Saksham Bassi

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Interests

My primary research interests lie in Computer Vision, Time-series analysis and modeling, and Deep Learning.

#### EDUCATION

Pune Institute of Computer Technology, University of Pune

Pune, India

Bachelor of Engineering in Information Technology; GPA: 8.67/10.0

July 2015 - June 2019

Apeejay School

Mumbai, India

Higher Secondary CBSE, Computer Science; GPA: 93.2%

July 2014 - June 2015

#### Experience

**HSBC** Pune, India

Software Engineer

July 2019 - Present

o Data Science: Gaining insights through Data and building applications in Global markets team

## Tata Institute of Fundamental Research

Bangalore, India

Research Intern - Advisor: Prof. A. S. Vasudeva Murthy

Jan 2019 - June 2019

- o Time-series modeling: Modeling and factorization of time-series using statistical features in interdisciplinary fields like astronomy, finance, mathematical time-series, currency exchange [paper; accepted in International Journal of Advances in Engineering Sciences and Applied Mathematics]
- o Computer Vision: Precision Agriculture identifying diseases in farm fields using computer vision techniques on drone images with Dr. Kota Harinarayana and Dr. Vidyadhar Mudkavi [report]
- Structural patterns: Analyzing the structural patterns in time-series of Onion retail prices using various mathematical techniques to conclude about the seasonality and effects caused by external factors [in submission]

# Inter-University Center for Astronomy and Astrophysics

Pune, India

Research Intern - Advisor: Dr. Kaushal Sharma

Feb 2018 - Dec 2018

o Deep Learning: Classification using 1D and 2D neural networks to classify variable star classes; CNN on magnitude and time mappings, CNN-LSTM on time-series data [paper; in submission]

Asquared IoT Pune, India

Research Intern - Mentor: Dr. Anand Deshpande

Aug 2018 - May 2019

• Research: Audio signal processing and deep learning on the sound sensors data to qualitatively assess industrial processes

#### Promethean Energy

Mumbai, India

Nov 2017 - Jan 2018

Software Engineering Intern

- Analytics: Flask dashboard to analyze anomalies' patterns on time-series sensor data
- Optimization: Reduced MongoDB query time by 90%, improved MEAN web-app load time by 50%

# Redesyn

Mumbai, India

Software Engineering Intern

May 2017 - June 2017

o Development: Creation of Ruby mailer methods and activity logs for thousands of customers

## Publications & Projects

- Saksham Bassi\*, Atharva Gomekar\*, A. S. Vasudeva Murthy\*. A learning algorithm for time-series based on statistical features. International Journal of Advances in Engineering Sciences and Applied Mathematics.
- Saksham Bassi\*, Atharva Gomekar\*. Deep Learning Diagnosis of Skin Lesions. In International Conference on Computing, Communication and Networking Technologies, 2019.

- Data Pipeline & Task Management: Developed web-app based on Flask and MySQL as database for handling company's daily tasks like employee task assigning with dynamic Kanban, managing clients and providing various employees' functions. [source]
- MusicLSTM: Long short-term memory models trained on various song inputs to generate similar new songs.
- Brand hype Sentiment Analysis: Presents hype percentage of mobile brands based on the polarity of tweets on respective brands which helps in driving marketing decisions. [source]
- Unsupervised segmentation: Deep learning model to automatically assign labels to pixels by learning to identify objects in images and segmenting them with different colours.

# Presentations & Events

- HSBC Global Graduate Induction, *London*, *August 2019*: Interactions with fellow graduates and talked about my undergrad research experience.
- International Conference on Computing, Communication and Networking Technologies, *IIT Kanpur*, *July 2019*: Presented research work of Deep Learning Diagnosis of Skin Lesions.
- International Centre for Theoretical Sciences, *Bangalore*, *May 2019*: Presentation on research work on time-series modeling using statistical features.
- Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, *Bangalore*, *May 2019*: Presentation on research study and computer vision algorithms for Precision Agriculture.
- Pune Institute of Computer Technology, *Pune*, *May 2018*: Research based seminar on Cryptography using neural networks.

#### KEY SKILLS

- Fields: Machine Learning, Data Science, Analytics, Software Development, Web Scraping
- Languages: Python, C++, Ruby, JavaScript, NodeJS, Angular