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A https://taufiq-ai.github.io/ | scholar.google.com/citations?user=fhbEomUAAAAJ

Skills

Programming and Database Python, PostgreSQL, MySQL, HTML5.

Machine Learning PyTorch, TensorFlow/Keras, Transformers, NLTK, OpenCV, SK-learn, Pandas.

Back-end Development Django, Flask, Celery, uWSGI, Ngnix, Docker, Heroku/Render.

Additional Git & GitHub, Hugging Face, Linux (Ubuntu), LaTeX.

Experiences _

NLP Engineer & Backend Developer

May 2023 - present

LaLoka Labs

Tokyo 110-0016, Japan (Remote)

- · Worked on data pipeline, fine-tuning, PEFT, RAG, GPU utilization and prompt design of LLMs, notably for KAFKAI.
- Worked on KAFKAI's back-end development, optimization, maintenance, and scaling.
- Tools: PyTorch, Transformers, HuggingFace, Django, Pyramid, PostgreSQL, Celery, Bash, Ubuntu, etc.

Research EngineerAIMS Lab, United International University

Feb 2023 - March 2023 Dhaka 1212, Bangladesh

• Built backend and database for an Al-driven robot receptionist, integrating face, speaker & speech recognition, chatbot and TTS features.

• Tools: OpenCV, Transformers, gTTS, gSTT, Flask, MySQL, Docker, Ngnix, GitHub Actions, etc.

Machine Learning Intern

July 2022 - Sept 2022

Shadhin Lab LLC Dhaka 1219, Bangladesh

• Built an NLP-powered web extractor to automate data collection and categorization for an in-house SaaS.

• Tools: Scikit-learn, NLTK, Matplot, Pandas, BS4

Education

Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Computer Science & Engineering

Apr 2018 - Nov 2022

City University

Dhaka 1216, Bangladesh

Major: Software Engineering | CGPA: 3.21 out of 4.00 (First Class) | Medium of Instruction: English

Research & Publications

[1] MNHN Khandaker, MM Hossain, MA Bhuiyan, **M. T. H. Khan Tusar**, and M Foysal, "An Artificial Intelligence Powered Bengali Voice-based Conversational Chat-bot for Banking Sector," pre-print, 2024. doi: 10.13140/RG.2.2.17082.20169.

[2] **M. T. H. Khan Tusar** et al., "An Intelligent Telediagnosis of Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia using Histopathological Deep Learning," Journal of Computing Theories and Applications (JCTA), vol. 2(1), pp. 1–12, 2024. doi: 10.62411/jcta.10358.

[3] **M. T. H. Khan Tusar**, M. T. Islam, and A. H. Sakil, "An experimental study for early diagnosing Parkinson's disease using machine learning," Pre-print, 2023. doi: 10.48550/arXiv.2310.13654.

[4] J. Hossain, M. T. Islam, and **M. T. H. K. Tusar** "Streamlining Brain Tumor Classification with Custom Transfer Learning in MRI Images," 2023 IEEE Smart Information Systems and Technologies (IEEE SIST), Astana, Kazakhstan, 2023, pp. 522-526, doi: 10.1109/SIST58284.2023.10223507.

[5] **M. T. H. K. Tusar** and R. K. Anik, "Automated detection of acute lymphoblastic leukemia subtypes from microscopic blood smear images using Deep Neural Networks," B.S. Thesis, Dept. of CSE, City Univ., Dhaka, Bangladesh, 2022, doi: 10.48550/arXiv.2208.08992.

[6] **M. T. Haque Khan Tusar**, M. T. Islam and F. I. Raju, "Detecting Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) at the Initial Stage: A Novel Hybrid Feature-selection Method and Robust Data Preparation Pipeline for Different ML Techniques," 2022 5th IEEE International Conference on Computing and Informatics (ICCI), New Cairo, Cairo, Egypt, 2022, pp. 400-407, doi: 10.1109/ICCI54321.2022.9756094.

[7] **M. T. H. K. Tusar** and M. T. Islam, "A Comparative Study of Sentiment Analysis Using NLP and Different Machine Learning Techniques on US Airline Twitter Data," 2021 IEEE International Conference on Electronics, Communications and Information Technology (ICECIT), Khulna, Bangladesh, 2021, pp. 1-4, doi: 10.1109/ICECIT54077.2021.9641336.

Personal Projects ____

Privacy Aware RAG Agent - LLMs based contextual understanding, limitation and search from Vector DB, PEFT and Quantization for low GPU.

| Bengali Speech Chatbot - A transformer Chatbot including Automatic Speech Recognition, Interaction Recognition, and Speech Synthesis. |
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| Kidney Disease Diagnosis using Machine Learning - An End-2-End ML pipeline that can early detect Kidney disorder with 100% accuracy. [App |

Blood Cancer Stage Detection using Image Processing - Detected multi-patterned blast cells from microscopic images using MobileNet. [App]

Volunteer Works

Artificial Intelligence Mentor

June 2022 - March 2023

The Empty Brain

Dhaka 1212, Bangladesh

- Led technical and executive teams on an Al-powered startup idea, ranked at top 25 in StartKoro S3 (a prestigious startup bootcamp).
- Mentored 10 undergraduates in python, machine learning, and research methodologies.

Research Assistant (ML)

Dec 2020 - Nov 2022

Md. Touhidul Islam, Lecturer, Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering, City University

Dhaka 1216, Bangladesh

- Worked on several AI/ML research projects by training and fine-tuning ML models, developing back-end systems, and authoring research papers.
- Authored 5 research articles in natural language processing, image processing, and bio-informatics.

JR. Machine Learning Engineer

Dec 2022 - Feb 2023

Omdena

CA 94301, USA (Remote)

- Enhanced a real-time Smart Traffic system with computer vision to reduce congestion on urban motorways.
- Collaborated with a team of 50+ members from 20+ countries to collect and process traffic image data via APIs.

Data Science Boot-camp Mentor

Sept 2021 - Oct 2021

AI Planet (Formerly DPHI)

Hyderabad, India (Remote)

• Supported a 20 members team in running a data science boot-camp, created final assessments and evaluated participants' performance.

Conference Participation

- Reviewer, 3rd International Conference on Computing and Information Technology (ICCIT), 2023, Tabuk, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
- Presenter, 5th International Conference on Computing and Informatics (ICCI), 2022, Cairo, Egypt.
- Presenter, International Conference on Electronics, Communications and Information Technology (ICECIT), 2021, Khulna, Bangladesh.

Extracurricular Activities_

| • | Member, Google Machine Learning Community | 11/2022 - 11/2023 |
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| • | Member, IEEE Computer Society | 08/2022 - 12/2022 |
| • | Student Member, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers IEEE | 08/2021 - 12/2022 |
| • | Executive Member, City University Computer Club | 12/2020 - 10/2022 |
| • | Chapter Influencer, Google Crowdsource | 09/2021 - 06/2022 |
| • | V-Force Volunteer, United Nation Volunteer | 08/2021 - 09/2021 |
| • | Cadet, Bangladesh National Cadet Corps BNCC | 08/2015 - 01/2017 |
| • | Scout, Bangladesh Scouts | 01/2008 - 12/2009 |

Language Proficiency_

English Professional | Bengali Native | Hindi Conversational | Urdu Conversational

References_

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