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Education

Jadavpur University

2022 - 2026

B.E. in Information Technology

- o CGPA: 8.01
- Coursework: Computer Organisation and Architecture, Data Structure and Algorithms, Object Oriented Programming, Computer Networks, Database Management System

Experience

Research and Development ITC LTD

INTERN

Dec~2024-Feb~2025

- Designed and implemented a web scraping pipeline using **Python**, **Selenium**, and **BeautifulSoup** to extract hotel reviews from multiple review sites. Successfully handled dynamic content, CAPTCHA bypass, and pagination to ensure robust data extraction.
- Developed a **computer vision system** using **OpenCV**, **dlib**, and **FaceNet** for real-time unique face detection and identification. Assigned consistent IDs to recurring individuals and maintained a detailed log file in **Excel**.
- Built an object detection model using YOLOv8 and OpenCV to analyze real-time drone footage and detect objects of interest. Fine-tuned the model with custom datasets to improve detection accuracy for specific use cases.
- Designed a Portfolio Optimisation Model for mutual fund performance using scikit-learn and Tensor-Flow. Leveraged historical data, statistical analysis, and machine learning techniques to optimize portfolios and predict returns. Presented insights using Matplotlib and Seaborn.

Project

Portfolio Optimization

Risk Management Tool

- Developed a tool to optimize financial portfolios using techniques such as mean variance optimization and the Sharpe ratio.
- Implemented mathematical modelling, used computationally intensive calculations to enhance performance.
- Tools Used: Python, scikit-learn, TensorFlow, NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Predictive Modeling, Statistical Analysis, Data Visualization, Data Cleaning, and Preprocessing.
- Delivered a platform that enables users to manage and visualize portfolios, offering actionable insights into expected returns and risks.

Skills

- Language Skills: Python, C++, Sql, Java
- Quantitative Skills: Probability Theory, Statistics, Financial Mathematics, Octoparse, and Data Analysis (Pandas, NumPy and other Libraries).
- Technical Expertise: AI/ML (Machine Learning Algorithms, TensorFlow, Scikit-learn), Linux, MySQL, Relational Databases, Data Structures & Algorithms, DBMS, Computer Networks, and Operating Systems.
- o Soft Skills: Problem Solving, Analytical Thinking, Teamwork, Leadership, and Communication.

Positions of Responsibility

- Placement Co-ordinator, IT: Responsible for organizing and coordinating placement activities, liaising with recruiters, and ensuring smooth placement processes for students. (2022-2026).
- CIIPPUS, Finance Convenor: Responsible for managing financial operations, budgeting, and financial planning for the FRESHER event (2024).
- SRIJAN, Sponsorship Head: Led sponsorship acquisition efforts, fostering relationships with partners, and securing funding and resources for TECH FEST event and initiatives (2025).