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#### **EDUCATION**

**Purdue University** 

Ph.D. in Computer Science

West Lafayette, IN Aug 2019 - Present

**University of Moratuwa** 

Sri Lanka

B.Sc Engineering (Hons) (Computer Science & Engineering)

First Class Honours - GPA 4.06/4.20

Oct 2014 - Dec 2018

### **PROJECTS**

- 1. **End-to-end Optimization for High-performance Machine Learning Pipelines:** Leveraging code generation techniques to build a globally optimized high performance Machine Learning pipelines
- Server Parameter Auto-tuning using Machine Learning: Leveraging Machine Learning optimization techniques (Bayesian optimization in particular) to dynamically auto-tune server parameters to enhance runtime performance
- 3. **Social Media Analytics Platform:** A platform which automatically extracts information related to a particular entity (e.g. restaurant reviews from multiple sources) and perform various types of analysis (emotion detection, aspect-based sentiment analysis, trending topics and evolution of them etc.)

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

## Research Engineer, WSO2 Inc. Sri Lanka

Jan 2019 - July 2019

- Research on Server parameter auto-tuning. Done extensive performance tests to identify critical parameters. Experimented with heuristic approaches, Reinforcement Learning (RL) and Bayesian Optimization based approaches.

## Research Intern, StatNLP Lab, SUTD Singapore

Jun 2017 - Dec 2017

- Research on Natural Language Processing. Mostly spent time in testing/implementing of StatNLP framework. Moreover explored graphical models, traditional machine learning models and deep learning models. Particularly looked at fake news detection task.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- 1. ADAPT-T: An Adaptive Algorithm for Auto-Tuning Worker Thread Pool Size in Application Servers Nilushan Costa, Malith Jayasinghe, Ajantha Atukorale, Supun Abeysinghe, Srinath Perera, Isuru Perera At International Symposium on Computers and Communications (ISCC), Barcelona, Spain (2019)
- 2. Sentylic at IEST 2018: Gated Recurrent Neural Network and Capsule Network Based Approach for Implicit Emotion Detection

Prabod Rathnayaka, **Supun Abeysinghe**, Chamod Samarajeewa, Isura Manchanayake, Malaka Walpola At Workshop on Computational Approaches to Subjectivity, Sentiment & Social Media Analysis (WASSA held with EMNLP) (2018)

3. Enhancing Decision Making Capacity in Tourism Domain Using Social Media Analytics
Supun Abeysinghe, Isura Manchanayake, Chamod Samarajeewa, Prabod Rathnayaka, Malaka J. Walpola,
Rashmika Nawaratne, Tharindu Bandaragoda, Damminda Alahakoon
International Conference in ICT for Emerging Regions (ICTer) (2018)

#### LANGUAGES AND TECHNOLOGIES

- Languages: Scala, Java, Python, C, C++
- Technologies: Spark, PyTorch, Tensorflow, CUDA