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Career Objectives

Computer Science graduate with a specialization in data science and a strong research interest in Data Mining, AI, and computer vision. Hands-on experience in image processing, robotics, and machine learning, contributing to competitive missions like URC and ARC. Eager to contribute to cutting-edge research in data-driven science and interdisciplinary applications, particularly in projects at the intersection of AI, education, social media, and sustainability.

Education/Academic Background

BSc in Computer Science and Engineering

January 2020 – October 2024

United International University, Dhaka, Bangladesh

Result: 3.6/4.0

Research Experiences

Undergraduate Thesis: Development of an Underwater Vehicle for Survey, Search, and Rescue, United International University

November 2023 – February 2025

- Designed and tested a Remotely Operated Underwater Vehicle (ROUV) with six degrees of freedom.
- Enhanced maneuverability through optimized 3D design.
- Trained a deep learning model to denoise the underwater images.
- Funded by the Center for Artificial Intelligence and Robotics (CAIR).

Design and Implementation of Life Detection Framework for Mars Rover.

July 2022 – October 2024

- Developed biomolecule-based life detection systems and conducted in-situ chemical analysis.
- Led the installation of a rover laboratory and stratigraphy analysis processes.
- Supervised and mentored junior team members, ensuring project continuity.
- Contributed to a 79% score in the University Rover Challenge Science Mission.
- Authoring technical documentation for research and competition purposes.

Technical Skills

- Programming Languages: Python, C, C++, Java
- Frameworks: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn, OpenCV.
- Tools: Jupyter Notebook, Google Colab, Git, Jira, RoboFlow, Supervisely, Excel, and Spreadsheet.
- Specialization: Machine Learning, Image Segmentation, Data Structures, Data Mining.

Awards/Honors

University Rover Challenge, 2024: 5th Rank

Anatolian Rover Challenge, 2023: 2nd Runner Up

University Rover Challenge, 2023: 9th Rank

CSE Project Show 2022: 2nd Runner-Up (System Analysis and Design)

BRAND MASTER 3.0 (A business-case solving competition), 2022: 2nd Runner Up

Publications

Suraia Afroz Maria, et al. [Development of an Underwater Vehicle for Survey, Search, and Rescue](#). Published at the 2025 International Conference on Electrical, Computer, and Communication Engineering (ECCE). Chattogram, Bangladesh.

References

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