Surya Pusapati

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" I am a data-driven engineer, with passion to solve real-world problems using Engineering, Software and Data Science techniques."

WORK EXPERIENCE

Engineering Assistant SaskTel, Regina, SK	Sep 2023 – current
 Plan and take necessary actions to provision network equipment in core and transpor Automate few steps in equipment provisioning to push low touch provisioning 	t network
Research Assistantship (Seasonal) University of Regina, Regina, SK	Jun 2023 – Sep 2023
 Research Internship Ericsson, Montréal, QC Conducted research on optimizing 5G network systems using AI techniques Published research articles on this research work 	Nov 2020 – Aug 2022
Engineering Tutor / Graduate Teaching Assistant / Teaching Assistant University of Regina, Regina, SK	May 2020 – Dec 2022
EDUCATION	
Master of Applied Science – Machine Learning (GPA: 4.0/4.0) University of Regina, Regina, SK	Jan 2020 – Apr 2023
 Opted for advanced courses in Numerical Methods, Artificial Neural Networks, and Thesis topic: Cellular Network KPI Prediction on Simulated 5G-NR V2N Traffic Da Learning 	
Bachelor of Technology – Mechanical Engineering (GPA: 3.64/4.0) Gayatri Vidya Parishad College of Engineering (A), Visakhapatnam, AP, India	Jul 2015 – Apr 2019
 Opted for specialization courses in Manufacturing Technology, Automobile Enginee Project topic: Design and Fabrication of Radio-controlled Mini Rover with Audio-vi 	•
TECHNICAL SKILLS	
Data Science concepts: Descriptive and Inferential Statistics, Hypotheses Testing, Explo Mining, Data Visualization, Regression Analysis, Statistical Modeling, Machine Learning Programming & Analysis: Python, C/C++, SQL, MATLAB, MS Excel Python packages: NumPy, Pandas, SciPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Plotly, Scikit-learn, Kera	g, Deep Learning

Dashboards & Visualization: MS Power BI, Tableau

Software Development: PyCharm, Jupyter Notebook, Spyder, Visual Studio Code, GitHub

Documentation & Presentation: MS Word, MS PowerPoint, HTML, Markdown

Design & Drafting: AutoCAD, CATIA, Solid Works, Solid Edge

PROJECTS ON DATA SCIENCE

Cellular Network KPI Prediction on Simulated 5G-NR V2N Traffic Dataset

- Developed a Python module to ease data processing of simulation outputs •
- Developed three network KPI prediction models using Machine Learning •
- Published articles on this novel use case of Machine Learning in 5G communication

Binary Classification of Wine Variants using Machine Learning

- Developed a heatmap figure to visualize the behaviour of the Machine Learning models using Python
- Multiple Machine Learning models are trained to classify two wine variants

Network Monitoring and User Behavior Analysis using Neural Network

- Developed two Artificial Neural Network (ANN) classifiers to predict network KPIs using IP traffic dataset
- In Network Monitoring: Deep ANN predicts recently visited website •
- In User Behavior: Deep ANN classifies the level of traffic consumption
- Improved the data quality using data manipulation methods in Pandas and NumPy .
- In comparison, the developed Deep ANN classifiers out-performed other Machine Learning algorithms •

Neural Network Model to Predict Spatiotemporal Patterns of users inside Buildings

- Developed an ANN algorithm called MLP to predict spatiotemporal patterns of mobile device of user such as location of mobile device, type of mobile device, and time
- Prepared the dataset for training of MLP model by using ETL methods •
- The performance of the MLP outperformed other start-of-art Machine Learning algorithms in the literature •

CERTIFICATIONS

: Machine Learning A-Z: Python in Data Science : Statistics for Data Science and Business Analysis	Jun 2022 Jan 2021 Aug 2020
: Python for Data Science and Machine Learning Bootcamp	Jul 2020
	 Master SQL for Data Science Machine Learning A-Z: Python in Data Science Statistics for Data Science and Business Analysis Python for Data Science and Machine Learning Bootcamp

PARTICIPATIONS

• Elevator Pitch in Reverse Career Fair held at the University of Regina	Mar 2023
Developed `anm` package in Python to perform Advanced Numerical Methods	Feb 2023
• Presented master's thesis at the Graduate Conference held at the University of Regina	Oct 2022
• Presented a conference paper at the 2022 IEEE Future Networks World Forum at Montré	al Oct 2022
• Lecture on "Introduction to Python" for a graduate course at the University of Regina	Sep 2022
Volunteered as International Peer Advisor at the University of Regina	May 2021 - Aug 2021

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

FGSR Scholarly Award	Mar 2023
FGSR Graduate Student Online Conference & Travel Award	Nov 2022
URGSA Travel Award	Nov 2022
MITACS Accelerator Program	Oct 2020 – Nov 2022
UR Graduate Scholarship	Aug 2020

Sep 2022

Dec 2020

Apr 2020

Apr 2021