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# **EDUCATION**

## **IIIT HYDERABAD**

MS BY RESEARCH IN ECE Ongoing | Hyderabad, Telangana Cum. GPA: 7.83 / 10.0

## **PES UNIVERSITY**

B.E. IN ECE

May 2016 | Bengaluru, Karnataka Cum. GPA: 8.15 / 10.0

## **DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL**

May 2011 Ranchi, India Percentage: 87%

# **COURSEWORK**

## MS BY RESEARCH

Speech Signal Processing Statisitcal Methods in Al Adaptive Signal Processing Signal Detection and Estimation Theory Time Frequency Analysis Deep Learning Theory and Practices

#### **UNDERGRADUATE**

Differential Equations, Vector Calculus and Special Functions Signals and Systems Linear Algebra Probability and Random Process Digital Signal Processing Computer Networks

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

## **PROGRAMMING**

Python • Shell • MATLAB Familiar:

C • JAVA • GO • Verilog

Frameworks:

PyTorch

#### SPEECH SIGNAL PROCESSING

Speech algorithms to extract Vocal-track, Excitation source, Prosody Features etc
• MFCC • LP Analysis • Glottal Volume Velocity(GVV) • Zero Frequency Filtering(ZFF) • Envelope Modulation Spectrum(EMS) • Long Term Average Spectrum(LTAS) • Spectrogram

## **CLOUD TECHNOLOGY**

#### Familiar:

• Docker • Kubernetes

## RESEARCH

## LTRC SPEECH PROCESSING LAB | RESEARCH ASSISTANT

- My research advised by **Dr. Anil Kumar Vuppala** focuses on the recognition of Alzheimer's Dementia subjects from spontaneous speech.
- Worked with different speech(acoustic) and prosody features and compared their performance for the task of Alzheimer's Dementia classification from spontaneous speech.
- Assembled different Deep Learning Architecture using variants of Feed Forward NN, CNN and RNN to capture the local and temporal properties in speech utterance for AD classification task.
- Finally, my research interests lies in extracting features from texts and speech, using different transformer based Language Models(BERT) and using approaches of transfer learning for small dataset. I also have keen interest in assembling the right deep learning model for different applications.

## **EXPERIENCE**

## WIPRO GMT | ASSOCIATE CONSULTANT

August 2016 - December 2017 | Bengaluru, Karnataka

- CIENA ONOS project: Idnentifying and fixing defects in ONOS(Open Network Operating System) SDN Controller
- Huawei CAE project: Cloud Application Engine, involved developing and hosting application on the cloud using container technology
- CISCO NEXUS 1000v project: Maintainance and development of NEXUS 1000v Switches(CISCO SDN Switch)

# **PROJECTS**

## Supervised Learning

- Classified Face using six different features (Eigen Face, Fisher Face, KernelPCA, Kernel Fisher Face, VGG Face, ResNet) by training MLP classifier on Yale Face, Indian Movie Face, and IIIT-CFW and used t-SNE for face visualization using PyTorch.
- Implemented data dimensionality reduction on the CIFAR-10 dataset and classified using SVM.
- Sentiment classification with BERT and Hugging Face

#### **Unsupervised Learning**

• Implemented Manifold learning methods - MDS, LLE, and ISOMAP. Performed K-means and Spectral Clustering on the Concentric Circles and Swiss roll dataset and performed visualization using manifold in 2-D using PyTorch.

## **Speech Projects**

- Neural style transfer of audio with PyTorch
- Understanding and implementation of wavelet Transform and Scattering Transform.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

[1] N. A. Vats, A. Yadavalli, K. Gurugubelli, and A. K. Vuppala. Acoustic features, bert model and their complementary nature for alzheimer's dementia detection. In IC3 2021: Thirteenth International Conference on Contemporary Computing, Noida, India, August 5 - 7, 2021, pages 267–272. ACM, 2021.