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#### SKILLS & TECHNOLOGIES

Programming Languages: Python (Tensorflow, Pytorch, Keras, Scikit-learn, Seaborn, Pandas, Matplotlib, Matlab), C/C++, SOL, Java, LATEX

IDE:: IntelliJ,Jupyter Spyder, PyCharm, Colab, Anaconda, AWS Sagemaker, AWS Sagemaker Lab Studio, VSCode

Tools: ROS (Noetic, Melodic), Gazebo, Rviz, Mission Planner, Solidwork, Git, Dev-C++, RTAB-Map

Deep Learning Models: : U-Net, Yolo, VGG16, RESNET, ConvNET

Big Data: : Apache Spark, Scala, SparkSQL, RDD, DataFrames, DataSets, Spark ML, Spark Streaming

Data science: Data Visualization, Data cleaning and preprocessing, Statistical Analysis, Pattern Recognition, Machine Learning

Operating System: Windows, Ubuntu (18.04, 20.04), Linux, Raspbian, Mac

Contributing Writer, Medium: https://medium.com/@talha.ej10

**EDUCATION** 

## **Columbus State University**

Columbus, GA

Masters of Science in Robotics Engineering CGPA: 3.6/4.0

January 2022- December 2023

Coursework: Computer Vision, Artificial Intelligence, Kinematics, Evolutionary Computation, Robotics System Design

## PAF-Karachi Institute Of Economic Technology

Karachi, Pakistan

Columbus, GA

Bachelor of Engineering in Mechatronics CGPA: 3.1/4.0

January 2015-December 2018

Coursework: Mechatronics System Design, Industrial Control Automation, Linear Control Systems, Introduction to Robotics and Computer

Programming, Engineer Drawings, Data Structure & Algorithm, Computational Neuroscience, Discrete Mathematics

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## **Graduate Teaching Assistant**

January 2022 - Present

➤ Directed undergraduate students in completing assigned tasks and supported faculty members with academic assistance.

> Liaised between faculty and students to optimize faculty time and oversaw students and assisted in hardware and software concepts.

➤ Organized numerous class presentations and new course materials as directed by the professor.

#### Trainee Engineer

March 2020 — December 2021

Yunus Textile Mills Ltd.

Columbus State University

Karachi, Pakistan

>Collaborate with contractors, design team, and consultants to ensure company project requirements in committed time-frame.

- ➤ Performed data-driven decisions for maintaining cost control procedures and analyzed reports to provide strategic advice to the team.
- ➤ Participated in the weekly meetings and presented weekly production reports to HoD and the directors.

RELATED PROJECTS

# Multi-UAV-based Vision System for Obstacle Mapping To Assist Path Planning of UGV:

December 2022

- > Implemented collaborative mobile robots equipped with Stereo cameras and LIDARs for mapping an environment using point cloud.
- > Created a multi-master package in **ROS** to initiate communication between the UGV (Clearpath Jackal) and UAVs.

SLAM . ROS · Python · Perception · Path Planning . Autonomous

## **Deep CNN-Genetic Hybrid System for Obstacle Avoidance:**

November 2022

> Implemented novel **Neuro-Genetic** hybrid system to optimize weights and enhance neural network performance.

Genetic Algorithim . Neural Networks . Hyper-parameter Tuning . Crossover . Mutation

#### Deployed Deep CNN on Quanser Ocar for Self Driving Application:

July 2022

- ➤ Developed vision-based approach for navigation using CNN.
- > Deployed the model train on custom data in the Quanser QCAR equipped with Nvidia Jetson TX2.

ML · Python · CNN · Remote Access . Putty · Nueral Network . Autonomous Navigation

# **Stock Predictor using Spark Mlib:**

October 2021

- > Fetch data from AlphaVantage API and cleaned the data and deployed decision tree classifier to predict the stock price change.
- ➤ Used PySpark for Scalable Model and visualized the data.

Big Data · ElasticSearch . AWS . Apache Spark · Pyspark · Machine Learning . Decision Tree

## Play Space Invaders Game using Deep Reinforcement Learning:

August 2021

➤ Implemented Deep Q learning on RAM states as an input and achieved optimal and fast computation.

Atari . Deep-Q Network . RAM . CNN . DRL

#### **CONFERENCE**

M.Talha Ejaz, Ammara Zahid, and M.Mudassir Ejaz, "EEG Based Brain Controlled RC Car with Attention Level", International Virtual

Conference on AI for Smart Community, 2020

Perak, Malaysia

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- ➤ Awarded fully funded masters programs at Columbus State University
- > Awarded "Employee of the Month" for the months of March and April in 2021 at Yunus Textile Mills Ltd.
- > Selected for an online AI Joint Lab Program in Autonomous Driving led by Koc University, Turkey in 2020.