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I'm an enthusiastic, ambitious third-year computer engineering undergraduate who has developed a number of problem-solving skills, eager to secure an internship opportunity.

## EDUCATION HISTORY

### B.Sc.Eng(Hons) in Computer Engineering

University of Peradeniya | Nov. 2018 - Present

- GPA: 3.67 / 4.00

### G.C.E. Advanced Level Examination

De Mazenod College, Kandana | 2003 - 2016

- Comb. Maths (A)
- Physics (B)
- Chemistry (B)

## ACHIEVEMENTS

### IEEEExtreme 16.0 2022

Country Rank - 34, Global Rank - 768 / 6373

Team Name: bitLasagna2.0

### ICDS Mini Hackathon 2021

Rank - 5 / 100+

Team Name: bitLasagna

### IEEEExtreme 14.0 2020

Country Rank - 2, Global Rank - 68 / 7000+

Team Name: InterGreat

### ACES Coders 2020

Rank - 14 / 100+

Team Name: bitLasagna

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## INTERESTS

Artificial Intelligence

Algorithms

Deep Learning

Machine Learning

Image Processing

Data Structures

Natural Language Processing

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** C/C++, Python, Java,  
JavaScript, HTML/CSS, SQL

**Developer Tools:** Visual Studio, Visual  
Studio Code, Eclipse, Jupyter Notebook,  
GitHub, Atom, IntelliJ IDEA

**Technologies/Frameworks:** OpenCV,  
TensorFlow, ReactJS, NodeJS, Bash  
Scripting, Jekyll

## PROJECTS

### Automatic License Plate Recognition

*Technologies: Python, Image Processing, OpenCV, OCR*

Mar. 2022

- Implemented a Python command line tool to detect and recognize Sri Lankan license plates from images.
- Used various image processing techniques to enhance the image quality.
- Used OpenCV to localize the license plate from the image and segment the characters from the license plate.
- Used OCR to recognize the characters from the segmented images.

### Conversational Transformer Chatbot

*Technologies: Python, NLP, Transformer, TensorFlow*

Jan. 2022

- Implemented a Transformer model from scratch referring to the paper "Attention is All You Need" by Vaswani et al.
- Used the Cornell Movie-Dialogs Corpus to train the model.
- Used the model to build a conversational chatbot.

### Sobriety Detection using Gyroscope Data

*Technologies: Python, TensorFlow, Scikit-learn, NodeJS, ReactJS*

Jan. 2022

- Analyzed gyroscope data by visualization using signal processing techniques.
- Data cleaning, pre-processing and feature extraction using various methods.
- Implemented machine learning and deep learning models to classify data.
- Contributed to developing a Node server to collect and process the data as well as to develop a prototype mobile application using ReactJS.

 [More Projects...](#)

## CERTIFICATIONS

### Natural Language Processing

2022

Coursera  
*HSE University*

### Algorithms on Graphs

2020

Coursera  
*University of California, San Diego*

### Data Structures

2020

Coursera  
*University of California, San Diego*

### Convolutional Neural Networks

2020

Coursera  
*DeepLearning.AI*

### Neural Networks and Deep Learning

2020

Coursera  
*DeepLearning.AI*

## EXPERIENCE

### Teaching Assistant: Programming Methodology

*University of Peradeniya* | May 2021 - Sep. 2021

- Supervised weekly 2hr long online lab sessions.
- Created questions for online quizzes based on the C programming language.
- One-on-one sessions with students to tutor them on the C programming language concepts.

### Volunteer Developer and Maintainer

*University of Peradeniya* | Nov. 2021 - Present

- Contributed to designing and developing a static website for the Embedded Systems and Computer Architecture Laboratory (ESCAL) using HTML, CSS, Javascript, jQuery, Bootstrap and Jekyll.

## REFERENCES

### Prof. Roshan G. Ragel

*Head of Department,  
Department of Computer Engineering,  
Faculty of Engineering,  
University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka*

### Dr. Isuru Nawinne

*Senior Lecturer,  
Department of Computer Engineering,  
Faculty of Engineering,  
University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka*