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#### **EDUCATION**

## **MAPUA UNIVERSITY (2019 - 2023)**

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Data Science Specialization Running Average: 1.90 *Courses Taken:* Data Warehousing, Computer Network (CISCO), Data Structure and Algorithms, Algorithms and Complexity, Computer Architecture and Organization, Essentials of SAS, It Infrastructure Library Foundation (ITIL)

#### **SKILLS**

Python (Pandas, Numpy ), C++, PowerBI, SAS, SAP (Basic), RapidMiner, Data Warehousing (Kafka, Spark, Hive), Unix commands (basic), SQL, Microsoft Excel, HTML and CSS, Research.

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Machine Learning Intern - OpenGenus (July 2022 - Present)

- Tasked to write machine learning articles.
- Topics include: Hashing function and Neural Networks.
- Remote and flexible internship program.

**Research intern -** Jesse Robredo Institute of Governance (May - July 2018)

- Assigned to research on e-governance in the Philippines
- Encoded raw data to research

### **ACADEMIC PROJECTS**

### **Netflix Movie and Series Suggestions**

- o Data science project using python.
- o Collected and processed commonly used words per genre in different movies and series using Netflix India Dataset
- o Create topics/groups for different movies/shows. This is helpful for assigning genres and movie recommendations.

## Motorcycle Helmet Detection and Classification in the Philippines

- o Coded in python using object detection models: Yolov5, Yolov7, and DeepSORT
- Classified motorcycle riders and helmet types from video input.

# **Big Data Streaming Pipeline and Integration Platform**

- o Developed a streaming data pipeline that flows data continuously from source to destination
- o Created a database using MySQL to store incoming data from a data producer.
- o Implemented using Connectors using Cassandra and Kafka, Python, MySQL, and Ubuntu.

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

Data Warehouse Concepts, Design, and Data Integration - (University of Colorado/ Coursera)
Software Development Processes and Methodologies - (University of Minnesota/Coursera)
Introduction to Data Science in Python - (University of Michigan/ Coursera)
Operating Systems and You: Becoming a Power User - (Google / Coursera)

#### **COMPETITIONS**

1st Runner-up Team Cardinal Dynamics - Globe & AWS Inter-University DeepRacer League 2023

- o Trained a reinforcement AI model for a self-driving car using Python using AWS console.
- o Our team of three won 1st runner up out of 20 different teams from different universities.