SHAIL PATEL

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OBJECTIVE

Seeking dynamic challenges to leverage my skills in Python and Machine Learning sharpened by an internship experience. Aiming to drive innovation in Technology industry. Committed to continuous learning and poised to make contributions while embracing new opportunities in the field of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning.

EDUCATION

• NC State University, Raleigh, NC

August, 2024 - May, 2026

Master of Computer Science

GPA: 4/4

Coursework: Automated Learning and Data Analysis, Artificial Intelligence, Foundations of Data Science

• Dharmsinh Desai University, Gujarat, India

October, 2020 - May, 2024

Bachelor of Information Technology

GPA: 9.06/10

Coursework: Data Structures, Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Computer and Communication Networks, Microprocessor, Database Management, Software Engineering, Advanced Java and Web Technology

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Programming Languages: C/ C++, Python, Java, C#, JavaScript, Prolog, LaTex, MySQL, XML
- Frameworks: ASP.NET, AngularJS, Hibernate, AJAX, Django, Flask
- Tools: CUDA, Git, Visual Studio, VS Code, Jupyter Notebook, Google Colab, Netbeans, Excel, Word, PowerPoint
- Concepts: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Data Structures, Data Preprocessing, Data Visualization, LLMs
- Badges: AWS Cloud Foundations, AWS Machine Learning
- Certificates: Getting Started with Deep Learning (Credential ID:M0S7oiZMQcO9R966P9O6-Q), Supervised Machine Learning: Regression and Classification (Credential ID:L9DXY5DPOXT8)

INTERNSHIP

• Research Intern - Machine Learning, Space Applications Centre (ISRO), India

December, 2023 - March, 2024

- Built ML models for Cloud Detection, achieving 95% accuracy with Random Forest.
- Implemented Feed-Forward Neural Network, Random Forest, LightGBM for cloud masking requiring zero human intervention.
- Preprocessed MODIS satellite data (NASA) for training and validated on INSAT-3D (ISRO).

PROJECTS

- LLMs | AI-Powered Image Captioning
- Developed an Image Caption Generator using the Flickr30k dataset (31K images) with ResNet50 + Transformer and InceptionV3 + LSTM.
- Achieved Bleu Score: 0.1688, CIDEr Score: 0.5560, competitive with state-of-the-art models.
- Implemented feature extraction, data preprocessing, and optimized training using **PyTorch**, **TensorFlow**, **Hugging Face**.
- Natural Language Processing | Smart Text Prediction
- Built Gujarati Sentence Completion using Hidden Semi Markov Model and Neural Networks with TensorFlow, NLTK.
- Collected and preprocessed a custom dataset from **online books and articles** for training.
- Developed and evaluated a language model with a focus on improving word prediction accuracy.
- Computer Vision | IC Chip Detection for Automated Inspection
 - Designed an **IC Chip Detection System** using **YOLOv5**, achieving **90% accuracy**.
- Applied masking techniques using rembg, PIL to enhance chip detection and classification.
- Created a custom dataset with makesense.ai and optimized model performance.
- Full-Stack Development | AI-Powered Movie & Job Recommendation Systems
 - Revamped movie recommendation site using Flask, React, MySQL with personalized recommendations.
- Developed on-campus job portal using MERN stack with real-time chat and dark mode.
- Enhanced UI/UX and performance with optimized database queries and caching techniques.

RESEARCH PUBLICATION