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ACADEMIC DETAILS							
COURSE	SPECIALIZATION	INSTITUTE/COLLEGE	BOARD/UNIVERSITY	SCORE	YEAR		
CLASS XII	Computer Science	City Montessori School	ISC	96 %	2018		
CLASS X	Computer Science	City Montessori School	ICSE	92.2 %	2016		

Subjects / Electives	Data Structures & Algorithms, Object Oriented Programming, Database Systems, Computational Neuroscience, Natural Language Processing
Technical Proficiency	Computational Neuroscience, Competitive Programming, Natural Language Processing, C/C++ STL, PyTorch, Python3, Bayesian statistics, Web Development, Machine Learning, Tensorflow, Data Science, Julia, Deep Learning, Linux

#### SUMMER INTERNSHIP / WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Research & Development Intern, MIDAS Labs, IIIT Delhi

May 2020 - Present

- Researched gradient estimation based white-box adversarial attacks and black box attacks on Automatic Essay Scoring (AES) systems with customized
  policies using Tensorflow and Pytorch. Research Paper | Repository (Shared) | Repository (Own)
- Analyzing the effect of morphology on Transformers and how their embedding space is partitioned in correlation with morphology and vocabulary by investigating its knowledge of non-words vs real words. In languages including Basque, Dutch, English, French, Serbian, and Spanish.

#### Data Science Intern, My Smart Price Web Technologies

May 2020 - Jun 2020

- Worked on building a rule-based recommendation engine using Bayesian Modelling with Stan and collecting data from social media using Python, Java and Selenium Instagram Location Scraper Repository
- o Received a Letter of Recommendation and scholarship for an outstanding performance in the internship.

#### Teaching Assistant: Programming; Information Retrieval, CSIS Department, BITS Pilani

Jan 2020 - Present

- Teaching assistant for BITS F464, Machine Learning, Semester 2, 2020-2021, conducted labs and assignments for students
- o Teaching assistant for CS F111, Computer Programming, Semester 2, 2019-2020, conducted labs and assignments for students
- o Teaching assistant for CS F469, Information Retrieval, Semester 1, 2020-2021

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### News Propaganda Detection - Natural Language Processing

Journal name: Association for Computational Linguistics | Publication date: Jul 31, 2020

- Published along with Rajaswa Patil and Dr. Swati Agarwal at International Workshop on Semantic Evaluation 2020, the 5th highest-rated conference in computational linguistics.
- Achieved 21st and 18th Ranks in the tasks with a unique approach to share knowledge on various granularities amongst companies and universities like Hitachi and Berkeley. Leaderboard
- o Camera Ready Version Submitted on 31 July, proceedings will be available on 12 December.

# **PROJECTS**

# DecepticoNLP - Adversarial Machine Learning

Mar 2020 - Present

- Lead developer; DecepticoNLP is a Python Library for Robustness Monitoring and Adversarial Debugging of NLP (Natural Language Processing) models.
- PyTorch wrapper for custom and benchmarks datasets and different metrics to enable researchers to effectively monitor the robustness of their models and train them adversarially. Repository.

# TeamEleven - Machine Learning, Sport Analysis

Nov 2020 - Dec 2020

- o NRR (Net Run Rate) Gaussian Noise Regularised Auto-Encoders for Player Embeddings in Cricket using PyTorch.
- We introduce a regularised autoencoder-based approach to generate on the fly player/team embeddings, which considers players' previous performance (form) to predict the outcomes of a match with a comparable accuracy (76%). We also predict the loss's margin in terms of Net Run Rate (NRR) instead of win/lose to get a more confident measure.

# Reddit Post Classification WebApp - Applied Machine Learning

Apr 2020 - Jun 2020

- End to End Deployed (Heroku) WebApp, which collects Reddit posts from r/India shows analytics and classifies its flair.
- o Github Repository: FlaiReddit MIDAS, Webapp Heroku-FlaiReddit, Quick self-explanatory Post
- Comparison of Time, Space and Performance is made for Naive Bayes classifiers and state of the art Transformers based models for optimal strategies given constraint on resources.

### Web Portfolio - Web Development

Apr 2020 - May 2020

Developed my personal web portfolio and deployed using GitHub pages leveraging academic pages, Jekyll, Ajax, HTML, CSS, and Python to automatically generate blogs, projects and talks with CLI.

#### Symbolic Learning on Electrical Circuits - Symbolic Learning, Deep Learning

Sep 2020 - Nov 2020

Informal Project @ APPCAIR & TCS: Circuit Solver - Used Capsule Networks and SCAE based approaches to learn parts of electric circuit diagrams with an artificially generated dataset and transfered it on real world test data.

# POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY

# Events & Initiatives Head - Center for Technical Education, BITS Goa

May 2020 - Present

Organized Talks and Hackathons comprising of Machine Learning, Competitive coding, Astronomy, and Aerodynamics in BITS Goa and Hyderabad with over 1500 participants till date.

# AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Merit Holder - National Standard Examination of Chemistry | Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

Nov 2017

CERTIFICATIONS				
CERTIFICATION	CERTIFYING AUTHORITY	DESCRIPTION		
Neural Networks and Deep Learning	Coursera	Built and trained the Snake game environment with a self-learning Deep Q Network agent, Repository.		
Sequence Models	Coursera	Built an HMM (Hidden Markov Model) based Text Generator trained on Long Stories of Sherlock Holmes using Recurrent Neural Networks as a part of the course.		

# **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Center for Technical Education, BITS Goa - Role: Mentor for Introduction to Machine Learning and Deep Learning | Cause: Science and Technology

Assisted over 200 students by conducting evaluation and tutorial classes with projects as an Instructor / Mentor for the course

Aug 2019 - Dec 2019

Introduction to Machine Learning and Deep Learning.

# LANGUAGES KNOWN

English, Hindi