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## Skills

### **Programming languages**

Python, MATLAB, C, C++, JavaScript, Verilog, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

### **Deep learning**

PyTorch, torchvision, torchtext, scikit-learn

### **Image processing**

scikit-image, OpenCV, PIL

### **Data mining**

Google BigQuery, SQL

### **Applications**

Xilinx Vivado, Microsoft Azure, Keil  $\mu$ Vision

### **Hardware**

Raspberry Pi, Arduino, Xilinx Nexys-4

### **Web/app development**

Django, React, React Native, JavaScript

## Projects

### **Deep learning for colon cancer detection**

Design and development of an automated colon cancer detection system from H&E stained histopathology images.

### **Emotion recognition using physiological signals**

Designing an embedded system to recognize emotions using ECG, GSR and SKT signals with deep learning.

### **Deep learning for kidney cancer detection**

Segmentation of nuclei in histopathology images of kidney tissues to improve the automated diagnosis of cancer using deep convolutional neural networks.

### **Detecting Ponzi schemes in Ethereum smart-contracts**

Using semi-supervised learning on raw bytecode of smart contracts deployed on the Ethereum blockchain mined using Google BigQuery.

### **Fake news detector**

Classifying news articles on a scale from true to fake to help prevent the spread of fake news using natural language processing.

### **Real-time face detection and recognition**

Building a real time face detection and recognition system using OpenCV, scikit-learn and dlib on a Raspberry Pi.

### **Space-Time Adaptive Processing in radars**

Studying Radar Signal Processing and implementing Space-time Adaptive Processing(STAP) in a radar in MATLAB.

### **Spell checker**

A command line based spell checker written in C.

## Education

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| National Institute of Technology Karnataka, India<br><i>B.Tech in Electronics and Communications Engineering</i> | 2017-2021(expected) |
| Little Rock Indian School, Karnataka, India<br><i>K-12</i>   | 2004-2017           |

## Course Work

Digital signal processing in Python, Digital system design in Verilog, Embedded system design, Microprocessors, Control Systems, Numerical Analysis, Data structures and algorithms, Digital & Analog electronics, Digital & Analog communication

## Awards and Honors

School topper in Math(99/100) and English(98/100) in Grade 12  
Top 1%(CGPA 10.0) in India in Grade 10

## Experience

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| <b>Research Assistant</b><br><i>Under Dr. Shyam Lal - NITK, India</i><br>Design and development of automated colon cancer detection system from H&E stained histopathological images.  | October 2019 - Present   |
| <b>Research Intern</b><br><i>Under Dr. Shyam Lal - NITK, India</i><br>Worked on building deep learning models for the segmentation of H&E stained histopathology images of kidney tissues to improve the automated diagnosis of kidney cancer.   | May 2019 - July 2019     |
| <b>Frontend Engineer</b><br><i>IRIS-NITK, India</i><br>Worked on building the frontend for the official student management portal 'IRIS' with more than five thousand daily active users including students, faculty, administrators and alumni.<br>Mentored a freshman intern on frontend testing using JavaScript - Winter 2018. | August 2018 - April 2019 |
| <b>Python Developer</b><br><i>Pinnacle Media, Manipal, India</i><br>Worked on implementing real time face detection and recognition using OpenCV, dlib and scikit-learn on a Raspberry Pi.   | May 2018 - July 2018     |

## Interests

Medical imaging, biomedical signal processing, computer vision, cybernetics, augmented reality