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Education

MAY 2016
Bachelors of Technology with Honors in COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
Indian Institute of Technology - Bombay, India
Thesis: "Real Time Air Quality Sensoring Network" \| Advisor: Bhaskaran RAMAN
CGPA: 8.86/10

JUNE 2012
G.E.I's M.H. High School, Maharashtra Board, Mumbai
FINAL GRADE: 87.17%

Research Interests

Build solutions for real-world problems and working at the intersection of theoretical and applied Machine Learning, specifically in Deep Learning, Computer Vision and Reinforcement Learning.

Work Experience

Current
JUNE 2016

AI Scientist and Founding Member at QURE.AI, Mumbai
Deep Learning in Medical Imaging

Involved in research across multiple problems in medical imaging. Finished 28th on Kaggle Ultrasound Nerve Segmentation challenge. Open sourced starter code and torchnet tutorial. Collaborated with a medical research institute on brain tumor segmentation and grade classification using perfusion and structural MRIs. Worked on Alzheimer's classification using CNNs with ADNI dataset achieving high accuracies. Developed an internal library for visualization of neural nets, so that they can reason for their inferences without any modification to the original structure of the net. This work done in collaboration with a Columbia Asia Hospitals was presented at RSNA '17. Designed and developed the complete web backend for managing images, authentication and predictions from the model. Built REST APIs using Django and Django-Rest-Framework and deployed the complete setup on Azure cloud. Designed a new loss function for image segmentation that accounts for class imbalance inherently and published the work as part of STACOM Workshop in MICCAI '17. Currently working on data-engineering pipelines and quantitative evaluation of visualization algorithms for CNNs. Contributing extensively in building the culture of the company and actively involved in hiring.

SUMMER 2015

Intern at SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS, South Korea
Common Platforms Lab, Software R&D Centre

Optimized the CLIPS rule engine (open source rule engine developed by NASA) used in the context-trigger API of Tizen OS - used in wide range of Samsung devices, created preliminary features to extend the functionality of the context trigger module, also designed and developed new language to write rules for the context-trigger API making API usage simple and intuitive for developers.

SUMMER 2014

Intern at CHRONUS CORPORATIONS, Chennai, India

Designed and developed an add-on for Google Docs to make process of reviewing documents simpler. Used Google Apps Script and Google Drive APIs extensively to make the add-on feature extensive and intuitive to use.

DEC 2014

Intern at PATNI HEALTHCARE, Mumbai

Studied and designed an ad exchange platform that can be used by the company specifically in healthcare sector. Developed the complete backend REST APIs using django, postgres and bootstrap.

Major Academic Projects

2015-16	**Real Time Air Quality Sensoring Network** *Prof. Bhaskaran Raman, IIT Bombay* Created a network of low cost air quality monitoring sensors for monitoring and publishing particulate matter data in real time. Project is funded by Development Impact Lab, UC Berkeley. Performed calibration experiments to validate the sensor consistency and behavior in various situations and simulated controlled experiments under the guidance of Prof. Virendra Sethi in CESE for the same. The results serves as a base for researchers to come up with more experiments and establish a standard procedure for calibration of low cost air quality monitoring sensors. Created an open source software to gather the data from the sensors and send to the server. Scraping government real-time data on air quality periodically, and making historical REST APIs available to public which is not done by government. Collaborated with colleges across Mumbai to contribute towards the project, by setting up sensors in their vicinity and involving students to participate, analyze data and recommend solutions.
Spring 2016	**Othello Agent using Reinforcement Learning** *Prof. Shivaram Kalyanakrishnan, IIT Bombay* Implemented Particle Swarm Optimization(PSO) algorithm based evolutionary strategy to learn to play Othello for first time in literature. Compared performance of Covariance Matrix Adaptation - Evolutionary Strategy (CMA-ES) with PSO-ES and found that PSO-ES learns faster when started knowledge free. Established an open source platform and wrote agents (players) for playing Othello with proper documentation so that, it can be used by anyone for further development.
Autumn 2015	**EvalPro Optimization** *Prof. Varsha Apte, IIT Bombay* EvalPro is an open source plug-in for MOOC platforms for evaluation of programmes. We redesigned the architecture of the application and changed the flow to enable multi-threading and introduced asynchronous background evaluation. Handled all the concurrency issues algorithmically without using any locks to ensure 0% error in tests.
Spring 2015	**Classification of Patterns and Phrases** *Prof. Ganesh Ramakrishnan, IIT Bombay* Classified patterns into different classes, such that patterns belonging to same class would translate similarly to Hindi. Used dependency parsers and UNL relations to classify the phrases. Applied online learning to be able to learn using human interaction without any training data.

