Yusuf H. Roohani

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

Jan 2014 - Aug 2015

M.S., Mechanical Engineering.

GPA: 4.0/4.0

Coursework: Machine Learning, Computer Systems (15-213), Robot Kinematics and Dynamics, Computational Fluid Dynamics, Microfluidics, Microelectromechanical Systems

Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore, India

Jul 2009 - Jun 2013

B.Tech., Mechanical Engineering.

GPA: 8.81/10

GRE: Verbal: (99 percentile) 168/170, Quant: (95 percentile) 168/170

336/340

COURSEWORK WHILE WORKING FULL-TIME Harvard Extension School, Cambridge, MA

Jul 2016 - May 2017

Linear Algebra & Real Analysis (23A), Mathematical Statistics (E-156), GPA: 3.8/4.0 Data Structures and Algorithms (CS-124)

Work Experience GlaxoSmithKline, Cambridge, MA

Manager, Machine Learning Engineer

Apr 2019 - Present

GlaxoSmithKline, Cambridge, MA

Investigator

Nov 2017 - Mar 2019

- Leading a team of 4 to develop a computer vision platform for high throughput discovery
- Relating phenotypic readouts from cellular imaging with other datatypes eg: genomics
- Designing both the models and the end to end software workflows
- \bullet Created and lead company-wide machine learning journal club, monthly attendance > 30

GlaxoSmithKline, Waltham, MA

Data Scientist

Jul 2016 - Oct 2017

- Conducted machine learning research to uncover new drug targets and lead molecules
- Main efforts: Designing deep learning solutions for cellular imaging, histopathology
- Designed regular feedforward approaches as well as generative models, with validation
- Active contributor to team strategy, leadership engagement, academic collaborations

Theranos Inc., Palo Alto, CA

Associate Scientist, Modeler

May 2016 - Jun 2016

• Designed statistical & mechanistic approaches to predict diabetes onset using blood testing

Merrimack Pharmaceuticals, Cambridge, MA

Computational Modeler Intern

Sep 2015 - Apr 2016

- Developed dynamic system models to mechanistically simulate signaling networks in cancer
- Compared results against patient data to identify biomarkers for patient stratification

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

Research Assistant

May 2014 - Aug 2015

- Led a DOE sponsored project to model impacts of shale development on ozone, PM_{2.5}
- Published policy recommendations based on results and current federal regulations.

Tata Industries, Mumbai, India

Technical Analyst Intern

Sep 2013 - Nov 2013

- Studied the latest research in material science under the strategic venture capital division
- Advised board on investments in commercially viable options through market research

SKILLS

Computer Programming: Python, R, C, C++, Fortran, Bash, OWL/SWRL Applications: Tensorflow, MATLAB, LATEX, Git, SQL, SolidWorks, Protege, Caffe

Posters

Roohani Y., Sajid N., Hope T., Price C., Madhyastha P., Predicting Language Recovery after Stroke with Convolutional Networks on Stitched MRI, NeurIPS ML4H Workshop, 2018 Roohani, Y., Accelerating Phenotypic Drug Discovery using Deep Learning based Image Analysis New York Academy of Science, Symp. Deep Learning in Drug Discovery, 2018 Roohani, Y., Hoffman, A., Musso, R., Richmond, N., Deep Learning for Robust Phenotyping of High Content Cellular Images High Content Analysis, 2017 Curley, M., Tan, G., Yannatos, I., Camblin, A., Roohani, Y., Iadevaia, S., Louis, C., Lugovskoy, A. Istiratumab (MM-141), a bispecific antibody targeting IGF-1R and ErbB3, inhibits pro-survival signaling in vitro ... AACR, 2016. Abstract nr 1209.

PUBLICATIONS

Roohani Y., Kiss E., Improving Accuracy of Nuclei Segmentation by Reducing Histological Image Variability. In: Stoyanov D. et al. (eds) Computational Pathology and Ophthalmic Medical Image Analysis. MICCAI, COMPAY 2018. *LNCS*, vol 11039. Springer, 2018 Shokoohi H., LeSaux M., Roohani Y., Litepio A., Huang C., Blaivas M. Enhanced point-of-care ultrasound applications by integrating automated feature-learning systems using deep learning, *J Ultrasound Med.*, 2018

Roohani, Y., Roy, A., Heo, J., Robinson, A., & Adams, P. Impact of natural gas development in the Marcellus and Utica Shales on regional ozone and fine particulate matter levels. *Atmospheric Environment*, 2017.

INVITED TALKS

Accelerating High Throughput Drug Discovery Using Deep Learning. ReWork, Deep Learning for Healthcare, Boston 2018

Guest Lecture: Data Analytics and Machine Learning in Drug Discovery. Foundations of Data Analytics, School of Engineering, Tufts University, 2019

Assessing biological diversity of a compound collection using high throughput cellular imaging Society for Lab Automation and Screening Conference, 2020 MICCAI (2019)

Reviewing

Honors and Awards GSK Exceptional Science Award For application and embedding of deep learning to the challenge of phenotyping cellular images (\$17000 in cash and shares) (2018)

Advisory Board Member Serving on the board for MS in Data Analytics at Tufts University Graduate School of Arts and Sciences (2018)

Data Study Group Participant Selected to participate in a data study group (with paid travel and accomodation) at the Alan Turing Institute in London, UK. (2018)

Research Assistantship Awarded a PhD level research stipend as a Master's student (2015)
Undergraduate Research Assistantship Tuition covered for spending a semester at a nanotechnology research centre at Purdue University for my undergraduate thesis (2013)
Merit Certificate for Academic Excellence (International student) for each of the 4 years in college (2010/11/12/13)

Extra-Curriculars Executive Director of the Debate Society, VIT

Jul 2010 - May 2012

Personally trained more than 50 fellow students in effective argumentation through organizing and conducting regular sessions and debates. Independently drafted a written constitution.