# **Udit Arora**

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# **EDUCATION**

## NETAJI SUBHAS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

B.E. IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING May 2016 | Delhi, India CGPA: 8.04/10

## **AWARDS**

## MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

- For academic performance in 3rd & 4th year of undergraduate INTL. ASSESSMENT FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS BY UNSW | 2007

- Highest marks in CS in Delhi

#### MATHS MIND | 2008

- Ranked fourth

## **INTERESTS**

## **COMPETITIVE CODING**

## CODECHEF FEB15 CHALLENGE

- Highest score in India for challenge problem
   SPOJ
- Solved 200+ problems ACM ICPC 2015
- Chennai regional finalist, in top 5% among 1500+ teams

#### **MOOCS**

Introduction to Linux Algorithms: Design & Analysis Machine Learning Deeplearning.ai Specialization Convolutional Neural Networks for Visual Recognition

#### **OTHER**

PRESIDENT | Finance and Economics Society, NSIT 2014-15

# **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: C • C++ • C# • Java • Python • PHP Web:

HTML • CSS • JS • jQuery
ML/DL Frameworks:
scikit-learn • TensorFlow • Keras
Other:

MySQL • Git

## **EXPERIENCE**

#### IIIT DELHI | RESEARCH ASSOCIATE (August'18 - Present)

- Solving research problems related to fraudulent behavior on social media platforms using NLP and ML at LCS2 (http://lcs2.iiitd.edu.in/).
- User and content level detection of blackmarket-driven collusion for gaining inorganic appraisals on Twitter using different embedding methods.
- Multimodal text summarization for educational content using deep learning.

## MICROSOFT INDIA (R&D) | SOFTWARE ENGINEER (June'16 - July'18)

- Delivered impactful work for Excel, Kaizala and Skype for Business Server.
- Developed innovative ways of sharing Excel content and integration of Excel with a messaging app. Filed a **patent with the USPTO** for the same.
- Worked on a time-driven release of Kaizala UWP. Developed the Chat Page and workflows like heterogeneous message views and custom cards.
- Developed the Cloud Call Analytics feature for Skype for Business Server 2019, building a secure pipeline to upload call telemetry data to the cloud.
- Winner of the OneWeek 2017 Hackathon in Rajesh Jha's executive challenge developed a utility to scan and analyze receipts in Excel.

## ASPIRING APPS | SOFTWARE INTERN (March'14 - July'14)

- Worked on key enhancements for SocialCalc spreadsheets, feature additions like Dropbox integration and an in-app purchase framework for Android/iOS.
- Developed a platform for distribution of Web-Apps using Python-Tornado.

# PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN

### AUTOMATED CRICKET UMPIRE git.io/cricketbtp

A computer vision project to make cricket umpiring decisions like Wide/No Ball and LBW from a single smartphone camera feed using a ball tracking mechanism - used SVM for ball detection and min. enclosing circle to track the ball's coordinates.

#### GUIDANCE SYSTEM FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED goo.gl/adZ4Hf

A computer vision project to assist the visually impaired by using contour detection and Haar Classifier on a Raspberry Pi to detect zebra crossings and crosswalks.

#### OS ALGORITHM VISUALIZATION APP git.io/osava

A desktop/android app for visualizing various operating system algorithms (CPU Scheduling, Page Replacement, etc.) - developed using Kivy framework in Python.

#### NUCLEAR CHAIN REACTION goo.gl/FPLR3j

A variant of Chain Reaction game for Android with an option to play against Al CPU bots, and integration of Google Play Game Services - 7000+ downloads.

#### NSIT PERCENTAGE CALCULATOR goo.gl/cH7W47

A web-based tool to enable NSIT students to calculate and analyze their overall percentage - used by over 10000 students from NSIT.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Published:

- Yadav, S. , Chakraborty, P. , Mittal, P. and **Arora, U.** (2018), Children aged 6-24 months like to watch YouTube videos but could not learn anything from them. Acta Paediatr. . **doi:10.1111/apa.14291** 

#### **Under Review:**

- **Arora U.**, Dutta H., Joshi B., Chetan A., Chakraborty T. (2018), Analyzing and Detecting Collusive Users Involved in Blackmarket Retweeting Activities.
- Chakraborty P., **Arora U.**, Mukhija N. et al. (2017), An Android app to visualize and teach algorithms used in operating systems.