

Yash Garg

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Machine Learning Researcher, Nokia Bell Labs

PhD in Computer Science

INTERESTS

Representation Learning, Convolutional Networks, Time Series Analysis, Tabular Data Mining, Language Models, Automated Machine Learning, Interpretable AI

EDUCATION

PhD in Computer Science

Dec 2020

Arizona State University

Tempe, AZ, US

- Recipient of Graduate College Doctoral Fellowship
- Recipient of Computer Science Doctoral Fellowship
- Outstanding Mentor Award
- ACM Student Grant

M.S. in Computer Science

Dec 2015

Arizona State University

Tempe, AZ, US

B.E. in Computer Science & Engineering

Jun 2013

Rajiv Gandhi Technological University

Bhopal, MP, India

EXPERIENCE

Nokia Bell Labs

Jan 2021 - Present

Machine Learning Researcher

Murray Hills, NJ, US

- Automated end-to-end framework for tabular and sequential data processing and modelling.
- Data-driven approach that extracts insight from any data set in a domain-agnostic way to facilitate the model building process.

Arizona State University

May 2015 - Dec 2020

Graduate Research Assistant

Tempe, AZ, US

- Developed a principled approach to discover insights from the data to perform **single-shot hyperparameter search** and **retraining-free sparsification** of network parameter.
- Leveraged **multi-scale patterns** contained in the data to design novel **attention mechanism**, such as localized, cross, and multi-scale multi-head attention, for **multimedia retrieval**.

Nokia Bell Labs

Jun 2019 - Aug 2019

Data Science Intern

Murray Hills, NJ, US

- Developed an **automated representation** learning framework for rare event detection in streams.
- Designed a **budgeted** approach to *learn* the **length of buffer window** for learning representation for streaming time series. Patent in review.

Eaton Corporation

May 2018 - Aug 2018

Data Science Intern

Menomonee Falls, WI, US

- Designed a **deep ensemble model** for **time series forecasting** in large-scale sensor network.
- Developed a NodeJS based **spatio-temporal visualization** engine for 1000s sensor.

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

AI/Machine Learning Frameworks	Tensorflow, Keras, PyCaret, Scipy, scikit-learn, Pandas, h5py
Models	MLFlow, Sphnix, MKDocs, GitFlow, Docker, DataIKU, Einblick
Databases	VGG, ResNet, InceptionNet, Transformers, BERT
Web Technologies	MongoDB, MySQL, PostgreSQL
	JavaScript, jQuery, HTML, CSS

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

★ First Author | ◇ Co Author | + Equal Contribution | <https://yashgarg1232.github.io/research/>

Conferences

- ★ XM2A: Multi-Scale Multi-Head Attention with Cross-Talk, MIPR 2021
- ★ SDMA: Saliency-Driven Mutual Cross Attention, ICPR 2021
- ★ SAN: Scale-Space Attention Network, ICDE 2020
- ★ iSparse: Output Informed Sparsification of Neural Networks, ICMR 2020
- ★ RACKNet: Robust Allocation of Convolutional Kernels in Neural Networks, ICMR 2019
- +★ On the Effectiveness of Distance Measures for Similarity Search in Sensory Data, ICMR 2017

Journals

- ◇ Selego: Robust Variate Selection for Accurate Time Series Forecasting, ECML-PKDD 2021
- + DataStorm: Coupled, Continuous Simulations for Complex Urban Environment, TDS 2021
- ◇ DataStorm-FE: A Data and Devision-Flow Engine for Coupled Simulation Ensembles, VLDB 2018

Demonstrations

- + SIMDMS:Data Management and Analysis to Support Decision Making Through Large Simulation Ensembles, EDBT 2017

Workshop

- ★ ReTriM: Reconstructive Triplet Loss for Learning Reduced Embeddings for Multi-Variate Time Series, ICDMW, HDM 2021
- + Load-Adaptive Continuous Coupled-Simulation with DataStorm and Chameleon, CC 2019
- ◇ NOTES2: Network-of-Traces for Epidemic Spread Simulations, AAAI Workshop, 2015

Dissertation/Thesis

- ★ On Feature Saliency and Deep Neural Networks, Ph.D. Dissertation, Arizona State University, 2020
- ★ Multi-Variate Time Series Similarity Measures and their Robustness Against Temporal Asynchrony, MS Thesis, Arizona State University, 2015

Patents

- ◇ Akyamac, Ahmet, Lehman, Gerald, and *Garg, Yash*, “Apparatus, Method, and System for Providing a Sample Representation for Event Prediction”. Filed Jan 8, 2020 (FI). In Review.