

# SANTOSH VASA

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## EDUCATION

### Northeastern University, Khoury College of Computer Sciences

Boston, MA

Master Of Science (GPA - 4.0/4.0)

May 2023

Teaching Assistant - Natural Language Processing (Graduate Course)

Related courses: Algorithms, Artificial Intelligence, Computer Vision, Programming Design and Paradigm,

### Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Hyderabad, India

Bachelor Of Technology (GPA - 8.73 / 10)

April 2019

Related courses: Image Processing, Web Programming, Data Structures - C, OOP - Java, Computational Mathematics

## TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE

Languages	: Python, Java, C++, SQL
Libraries and Frameworks	: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Sci-Kit Learn, Keras, OpenCV, TensorRT, TFLite
Artificial Intelligence	: Computer Vision, Natural Language Processing (NLP), Deep Learning, Neural Networks, Sequence Models, Generative Adversarial Networks, Reinforcement Learning, Audio Processing, Machine Learning (ML), Robotics
Application Development	: Django, Flask, JSwing
Certification	: Deep Learning Specialization by deeplearning.ai

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### WIPRO LTD. (EXIMIUS DESIGN)

Bangalore, India

#### L2 - Software Engineer (Deep Learning)

October 2018 - August 2021

- Lead a team of 6 interns and Implemented surveillance and automated attendance systems using CV and NLP techniques
- Daily routine involved reading novel deep learning research literature and replicate feasible solutions. This involved optimizing data loading (ETL), training and inference processes of Face Recognition and Object detection workloads on GPU and CPU.
- Developed extensively with TensorFlow, PyTorch, OpenCV, Keras, Microprocessors, and Microcontrollers (RPi, Node MCU, Neural Compute Stick)

## PROJECTS

### DEPTH ESTIMATION USING STEREO VISION

Boston, MA

#### Northeastern University

April 2022 - May 2022

- Established a calibrated and uncalibrated stereo setups using OpenCV
- Utilizing PyTorch and OpenCV, Applications such as Depth Map Estimation, 3D Video, 3D Point Cloud, 3D- Reconstruction, Object Detection and Obstacle Avoidance were then built around the setup

### DIGITAL DETOX ASSISTANT USING DEEP CONTEXTUAL WORD REPS

Boston, MA

#### Northeastern University

October 2021 - December 2021

- Devised a framework to determine whether a web page is relevant to a user's profession
- Utilized TensorFlow, Spacy, NLTK, Selenium, Sci-kit Learn, NumPy to scrape a user's webpage and compare it to user's portfolio

### FACE ATTRIBUTE GENERATION USING GANS

Bangalore, India

#### Wipro Ltd.

August 2020 - March 2021

- Generated five different face attributes such as beard, spectacles, mustache, and more using Generative Adversarial Networks based on unpaired image to image translation
- Trained various GANs on Linux servers (Nvidia HPCs) by leveraging TensorFlow's and PyTorch efficient data APIs

### DEEP FACE RECOGNITION SYSTEM

Bangalore, India

#### Wipro Ltd.

May 2019 - December 2019

- Built an application to collect face image data of Identities with eight required face orientations. The system uses unsupervised learning to cluster real-time face images into classes
- Incorporated mobile-friendly precision quantized neural network architecture with 99.4% (on LFW) for inference on the edge. The architecture was developed and trained from scratch on VGG Face 2 and MS-Celeb using in-house CUDA compatible server GPU
- Profiled, analyzed and re-iterated to optimize the model for latency and accuracy. In comparison to the initial model, the resultant model is 27 times smaller and has 4 times faster inference on edge CPU
- Re-purposed the existing codebase to make long-range surveillance mask detection. The system incorporated a highly accurate Retina-Face face detector designed to detect small and low-resolution objects (faces)