PUNEET GUNWANI

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EDUCATION

Symbiosis Statistical Institute

PUNE, MH

MSc (Applied Statistics)

Expected May 2025

Major in Industrial Statistics and Operation Research

Relevant Coursework: Stochastic Model in Finance, Stochastic Process, Time Series Analysis, Machine Learning.

IIT Madras

Remote

Diploma In Data Science

May 2023 - May 2024

cumulative CGPA: 8.07

Relevant Coursework; Business Data Management, Machine Learning Techniques, Tools in Data Science.

Bhopal School Of Social Sciences

BHOPAL, M.P

BSc (Statistics, Mathematics, CS)

Aug 2020 - May 2023

Cumulative CGPA: 8.2

Relevant Coursework: Real analysis, Linear Algebra, Statistical Quality Control, SQL, Linux.

WORK EXPERIENCE

SMCS-PSI DATA ANALYTICS

PUNE, MH

Machine Learning Engineer Intern

Jun 2024 - Aug 2024

- Developed and deployed ML models using Python, achieving 86% accuracy by performing hyperparameter tuning and optimization.
- Processed and analysed 12M genomic variants, contributing to key insights and successful prediction of significant SNPs linked to average yield in *Arabidopsis thaliana*.
- Led end-to-end development and validation of models, incorporating effective data cleaning and analysis strategies.

PROJECTS

IEEE-CIS Fraud Detection Dec 2024

- Linear Programming and Constrained Optimization: Allocated 80% of monitoring resources to high-risk transactions, ensuring 100% coverage of priority cases. This resulted in a 10% improvement in detection efficiency
- Developed a classification system that reduced response time by 20%, increased analysis throughput by 15%, and ensured operational scalability, accommodating the transaction volume without additional resources.

Recipe for Rating: Predict Food Ratings using ML (IIT Madras)

Apr 2024

- Led NLP study on predicting recipe ratings from customer reviews using Logistic Regression, Random Forest, and SGD classifiers. Logistic Regression achieved 77.63% accuracy, highlighting the effectiveness of NLP in data analysis.
- Awarded 90 Marks in predicting the recipe rating and Show cased the power of NLP techniques in understanding textual data

Unravelling the Dynamics of Inventory Management (Firm Primary Data)

Jan 2024

- Led data collection from retail stores for demand forecasting, utilizing time series analysis and ARIMA modeling.
- Applied ABC analysis for seasonal demand planning and resource allocation, leading to an 8% increase in sales.
- Conducted causal analysis to assess the impact of promotional strategies on stock availability and sales growth.

ACTIVITIES

- Presented research paper on finance in international conference organized by Bhopal School of Social Sciences.
- Member of JITSIE, **IIT Madras** (Entrepreneurship committee).
- Member of Devaharam, BSSS providing food to hospitalized poor people.

ADDITIONAL

Skills: Python, SQL, Advanced Excel, Data Collection, Statistical Analysis, Machine Learning, Predictive modeling, Big Data Processing, Data Visualization, Communication, Problem Solving, Analytical Thinking, Team Collaboration. **Certifications & Training:** OCI Generative AI Certification course, Analytics for Business Problem Solving (IIMA), Google Data analytics course.

Awards: Finalist in Hackfest 2024 (Novo Nordisk), Top 10 in Algo Swarm Algorithmic Trading Hackathon (QuantHive), Achieved top 5 team status while building an MVP in the Startathon(JITSIE), IIT Madras.