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#### **E**DUCATION

### Indian Institute of Technology (BHU), Varanasi

**July 2015 – 2019 (Expected)** 

• B. Tech. in Electronics Engineering (CGPA:8.24)

# City International School, Pune (CBSE)

• All India Senior School Certificate Examination (Percentage: 93.00 %)

2014

All India Secondary School Examination (CGPA: 10)

2012

#### TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

#### Summer Internship at Amazon Development Center, India

May - July, 2018

- Development of backend Coral APIs for content management on Amazon based educational portal.
- Designed and implemented a Lambda JAVA package to receive streams from DynamoDB, process it and feed it to AWS Elasticsearch.
- · Used Spring framework, Dependency Injection, Aspect Oriented Programming and wrote JUnit tests.

#### **PROJECTS**

# Metaheuristic algorithms for optimization

March - May, 2018

- Department Project under Dr. M.Thottappan of the Electronics department, IIT BHU.
- Learning, implementing and comparing metaheuristic algorithms like Particle Swarm Optimization, Grey Wolf Optimization, etc., to optimize device parameters for maximizing the output power in MILO devices.

#### Hand Gesture Recognition using Image processing and Machine Learning

February- April, 2017

- Exploratory Project under Dr. Kishor Sarawadekar of the Electronics department, IIT BHU.
- Obtained wrist points and features and used them to classify gestures in images using Random Forest Algorithm.

  This was part of a larger project for aiding the visually impaired to operate computers.

#### **Autonomous Image Processing Robot**

March, 2016

• Constructed a robot that uses feed from overhead camera and applies image processing techniques to accomplish various tasks in Pixelate, Technex, Annual Technical Fest of IIT BHU.

# **Gesture Controlled Image editor**

February, 2016

 Built hand gesture controlled Image editor (features like zoom, crop, cut, paste, rotate and save) on MATLAB, using image processing and machine learning (logistic regression).

### ACHIEVEMENTS / EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Kshitij, IIT Kharagpur- 2017: Secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in 'Conquest' (an image processing event).
- Coordinated Cryptography event 'Spy Bits' with participation of over 100 students, Udyam-2018.
- Tutored a batch of 120 students for Computer programming course (CSO-101), IIT BHU (Jan May, 2018)
- Participated in Microsoft Code.fun.do, 2017 :

Developed an app for citizen safety and ranked in top 24 teams of IIT BHU.

- UDYAM 2016, Technical fest Of Electronics Engineering society, IIT BHU:
  - Awarded as the **Best First Yearite of Electronics department** 2015-16.
  - Secured **2**<sup>nd</sup> position in 'Funckit' (Event to make a calculator using ICs).
  - Secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position in 'Continuum' (Event based on Analog circuit design).
- Actively contributes to Open Source on Github.
- Secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in Intra Freshers Girls Volleyball Tournament.
- Participated in Street Play Competition of Kashiyatra, Annual Cultural Fest of IIT BHU, 2016.

# SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- Languages: C++, C, Python, SQL (basic), Java (basic)
- Technologies: Visual Studio, Git, MATLAB, AWS (DynamoDB, Elasticsearch, Lambda), Windows Azure
- Operating Systems: Linux kernel based (Ubuntu and OSX), Windows
- · Areas of Interest: Data Structures, Algorithms, Machine Learning, Web Development, Image Processing

# Personal Information

Gender: Female
Nationality: Indian
Date of Birth: October 4, 1996
Languages: English, Hindi, Odia