# MANOJ JOSHI

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#### PERSONAL STATEMENT

My research interests involve the development of continual and data-efficient intelligent systems. Currently, I have been focusing on domains such as few-shot learning, transfer learning, meta-learning, and domain adaptation.

#### **EDUCATION**

# Institute of Engineering, Tribhuwan University M.Sc Computer Systems and Knowledge Engineering

2019 - 2021

85.60 %

Thesis: Meta-Learning and Fast-Adaptation for 3D head pose estimation

Project: Hyperspectral Spatial Objects Separation By Convolutional Autoencoders

Advanced College of Engineering and Management, Tribhuwan University B.E. in Computer Engineering

2011 - 2015

62.23 %

Thesis: College Management Information System

#### JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

1. **[IJERTCS 2023]** Joshi, M., Pant, D. R., Heikkonen, J., Kanth, R. (2023). "One, Five, and Ten-Shot-Based Meta-Learning for Computationally Efficient Head Pose Estimation.," 14(1), 1-24. http://doi.org/10.4018/IJERTCS.316877

#### CONFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

- [FRUCT 2022] M. Joshi, D. R. Pant, R. R. Karn, J. Heikkonen and R. Kanth, "Meta-Learning, Fast Adaptation, and Latent Representation for Head Pose Estimation," 2022 31st Conference of Open Innovations Association (FRUCT), 2022, pp. 71-78, doi: 10.23919/FRUCT54823.2022.9770932.
- 2. [IOEGC 2021] Joshi, M., Pant, D. R., & Acharya, B. (2021). "Head pose estimation by few shot learning techniques". Proceedings of 10th IOE Graduate Conference, 10, 1391–1397.
- [IOEGC 2021] Acharya, B., Pant, D. R., & Joshi, M. (2021). "Spiking Neural Network based Handwritten Devanagari Character Recognition". Proceedings of 10th IOE Graduate Conference, 10, 1383–1390.

# TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Programming Languages

C/C++, Python, C#, Javascript, SQL

Machile Learning Pytorch, Tensorflow, Scikit-Learn, Matplotlib, Numpy, Pandas

Web Development ASP.NET Core, React, Django

# WORK EXPERIENCE

# Cotiviti Nepal Pvt. Ltd.

2021 - Continue

Senior Software Engineer

Working as .NET Engineer on research and development department of Cotiviti. Responsible for developing claim processing systems.

Senior Software Engineer

Co-founder and senior software engineer. Responsible for developing online MOOC portal.

# Verscend Technologies Pvt. Ltd

2017 - 2019

Data Analyst

Worked as .NET Engineer on research and development department of Verscend (currently Cotiviti). Responsible for developing claim processing systems.

#### Silent Turtle Pvt. Ltd

2016 - 2017

Software Engineer

Co-founder and software engineer. Responsible for developing various e-commerce applications.

# TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Part time lecturer at Kathmandu Engineering College: Web Technologies, Enterprise Application Design and Development
- Part time lecturer at Sambriddhi College: Web Development with Django, Data Structure and Algorithms
- Part time lecturer at British College: Databases, Foundations of Mathematics, Introduction to Java Programming

#### **AWARDS**

- Winner of the Hackathon organized by COTIVITI Nepal. Project Title: PHI/PII data de-identification using transformers from screenshots.
- Winner of the best project award in Tech Bihani project exhibition organized by project associate of computer and electronics (PACE), Advanced College of Engineering and Management, Nepal. *Project Title: Android based school management system*.

### **PARTICIPATION**

- Participated on National Military Science and Technology Competition(MSTC), Nepal. *Project Title:* Secure information exchange using image steganography.
- Participated on National Robotics Competition organized by Robotics Association of Nepal. *Project Title: Bluetooth controlled robot using ATmega16 microcontroller*

#### ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

• Graduated with distinction with rank  $5^{th}$  in overall, and topper in one semester in M.Sc. Computer System and Knowledge Engineering, Institute of Engineering, Pulchowk, Nepal

# **SEMINARS**

• Conducted a two-day long seminar on Fundamentals of Machine Learning to the students of Bachelor of Education in Computer Science and Information Technology, Far-western University, Kanchanpur, Nepal.