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## **Educational Qualifications**

Year	Degree	Institution	CPI/Percentage
2013-2017(Expected)	B.Tech, Computer Science and Engineering	Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur	9.4/10*
2013	AISSCE(CBSE 12th)	DAV Public School, Kota	92.4
2011	AISSE(CBSE 10th)	Mayoor School, Ajmer	10/10

<sup>\*</sup>At the beginning of the fifth semester

### Scholastic Achievements

- Secured All India Rank (AIR) 132 (top 0.09%) in IIT Joint Entrance Examination (JEE) 2013
- Selected to appear in INJSO, 2009; INJAO, 2009 and INChO, 2012: National Olympiads conducted by HBCSE, India
  for being amongst the top 300 in India.
- Amongst the **top 100** out of 1000 selected from all over India for **NTSE Scholarship**, **2009**: a prestigious scholarship funded by NCERT, Delhi.
- Awarded a certificate for being the amongst the top 1 percentile in India in NSEP.
- Awarded Merit Certificate by CBSE for securing 10/10 CGPA in 10th class.

## Proffesional Experience

 Summer Internship at Altisource Business Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru (Networking Department)

(May-July, 2015)

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Project CHEF

Objective: To automate configuration management of the organisation

- \* Automation of application installation and customisation was achieved with the features of easy customisation of software version, software configuration, etc.
- \* Any error encountered while installation or any major update was automatically reported
- \* Inventory management with reporting of key parameters like IP address, CPU count, memory, storage, etc. was automated
- \* The scripts to achieve above were written in DSL of CHEF
- \* The above was done for a cluster of hundred nodes
- \* Time and cost for building, upgrading and repairing infrastructure was significantly brought down

## Project Graphite

Objective: To report server parameters through graphs using Graphite

- \* Installation of Graphite and its components Carbon and Whisper was done on a server
- \* Graphite was configured with setting retention periods using regex, configuring database
- \* Python scripting was done to input data into Carbon which involved data parsing and socket programming
- \* Testing with large data was done
- \* Real time monitoring of a scalable infrastructure was achieved
- \* The graphs helped in easy auditing of multiple machines by monitoring crucial parameters

## **Projects**

 Scotland Yard Computer Game (Under Programming Club, IITK)

(May-June, 2014)

- Designed GUI of the game using Pygame library in Python
- Used Graph Theory to link the map of the city with a graph for use in Al
- Wrote the AI of the game using Minimax Algorithm in Python
- Used sockets library to extend it to a Multiplayer Version that can be played on LAN
- News Article Classifier (Under ACA, IITK)

(Jan-Feb 2014)

- Used Beautiful Soup library in Python to extract news articles from websites
- Used the Reuters Corpus for classification of words into different categories
- Used the NLTK library to write a classifier that classified news articles on the basis of topics it was written upon i.e.
   Politics, Sports, Science, etc.
- CAM Hammer

(As part of TA201: Manufacturing Processes)

(Aug-Nov 2014)

- Awarded 2nd best Sectional Project
- Building a miniature CAM Hammer using Cast Iron
- Processes of welding, brazing, casting and sheet metal forming are being primarily used

#### Relevant Courses

Grades mentioned in parentheses and ongoing courses are marked with #

CS210: Data Structure and Algorithms (A*)	CS220: Introduction to Computer Organisation (A)	
CS251: Computing Laboratory (A)	CS201: Discrete Mathematics (A)	
ESC101: Fundamentals of Computing (A)	MTH101: Real Analysis (A)	

#### Technical Skills

- Programming Languages: C, C++, Python
- OS: Windows, Linux
- Tools: CHEF, Graphite
- Other: Git, Latex, Bash Scripting, Octave, Verilog, Assembly

#### Extra-Curricular Achievements

- Programming
  - Active member of Programming Club, IITK
  - Enthusiastic Competitive Programmer
- English Literary Activities / Debating / Oration
  - Adjudged Best Debater in Middle and Senior Section in School
  - Represented School in various Inter School Debate Competitions
  - Stood 1st in Galaxy, an Intra IITK cultural fest
- Quiz
  - School Quiz Team Captain
  - Represented School in various Inter School Quiz Competitions
- Tennis

- U-17 School Tennis Team Captain
- Member of Alumni Contact Program(ACP), IITK: A program aimed at improving Alumni Relations

## Positions of Responsibility

- Senior Executive, Public Relations, Antaragni14
  - Invited eminent personalities for Antaragni
  - Helped in managing events and looked after the guests
- Academic Mentor
  - Academic Mentor of ESC101 to 1st year students