Samarth Mishra

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EDUCATION

• Georgia Institute of Technology Masters in CS with specialisation in ML Atlanta, GA

Expected December 2018 Mumbai, India

• Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay **B.** Tech (Honors) in CS and Minor in EE (GPA: 9.46/10)

2013-2017

Work EXPERIENCE Software Engineering Intern

Samsung HQ, Seoul

Summer 2016

- Ported a host based intrusion detection system for linux onto Samsung's Tizen OS
- Developed an application for Tizen 3.0 for process monitoring via log parsing
- App features a user-friendly UI, notification alerts and active response to misbehaving processes

Visiting Scientist

IST Austria

Summer 2015

- Built an implementation for weighted recursive state machines (RSMs)
- Implemented a reachability algorithm on RSMs with finite-height semiring weights
- Established significant speed improvement over jMoped. Results published in ESOP '17

Teaching Assistant

IIT Bombay

2015-17

Teaching Assistant for 3 courses in Computer Science and Mathematics at IIT Bombay: Computer Networks, Intro to Computer Programming, Intro to Linear Algebra

Placement Coordinator

Dept of CS, IIT Bombay

2016-17

Elected by students of department of computer science, IIT Bombay. Conducted informatory and preparatory sessions such as resume making, interview prep, coding tests, etc.

Projects

KEY ACADEMIC Developmental Deep Learning

(Special Problem)

Ongoing

- Comparing learning for object recognition in modern deep nets with learning in human babies
- Extending previous work on iterative machine teaching to come up with optimal learning sequences
- Coming up with a simple stochastic model for generating object sequences

Kernel Dictionary Learning

(B. Tech Thesis)

2016-17

- Implemented kernel dictionary learning on spherical manifold. Compared vs a euclidean baseline
- Experimented with different regularizers like different p-norms, graph regularization
- Analysed data from different experiments to demonstrate trends indicated by theory

Medical Image Segmentation: DeepCut

Spring 2017

- Implemented **deepcut** to segment out heart from chest MR images
- Used a conv net to learn soft segmentation from user provided bounding box annotations
- Employed a dense CRF to regularize, and find hard segmentation using graph cut

Reinforcement Learning: Carrom playing bot

Implemented and evaluated three different strategies (deep Q-learning, deep deterministic policy gradients, and hand coding heuristics) for building a carrom playing bot

Equillibria in multiplayer timed games

(RnD project)

Fall 2015

Proved undecidability of determining the existence of cost-bounded (Nash, Stackelberg or Incentive) equilibrium for a timed multiplayer non-competetive game with 3 or more clocks

SKILLS AND Interests

- Software skills: C | C++ | Java | Python | MATLAB | LATEX 2_E | HTML | Javascript | CSS | Numpy | Pandas | Tensorflow | Git | Bash | Hadoop | Pig | Spark | D3
- Interested in Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Computer Vision
- Trained in Indian classical vocal music. Can play basic guitar

Publications

Krishnendu Chatterjee, Bernhard Kragl, Samarth Mishra, Andreas Pavlogiannis:

Faster Algorithms for Weighted Recursive State Machines.

26th European Symposium on Programming (ESOP), 2017

ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

- Awarded Institute Academic Prize, IIT Bombay

2014

• All India Rank 30 in JEE-Main among 1.3 million candidates

2013 2013

• Gold medal in Indian National Physics Olympiad for being among top 35 in India

• PM's Trophy Scholarship, awarded by Steel Authority of India Ltd.

2013-172012-13

• Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY) scholar: All India Rank 27

• National Talent Search Examination (NTSE) scholar

2009-12

EXTRA-Curricular ACTIVITIES

- Web and Coding Club Hackathon, 2014: built an ad-removing chrome extension
- 3rd position in Entertainment Quiz, Freshiezza, IIT Bombay 2013
- Semi-finalist, Prof. Brahm Prakash Memorial Materials Quiz, IIM Kalpakkam, 2012