

# Manikanta Bukapindi

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### Dayananda Sagar College Of Engineering, Bangalore

B.E in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Engineering | CGPA: 9.70

Karnataka, India Dec, 2020 – Jul, 2024

#### EXPERIENCES

#### SandLogic | Deep Learning Intern (7 months)

Feb 2023 - Aug 2023

- Created and deployed a cutting-edge drone system using deepstream and YoloV8 with 48mAP, enhancing response time and boosting rescue success rate by 50% for search and rescue operations.
- Built and applied a custom CNN model in C++, delivering 40% higher performance than Python-based PyTorch solutions as a research team member.

# SIFF Young Artiste | Project Intern (7 months)

Sep 2022 - Mar 2023

- Developed a frontend and a backend for an online voting system using HTML, CSS, Flask API, PHP, and XAMPP server.
- Tested and debugged the system for functionality and security issues.

#### Projects

PharmAIcist | View Project | AI in the Discovery of Drugs to Inhibit Alzheimer's Disease | Team size: 4

- Leveraged machine learning to predict bioactivity and toxicity probability scores of chemical compounds, enabling targeted research in neurodegenerative disorders.
- Developed and evaluated 10 ML models, selecting Random Forest as the best model with 90% accuracy for bioactivity prediction based on CHEMBL Dataset.
- Visualized and interpreted the results using matplotlib and seaborn libraries.

## TraffiKAI | View Project | A-EYE on roads | Team size: 4

- Developed an Automated Traffic Signal System with Dynamic Traffic Signaling and Emergency Vehicle Detection using computer vision and deep learning techniques.
- Built the classification model by using various transfer machine learning techniques such as Vgg16, Resnet50 and Single-Shot-Detector Object Detection model for emergency vehicle detection and density score calculation.
- Designed and developed a user interface for real-time traffic flow optimization using PyQT5.

### SKILLS

- DS/ML/AI: Python, DS lifecycle, ANN/CNN techniques, Transfer Learnings, Data Preprocessing
- Python Framework/Modules: Sklearn, Pytorch, keras, Numpy, Pandas, Tensorflow, Opency.
- Mlops Tools: Git, GitHub Actions, Docker, AWS Code pipeline, and Google Firebase
- Programming and DB Languages: Python, Java, C, C++, SQL

# ACHIEVEMENTS

- Centuriton Hackathon | Won the AI/ML track in a national-level hackathon by MSRIT college, outperforming 50 other teams.
- Intel OneAPI Hackathon | Secured the first place in the Intel oneAPI Hackathon among 12 finalist teams and became a student ambassador.

#### Volunteer Experience

# Intel Student Ambassador

• Led a cross-architecture programming workshop for 60 students using the oneAPI toolkit and the Intel Developer cloud, achieving a 40% increase in CPU performance without CUDA.