most promising directions for reducing error
 - * Understand complex ML settings, such as mismatched training/test sets, and comparing to and/or surpassing human-level performance
 - * Know how to apply end-to-end learning, transfer learning, and multi-task learning
- **Course 4: Convolutional Neural Networks:**
 - * Understand how to build a convolutional neural network, including recent variations such as residual networks.
 - * Know how to apply convolutional networks to visual detection and recognition tasks.
 - * Know to use neural style transfer to generate art.
 - * Be able to apply these algorithms to a variety of image, video, and other 2D or 3D data.
- **Course 5: Sequence Models:**
 - * Understand how to build and train Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs), and commonly-used variants such as GRUs and LSTMs.
 - * Be able to apply sequence models to natural language problems, including text synthesis.
 - * Be able to apply sequence models to audio applications, including speech recognition and music synthesis.

Books

- *Deep learning with Python by Francois Chollet of Google Brain*
 - **Review:** This book by the author of Keras (framework for TensorFlow) himself is a first class, hands on, deep dive into the essentials and best practices of Deep Learning. Working with real datasets, the book does a fantastic job explaining and implementing advanced concepts such as Transfer Learning, Text and Image Generation with Variable Autoencoders, and Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs)

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

- **Languages:** Python, Keras, TensorFlow, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, SciPy, Pytorch