Academic Achievements

April 2012	Secured **All India Rank 56** in IIT JEE out of 500,000+ candidates
May 2012	Secured **All India Rank 62** in AIEEE out of 1,000,000+ candidates
2012	Amongst top 1% at national level in Indian National Physics and Astronomy Olympiad
2008	Recipient of **National Talent Search Scholarship** awarded by MHRD, Govt. of India

Publications and Presentations

Nov 2017	"Generating Heatmaps to visualize the Evidence of deep learning based diagnosis of Chest X-rays",P Putha; M D Tadepalli; K Rao; S A Jain; S Govil, FRCR, BANGALORE, INDIA; P Warier; et al.; RSNA, Chicago, USA, 2017. The paper received Roadie 2017 award for the most popular abstract by page views in the Road to RSNA section on auntminnie.com.
Sep 2017	"2D-3D Fully Convolutional Neural Networks for Cardiac MR Segmentation", Jay Patravali, Shubham Jain, Sasank Chilamkurthy, MICCAI, Quebec, Canada, 2017
April 2017	"Building Algorithms we can trust", Shubham Jain, Re-Work - Deep Learning Summit, Singapore, 2017
Oct 2015	Presented the real time air quality monitoring project in IITBAA-GBF as a startup-idea with a viable business plan in Environment Sector.

Leadership

CURRENT	**Organizer, MUMBAI ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE MEETUP**
	Started an AI Meetup in Mumbai in December 2016 to foster a community of individuals interested in AI and want to deep dive into it. Organize monthly sessions to make community aware of latest developments in AI, industrial applications and basics of various branches of AI. All material presented is released in open-source.
SPRING 2016	**Overall Coordinator, PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL, Hostel 2**
	Lead the productions team of hostel to create a charming and advanced PAF, Daira. Created a mixture of tech and arts to produce a technically sophisticated production, with disco floor constructed by us and light switching controlled using arduino. Constructed fountains, decorated complete prod with usage of LED strips controlled using a single switch. Apart from this, created various elements using principles from carpentry and welding. Awarded **Pillar of PAF** from the Hostel for the same.
2014-15	**Core Team Member, STUDENT ALUMNI RELATIONS CELL, IIT Bombay**
	Lead the Web and Software team to make Alumni student interaction more efficient. Built and parametrised the algorithm to shorten the process of mentor allotment by 60%. Ideated and built a Facebook App 'SARCasm' played by more than 500 in 3 days. Developed and launched Android App 'IITBaap' for freshmen with over 1000 downloads. Provided web support for first ever Institute Yearbook distributed to over 1000 students. Awarded **Institute Organizational Special Mention** award for diligent work throughout the tenure.

Teaching

MACHINE LEARNING	**Teaching Assistant**
	Helped the professor to design the content for the course, including flow of lectures, assignments and projects. Conducting tutorials, to help students in understanding the application of the concepts taught. Mentored 9 groups in course projects having diverse range of topics.
SOFTWARE SYSTEMS LAB	**Teaching Assistant**
	Served as TA in Autumn 2015 to guide students in the Lab and help them learn various languages and tools used in unix. Also responsible for setting of labs, quizzes and their evaluation and mentoring students for their projects and evaluating them.
MODERN PHYSICS	**Teaching Assistant**
	Served as TA for two consecutive years, responsible for teaching and mentoring a group of 40 freshmen.

Mentorship

2015-16	**Mentor, Institute Student Mentorship Program**
	Mentored a group of 12 freshmen, from across different departments, focusing on their academic and holistic development. Selected from 351 applicants based on peer review and all round performance.

Extras

CURRENT	Active **blogger** for Qure.ai as well as on personal blog.
CURRENT	Active **contributor** to various open-source AI libraries such as *visdom, torchnet, pastalog*, etc.
OCT 2017	Won **HackInOut 4.0**, India's biggest community hackathon. Created an automated Chest X-Rays diagnosis tool.
DEC 2015	Qualified **ACM-ICPC** Amritapuri Online Round and got selected for Regionals, where our team finished 33rd amongst 200+ teams.
JAN 2013	Designed and manufactured a bot for **Robowars** by Techfest, IIT Bombay. Reached quarterfinals and were awarded **Engineering Excellence Award** for the best engineered bot.