## TUSHAR MAKKAR

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#### Education

## Bachelor of Technology, Computer Engineering

May 2015

National Institute of Technology, Surathkal, Karnataka, India

CGPA: 9.36/10.0, Department Rank: 4/107

## All India Senior Secondary School Examination (C.B.S.E)

July 2011

P.K.R. Jain Sr. Sec. Public School, Ambala, Haryana, India

Percentage Secured: 95.6%, District Rank: 1

# All India Secondary School Examination (C.B.S.E)

July 2009

P.K.R. Jain Sr. Sec. Public School, Ambala, Haryana, India

Percentage Secured : 98%, District Rank: 1

#### Experience

## Senior Software Engineer (Data Science), Rivigo

March 2017-Present

- *Pricing Engine*: It enables Rivigo to present best route price for transporters and supply side to ensure better return load efficiencies and more business for fleet owners/brokers using machine learning models. *Patent* pending for the same.
- Demand Recommendation Engine: It recommends users on the basis of their business potential and suggests serviceable load requests to those users.
- Rating Engine: It provides rating for users using 300+ data points, which are extracted on the basis of app usage, phone usage and platform business performance data.

#### Software Development Engineer - 2, CodeNation

June 2015-March 2017

- Library Suggestion Engine: It analyzes code and yields opportunities where a developer could have used an external library to make codebase more secure, simpler and easy to comprehend.
- Underwent through Trilogy University (TU'15).

# Software Engineering Intern/Researcher, Google

May 2014-July 2014

- Word Sense Disambiguation: Designed the algorithm for finding context of a word using Cooccurence based classifier and WordNet.
- Worked in Ray Kurzweil's Machine Intelligence Group.

Protocol Designer and ML Developer (Founding Engineer), Trestor Jan 2014-Oct 2015

• Trest: Developed and designed a new P2P cryptocurrency. Implemented network layer protocols, consensus algorithm and biometric authentication system.

### Software Engineering Intern/Researcher, Algorithmic Insight

May 2013-July 2013

• Least Cost Fulfillment Algorithm: Implementated and designed the algorithm for systemizing the order fulfillment process of The Supplies Group using Genetic algorithm based approach.

### Projects

### Voluptuous

April 2016

- Voluptuous, despite the name, is a Python data validation library. It is primarily intended for validating data coming into Python as JSON, YAML, etc.
- Part of 2-member core Voluptuous open-source development team. It has 1300+ github stars.

#### Patents

#### Library suggestion engine

USPTO

Library suggestion engine analyses code and yield library substitution opportunities using Machine Learning and NLP techniques.

#### Publications

## Context aware searching of components in large repositories

IEEE

Proposed a new approach to locate software components from large component online open source repositories faster encompassing the techniques like context-aware browsing, Hidden Markov Models based ranking and semantic tagging.

### Dirichlet Based Collaborative Intrusion Detection Systems

Springer

Proposed a new approach for making Intrusion Detection System more robust using a unique mix of Dirichlet Distribution based collaborative trust model and Nash-Equilibrium.

#### Awards

### Competitive Programming

- Ranked **3rd** among Indian teams in IEEEXtreeme-7.0.
- All World Rank 15 in Instruo-2013 held at Codechef.
- Solved 300+ problems in Spoj. Handle: tusharmakkar08.
- Qualified for both ACM ICPC Amritapuri regionals and ACM ICPC Kharagpur regionals.

### Haryana Pratibha Samman Award

• Recieved Haryana Pratibha Samman Award from Chief Minister of Haryana for securing **AIR - 3** in High School Examination.

## Performance in Olympiads/Hackathons/Competition

- Winner of Hackathon Code.Fun.Do organised by Microsoft.
- Top 10 worldwide in IBM Smarter planet challenge.
- AIR 1 in Holy Faith's National Talent Search Exam.
- AIR 21 in National Science Olympiad.

### IIT JEE and AIEEE

 $\bullet$  Amongst the Top-1% in IIT JEE 2011 and Top-0.3% in AIEEE 2011.

#### Others

- Convenor of Web Enthusiasts Club, an elite group of Computer Enthusiasts at NITK.
- Microsoft Student Partner and Joint Head of NITK Codechef Campus Chapter.
- Executive Member NITK IEEE Student Branch and Amateur Astronomers Club (previously SGC).
- Joint Convenor of Computer Committee in Engineer 2014, the technical fest of NITK.
- Teaching Volunteer at Teach For India, Make a Difference and Guru Nanak Sewa Sansthan.