

Saurabh Kadian

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EDUCATION

IIT, BOMBAY

MTECH IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Jul 2018 | Mumbai, India

LINKS

Github: [saurabh-kadian](#)

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SKILLS

PROGRAMMING

Languages:

C++ • Python • Java

Perl

Utilities:

LaTeX • Git

Experience with:

Apache Kafka • Elasticsearch • Jenkins

Apache Mesos • Apache Marathon

Docker • Grafana • Redis

ACHIEVEMENTS

- All India Rank - 20 out of 1,08,495

GATE 2016 Computer Science with percentile of **99.98**.

- **ACM ICPC Regionals: 2013** and 2015.

- **CodeChef SnackDown 2017:**

Ranked 1248 out of 21038 in Pre-Elimination

Ranked 729 out of 12859 in Online Qualifier

Ranked 1105 out of 3403 in Online Elimination Rounds

- **Speaker** at **CodeChef Campus Chapter**

- **Ranked 1** in regional level

Infosys Aspirations 2020

Programming Contest 2014

participated in Development Center Finals (National Level).

- Qualified to Round 1

Google Code Jam 2014

- Awarded Pass in the Preliminary English Test -

University of Cambridge - ESOL Examination

EXPERIENCE

D.E. SHAW & CO. | MEMBER TECHNICAL

Jul 2019 - Present | Hyderabad, India

- Working with backend team to facilitate analysts access to proprietary or trial datasets and related statistics/analysis/report. Contributed to 2 such dataset, each saving around couple of weeks of work for the consumer.
- Worked on proprietary datasets, moulding them into internal frameworks (either plotting/data caching frameworks) and validating their quality. Got experience working with firm's internal frameworks and some famous Python modules like Pandas.
- Lead efforts towards developing backend infra for central access to already subscribed proprietary datasets s.t. everything is accessible at one place. This basically allows freedom of exploration which until now wasn't possible.

PHONEPE (FLIPKART GROUP COMPANY) | SOFTWARE

DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER

Jul 2018 - Apr 2019 | Pune, India

- Worked with backend team for billpay and recharge division of PhonePe.
- Lead efforts on reversal DFA engine which reduced customer escalations related to refunds. This reduced overall turnaround time for reversals from days to couple of hours. Created using RESTful APIs in conjunction with RabbitMQ and internal scheduler engine.
- Lead efforts towards building a preference store to store user preferences for reminders related to their various types of bills. This is currently live for all users. Created using RESTful APIs in conjunction with RabbitMQ, MySQL and Aerospike.

RESEARCH

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, BOMBAY | RESEARCH

Jul 2016 - Jul 2018 | Mumbai, India

Worked under the guidance of **Prof. Nutan Limaye**. Acquired necessary background on relations between different Space Complexity Classes and problem of Reachability. Implemented read research papers for visualization. Tried fitting a polynomially bound weighting scheme in 3D-MGGR s.t. the problem is reduced to a $UL \cap coUL$. Future work includes coming up with potential algorithms with reduces space as well as time complexity for the problem of Reachability.

PROJECTS

- **Comparing different models for Stock Market Prediction**
Dataset: NASDAQ listed stocks, Models: SVM, Logistic Regression, Shallow Neural network, Libraries: Scikit-learn, Tensorflow (Python3)
- **Reinforcement Agent for Carrom**
Agent won 1088/1400 games and ranked 3rd in the course. Tried cut-shots, rebound-shots and other physics oriented strategies. Implemented Actor-Critic based Reinforcement Learning model - Deep Deterministic Policy Gradient
- **ACM ICPC Style LAN based Judge**
With the aim of providing environment similar to ACM ICPC regionals, created judge similar to that used at regionals. Stress tested to 40 teams. Implemented in: Qt - C++ based framework
- **Replicating Napster Peer-Peer Network**
- **Stock Market tracker Android App for US based markets**