

# Arnav Ghosh

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## EDUCATION

**Cornell University**, College of Engineering, Ithaca N.Y  
Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

Expected May 2019

**GPA:** 3.79; **Dean's List:** Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2018

**Coursework:** Machine Learning • Natural Language Processing • Computer Vision • Object-Oriented Programming • Data Structures • Operating Systems • Functional Programming • Databases • Algorithms

**Languages:** Python • Java • C • SQL • JavaScript • HTML • CSS • OCaml • Unix

**Technologies:** Keras • Tensorflow • OpenCV • Pandas • Numpy • scikit-learn • Spacy • Django • Git • Maven

## SOFTWARE ENGINEERING EXPERIENCE

**Undergraduate Research Engineer**, *Cornell Database Group*, Cornell University

Summer 2018

- Conceptualized a voice querying system for databases, under the guidance of Prof. Immanuel Trummer
- Created systems that built query results by defining probability distributions over values in the database
- Implemented baseline models to transcribe speech, rank query results and built query clarification systems using Monte Carlo Search Trees and Apache Lucene in Java

**Software Engineering Intern - NLP**, *Arya.ai*, Mumbai

Summer 2017

- Developed a sentiment analysis tool using Logistic Regression and SVMs as part of the NLP Products Team
- Created frontend and backend services to allow companies to add datasets, run models and visualize results
- Implemented a platform extension to analyze and report misclassifications by all tools

**Software Engineering Intern**, *Inayo*, Mumbai

Summer 2016

- Worked on a Chatbot to connect customers and Inayo's medical partners, enabling questions about medical procedures, disease monitoring and insurance policies
- Created a Django application to automatically generate question-answer pairs from company manuals and FAQs
- Implemented a system to parse queries, pick follow-up questions and recommend other sources of information
- Trained the application to choose answers with 87% accuracy, using IBM Watson's APIs

## ORGANIZATIONS - APPLICATION DEVELOPMENT & DATA SCIENCE

**Data Scientist**, *Cornell Data Science*, Cornell University

Feb. 2018 – Present

- Trained SVMs with scikit-learn and pandas to detect duplicate questions on forums with 80% accuracy
- Using Convolutional Neural Networks to detect and isolate the presence of pneumonia in chest radiographs

**Software Developer**, *Operations Research Group*, Cornell University

March 2017 – Aug. 2018

- Designed algorithms to help storage firms create truck routes that reduce fuel usage and travel time by 34%
- Developed a Java application to model and evaluate the cost, scalability and adaptiveness of different routing algorithms using Monte Carlo simulations

**Back-End Developer**, *Cornell Design & Technology Initiative*, Cornell University

Oct. 2016 – Present

- Working on a mobile application to allow Cornell students to view, filter and schedule over 5000 campus events
- Created a Django application to ease the process of authenticating users, uploading and editing event details
- Designed REST APIs to access event details, identify devices via token authentication and implemented paging

## INDEPENDENT PROJECTS

**Detecting Forged Images**, *Computer Vision*, Cornell University

Sept. 2018 – Dec. 2018

- Proposed and evaluated methods to detect artificial regions in images using Convolutional Neural Networks

**Natural Text Q&A Automation**, *Natural Language Processing*, Cornell University

Dec. 2017

- Designed a system to answer questions from text by selecting candidate answers using parse-trees
- Achieved a 6-fold improvement over baselines using Word2Vec embeddings to create candidate content vectors

**OCindle – eReader for OCaml**, *Functional Programming*, Cornell University

Nov. 2016

- Created a customizable GUI to manage books; designed APIs to add, delete and search notes, highlights
- Developed unit tests, logging services and extensive technical documentation for easy extensibility

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

**Teaching Assistant**, *Object-Oriented Programming & Data Structures*, Ithaca N.Y

Aug. 2016 – Present

- Hold office hours for 3 hrs/week and lead a weekly recitation of 35 students; Helped students understand the fundamentals of using data structures efficiently and programming effectively in Java