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Education

Northeastern University, Boston, MA **Jan 2017– May 2019**
Master of Science, Data Science – GPA: 3.5/4.0
Coursework: Natural Language Processing, Supervised & Unsupervised Machine Learning, Applied Probability & Stochastic Processes, Computer Vision, Information Visualization, Text Mining, Science of Science (Research)

Government Engineering College, Thrissur, Kerala **Sep 2007 – June 2011**
Bachelor of Technology, Computer Science
Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms, Database Systems, Numerical Analysis and Optimization Methods

Technical Skills

Specialties:	Predictive Modeling, NLP, Deep Learning, Distributed Computing, Data Visualization
Machine Learning:	Tensorflow, PyTorch, Scikit-Learn, Pandas, NumPy, MatPlotlib, Plotly
Programming:	Python, C++, R, Bash, Java, Javascript
Big Data:	Apache Spark, Mllib, Hadoop, Hive, Sqoop
Databases:	MySQL, Vertica
Other Skills:	Google Cloud, Tableau, D3.js, Linux

Professional Experience

Centre For Complex Networks Research, *Research*, Boston, MA **Jan 2019 – Present**
- Built quantitative models to estimate the influence of title lengths of scientific articles on their popularity.
- Estimated the temporal interdisciplinary novelty in scientific publications as a function of occurrence of new words in their titles.

Fidelity Investments, *Data Scientist Co-op,* Boston, MA. **Jan 2018 – Jul 2018**
- Developed anomaly detection predictive models, visualizations to analyse abnormal network traffic activities.
- Built exploratory data analysis framework for network log analysis on PySpark.
- Designed probabilistic models for classifying files containing potential threats and achieved a recall of 0.88.
- Created intuitive visualizations (Matplotlib/Plotly) and presented visual stories to executive management.

247.ai, *Senior Data Engineer,* India **May 2015 – Dec 2016**
- Modelled chat transcript data to predict intent of customer care calls and re-route them to the concerned agent. Achieved a recall of 0.86 for the model.
- Designed and developed a Natural Language Toolkit for chat transcript data exploration and modeling.
- Configured the toolkit on a multi-cluster environment with three Spark nodes for scalability.
- Built a model to predict chat propensity of customers with agents based on their website behaviour data.
- Deployed propensity models in production using Javascript &integrated it on customer engagement platform.
- Integrated SVM and Random Forest algorithms as Vertica R UDF and scaled them on multiple nodes.

Xurmo Technologies, *Software Engineer - Analytics,* India **July 2011 – May 2015**
- Built custom analytical functions for data transformation as Apache Hive function extensions.
- Programmed analytics applications using Platform as a Service REST APIs – Text exploration engine, Stock market movement prediction, Sentiment analyzer and Customer churn prediction.

Projects

- **Investigating Instances of Gun Violence using Pointer Networks:** Extracted attributes of gun violence events using Attention Mechanism and Pointer Neural Nets (Tensorflow) from news reports.
- **Quantifying Semantic Similarity:** Designed and implemented LSTM network for classifying semantically similar and dissimilar questions from Quora, and tuned it to an accuracy of 83%.
- **Fake News Stance Classification:** Tuned and achieved 88% accuracy in classifying fake news from genuine ones. Random Forest, XGBoost and SVM algorithms were used for performance comparison.
- **Sales Time Series Forecasting:** Forecasted the sales fluctuations of 10 stores using a supervised regression approach with ARIMA and XGBoost and contrasted it with LSTM (PyTorch) Multi-step Time Series Forecasting.