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EDUCATION

M.Tech & B.Tech (Hons.), Computer Science and Engineering, IIT Kharagpur, India

Masters GPA: 9.86/10; Graduated: May'21; Thesis: <u>Improvements in Self-Supervised Learning</u> Bachelors GPA: 9.46/10; Graduated: May'20; Thesis: <u>Deep Learning Visualization</u>

PUBLICATIONS

Pandey, A. et al. (2024) **Darsi: A deep auto-regressive time series Inference architecture for forecasting of aerodynamic parameters**, Journal of Computational Science, 82, p. 102401. doi:10.1016/j.jocs.2024.102401.

del Río, A.F. et al. (2024) Adaptive user journeys in pharma E-commerce with reinforcement learning: Insights from SwipeRx, KDD CJ workshop

del Río, A.F. et al. (2024) Adaptive behavioral AI: Reinforcement learning to enhance pharmacy services, KDD AIBS workshop

Periáñez, Á. et al. (2024) Optimizing HIV patient engagement with reinforcement learning in resource-limited settings, KDD epidamik workshop

Periáñez, Á. et al. (2023) The Digital Transformation in Health: How AI can Improve the Performance of Health Systems, Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health, Takemi Program in International Health

Rastogi, A. et al. (2023) **Synthetic Data Generator for adaptive interventions in Global Health**, ICLR MLGH workshop

WORK EXPERIENCE

CausalFoundry (prev. benshi.ai), Barcelona, Spain

Sept'22-Present

ML Engineer (Go, PostgreSQL, Python)

- Built a robust data pipeline which computes ~500 features for dashboards and ML models.
- Developed a chat interface using function calling with fine-tuned large language models.
- Implemented reinforcement learning algorithms to drive effective digital health interventions.
- Developed a synthetic data environment using CTMCs to create a test environment for RL.
- Implemented the item2vec recommender algorithm and time-to-event models (e.g. recurrent deep survival machines).

Accenture Japan Ltd., Tokyo, Japan

Nov'21-Sept'22

Business and Integration Arch Analyst (Java)

- Automatic test generation in a large codebase by identifying code patterns.
- Meeting with clients and developers, understanding requirements, sprint planning etc.

Internships

Goldman Sachs, Bengaluru, India

May'20-Jun'20

Developed an end-to-end system to classify tickets received through emails, using multiple classifiers.

University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

May'19-Jul'19

Pattern Matching in Trillion Edge Graphs; Advisor: Prof. Matei Ripeanu

Developed a pipeline to maximize lateral work reuse in the problem of approximate pattern matching in graphs in a distributed systems setting.

University of Sydney, Camden, Sydney, Australia

Dec'18-Jan'19

Facial Landmarks Detection; Advisor: Dr. Mehar Khatkar

Implemented a deep learning model for detecting facial landmarks to monitor aquariums.

IIT Kharagpur – Sponsored by Shell India Pvt. Ltd.

May'18-July'18

Topic: Sensor Diagnostics; Advisor: Prof. Swanand Khare

Used gaussian-mixture models and dimensionality reduction techniques to detect change points in the stochastic process resulting from multiple sensors in a chemical plant.

PROJECTS

Lexica (Developing a vocabulary management tool using LLMs) (~2500 loc in Go, SQLite and Vue.js)

AlphaZero from scratch in PyTorch (~1200 loc in Python)

Switch Transformers from scratch in PyTorch (~800 loc in Python)

Self-Supervised Learning in Computer Vision (SimCLR, Moco-V2) (~700 loc in Python)

Saliency Map Extraction in PyTorch (~100 loc in Python)

Automatic differentiation engine (~1000 loc in Go)

Evolutionary Algorithm to train a self-driving car on a racetrack (~1000 loc in JavaScript)

File system implementation using File Allocation Table and Index Nodes (~2000 loc in C++)

Implementation of a Simplified File Transfer Protocol (~1000 loc in C)

Implementation of Cryptographic Algorithms (~2000 loc in C)

Map-Reduce from scratch using gRPC in Python (~450 loc in Python)

Off-Policy Monte Carlo Control in Reinforcement Learning (~500 loc in Python)

Policy Iteration in Reinforcement Learning (~200 loc in Python)

SKILLS AND EXPERTISE

Languages: **Go**, **SQL** (postgres, sqlite), **Python**, JavaScript (p5.js, Vue.js), C, C++, Java, R, HTML, CSS Libraries: **PyTorch**, **Numpy**, **Scipy**, **Matplotlib**, JAX, gRPC, Keras, TensorFlow

OTHERS

- Teaching Assistant Machine Learning (Spring 2021), Algorithms-II (Autumn 2020)
- Fluent in English (TOEFL: 112/120) and Hindi, beginner in Japanese (~ N4) and Spanish (~A1).