# Rohan Mehra

# Graduate Student in Computer Science

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#### Education

#### 2021 - 2025 BS in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, IISER Bhopal, India

- O Grade: 8.92/10
- O Selected Courses: Data Science and Machine Learning, Multi-agent Reinforcement Learning, Algorithms, Operating System, Computer Organization, Theory of Computation, Probability and Statistics, Linear Algebra, Competitive Programming.
- 2019 2021 Intermediate/+2 (Class XII), AMU Board, SHSSS, Aligarh Muslim University, India
  - O Grade: 96.8/100
  - First Division with distinction in Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Biology, English (core).

### Research Experience

# May - July Institut Pascal, CNRS, Université Clermont Auvergne, France, Research Intern

- (2025), (2024) O Advised by Dr. Mathieu Labussière as part of ComSee team.
  - Demonstrated SWIR images' effectiveness with deep learning models in adverse weather conditions.
    - Worked with GAN-based and diffusion-based approaches for synthetic generation of SWIR images.
    - Models worked on include Grounded SAM, YOLO [Sem. Segmentation] and CUT, CycleGAN, Pix2Pix, BBDM [GANs & diffusion-based]
  - Jan April IISER Bhopal, India, BS Project Student
    - 2025 O Advised by Dr. Arpit Sharma at the Dept. of EECS.
    - Worked on using Zero-Shot Learning model for Sector Classification, utilizing the CrowdRE dataset.
      - Used models including Sentence-BERT, All-MiniLM-L12, Bert4RE and BERTOverflow
  - May July Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology, Research Intern
    - 2023 O Advised by Prof. Deepak Mishra as part of the CVVR Lab
      - Worked on robotics and implementation of SLAM through Kalman filter and EFK Methods.
        - Used Robot Operating System (ROS), RViz, and Gazebo.

## **Publications and Preprints**

[Upcoming] Rohan Mehra, Alexandre Riffard, Mathieu Labussière, Pierre Duthon, Romuald Aufrère, "Would SWIR modality help for detection and segmentation in harsh weather conditions? An experimental study", Accepted at ICCV Workshop on Multispectral Imaging for Robotics and Automation (ICCVW), 2025.

## Teaching Experience

- 2024, 2023 Basic Electronics, IISER Bhopal
  - Teaching Assistant for an undergraduate class of 180 students twice for 2024-25/2023-24 Semester I.
  - Conducted tutorial sessions, prepared assignment solutions, and provided one-to-one guidance.

## Academic Projects

- 2025 Risk-Aware Multi-Epoch Package Delivery Planning, IISER Bhopal
  - Used greedy algorithm to solve package delivery problems while balancing risk and reward.
    - O Developed a GUI-based visualization tool using Tkinter and Matplotlib.
- 2024 Training Multi-Robot Warehouse (RWARE) Environment, IISER Bhopal
  - Trained robots for optimized coordination in the RWARE environment.
    - Employed Deep Q-Network (DQN) for efficient learning.

#### 2024 Implementation of Grover's Algorithm, IISER Bhopal

- ○ Implemented Grover's Algorithm for the 3-SAT problem demonstrating quantum speedup.
  - O Utilized PennyLane for designing quantum circuits.

#### 2023 Prediction of Mortality Rate of Heart Failure Patients in ICU, IISER Bhopal

- O Built a classification model to predict ICU mortality in heart failure patients.
  - Utilized Random Forest, Logistic Regression, and AdaBoost etc. for model development.

#### 2022 Extraction and Analysis of Social Media Posts, IISER Bhopal

- O Reviewed literature analyzing social media data to study behaviors linked to eating disorders.
- O Performed web scraping using Twitter APIs for data collection and analysis

#### Technical Skills

Languages Python, C++, C, Java

Frameworks PyTorch, Tensorflow

Software ROS, Gazebo, MATLAB, Git, LATEX, Wolfram Mathematica

### External/Online Courses

- Introduction to Deep Learning & Neural Networks with Keras Coursera (Offered by IBM)
- Machine Learning with Python Coursera (Offered by IBM)
- Image Processing Onramp, Simulink Onramp, MATLAB Onramp MathWorks

### Achievements/Fellowships

#### 2025 MIAI Cluster Excellence Scholarship

Selected for Excellence Scholarship program offered by the Multidisciplinary Institute in Artificial Intelligence (MIAI) in France to pursue Masters at ISIMA, Clermont Auvergne INP.

#### 2024 IASc-INSA-NASI Summer Research Fellowship

[Declined]

Selected for summer research fellowship jointly offered by the Indian Academy of Sciences, Indian National Science Academy, and National Academy of Sciences, awarded to the top  $\sim$ 5% of applicants.

2021 Indian Maritime University (IMU) Undergraduate Admissions

Secured All India Rank 9 out of 14,108 ranked candidates, placing in the top 0.1% nationwide.

#### Positions of Responsibility And Extra-Curriculars

- 2024 2025 Student Placement Coordinator, Department of EECS, IISER Bhopal, Bhopal, India
  - Assisted the placement cell in all placement and internship activities.
  - O Acted as a link between students, the department, and the placement cell.
- 2023 2024 Cultural Secretary, IISER Bhopal, Bhopal, India
  - Elected representative of the general student body for organizing all cultural events at IISER Bhopal.
  - Led the team of 70 performers to the the Inter IISER Cultural Meet 2023 held at IISER Mohali.
  - 2022 NCC 'B' Certificate, National Cadet Corps, India, Aligarh, India
    - O Passed NCC 'B' certificate training examination from 8 UP BN NCC, AMU Campus.
    - Achievement: Part of a National Integration Camp, EBSB(VII) between UP and MPCG Directorate.

#### Languages

- English Full Professional Proficiency
- Hindi Native Proficiency
- French Limited Working Proficiency

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