# ANKUR BHATIA

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#### EDUCATION

UIET, Panjab University

Bachelor of Engineering, Electronics and Communications

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS AND SKILLS

Research Interests	Deep Learning, Robotics, Computer Vision
Computer Languages	C/C++, Python.
Technologies & Frameworks	Tensorflow,Keras,OpenCV,ROS,Git,Linux,Microcontrollers.

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### Technology Intern

The Ideaz Factory - Chandigarh

 $\cdot\,$  Fetching, Cleaning and Filtering Data (from Viator, Google Api's, etc.) and generating Analysis.

## Winter Research Intern

Robita Lab, IIIT Allahabad; Advisors: Prof. G.C. Nandi

- $\cdot$  Developed Human Emotion Recognition System for Nao humanoid robot. Multi-modal classification and context recognition using deep learning on real time text, audio and video.
- Includes Research and Prototyping of various Fusion Models, Feature Extraction of Audio, Text and Video(Context-Background and Facial) LINK

## Summer Research Intern - IIT Delhi

Advisors: Dr. Aakanksha Chowdhery (Google Brain) and Prof. Brejesh Lall

- $\cdot$  Calibration of cheap MQ135 (for CO2) and DSM501A (for PM2.5) sensor with an accurate ground truth sensor for easy air quality monitoring.
- Time Series forecasting on real time data with a fully functional pipeline of detection of the nearest CPCB station from the user, and providing predictions for Personal Air Quality Monitoring. LINK

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

## Reddit Flair Prediction and EDA

- · Flair Prediction from subreddit r/india posts with full analysis on feature selection and model selection.
- $\cdot$  Developed a web based flask application and an api to get predictions using the post url. LINK

## Eyantra Robotics Competition - Autonomous Bot - IIT Bombay October 2018 - Mar 2019

- $\cdot$  Developed an Autonomous bot that can pick, place and stack objects and follow through the shortest paths to complete the task using Raspberry Pi, Arduino and Image Processing.
- $\cdot$  Developed I2C for communication and FSM, PID algorithm for accurate control of robot. LINK

## Vision Based Pedestrian Detection using Thermal Camera, UIET, PU Dec 2018 - Mar 2019

· Developed Fast-RCNN model using transfer learning on our own collected dataset using FLIR Infrared Camera in different weather conditions, people, clothes, time, etc. LINK

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND MENTORING EXPERIENCE

CIFAR DLRL Summer School 2020 Grant, Oxford ML Summer School 2020 Grant, Mentor in Open-Source (LearnITGirl, Student-Code-In), Secure AI Scholarship Udacity, Instructor Deep Learning Course at Programmig Club UIET, Founder PClub Summer of Code 2020, Co-Chair and Speaker at Software Freedom Day, Dell Campus Ambassador(Top 5 in India), Boys Hostel Secretary (2019)

May 2020

April 2020 - Present

June 2019 - August 2019

December 2019 - February 2020

Aug 2017 - Present CGPA: 9.23/10