

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Bloomberg L.P.**, 731 Lexington Av. New York NY, USA **June 2015 – Present**
Software Engineer – Index Apps Team
- Developed engine to let users build their own rules-based equity indices. These indices can originate from any point-in-time, with support for periodic rebalancing and daily corporate-action adjustments.
 - Initiated usage of *Apache Spark* for end-of-day pricing of thousands of custom created indices.
 - Enhanced support for major fixed-income securities since acquisition of *Bloomberg Barclays Index* business.
 - Heavily worked on app enhancements, Linux migration efforts, MiFid II.
 - Added support to configure default equity-index, useful for various benchmark calculations.
 - Recruiting captain for CMU, involved with FIRST robotics mentoring etc.

EDUCATION

- **Carnegie Mellon University**, Pittsburgh, USA **GPA:** 3.83/4.00 **August 2013 – May 2015**
Master of Science, Electrical and Computer Engineering
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| 18-640 Computer Architecture | 18-648 Real-Time Embedded Systems | 15-618 Parallel Computer Architecture |
| 15-745 Optimizing Compilers | 18-213 Intro to Computer Systems | |
| 18-765 Digital System Testing | 18-743 Energy Aware Computing | |
- **VIT University**, Vellore, India **GPA:** 9.03/ 10.00 **July 2009 – May 2013**
Bachelor of Technology, Electronics and Communication Engineering

SKILLS

Tools: git, gdb, dbx, JIRA, Jenkins, Apache Spark, Splunk **Platforms:** Linux Variants, Windows, Mac OSX
Languages: C++, C, Java, Javascript **Scripting:** Python, Shell **Assembly:** x86, x86-64

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

- **Parallel Computer Architecture**, *Carnegie Mellon, Robotics Institute, Spring 2015*
Implemented a parallel algorithm to localize objects in an image using MPI over multiple machines and cores, and obtained 9x speedup using 32 cores on Intel Xeon E5-2680v2 on AWS. Details at: <http://namanjain236.github.io/perception/>
- **Real-time Embedded Systems**, *Carnegie Mellon, Fall 2014*
- Implemented 'Resource kernel' framework for real-time tasks by enforcing hard timing constraints on CPU utilization.
 - Implemented multi-processor scheduling using bin-packing heuristics.
 - Introduced a new power-saving governor based on Sys-Clock Algorithm to the kernel.
 - Built an Android application for setting/canceling/monitoring timing reservation on tasks using custom syscalls.
- **Energy-Aware Computing**, *Carnegie Mellon, Fall 2014*
- Simulated heterogeneous architecture using 'big', 'small' cores and determined optimal number of big cores, with respect to number of cores on chip, as 1:4 for most benchmarks.
 - Designed novel IPC-based dynamic scheduling policy.
- **Optimizing Compilers**, *Carnegie Mellon, Spring 2014*
Implemented loop perforation in LLVM compiler to improve performance with bounded accuracy trade-off. Benchmarked simulations proved 1.83x speedup with only ~0.5% accuracy loss in most of the cases.
- **Embedded Systems**, *VIT University, 2012-2013*
- **Humanoid Robot for Industrial Applications:** Built a humanoid robot, *iZac*, capable of walking, climbing and executing highly stabilized hand movements.
 - **Driver Assistance System for Blind Turns:** Designed and implemented the system to avoid accidents on blind turns using automated traffic signals using wireless sensor network. *Sponsored by DSIR (Govt. of India)*

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- **Teaching Assistant, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh** **May 2014-December 2014**
Designed course projects for *Computer Architecture* course using gem5 simulator infrastructure.
- Implemented YAGS and gshare predictor designs. Added instrumentation for instruction buffer and ROB utilization.
 - Implemented replacement policies LRU, LFU and cache coherence protocol (MSI, using SLICC) in gem5.
- **Research Intern, Institut Supérieur d'Electronique de Paris (ISEP), Paris** **Jan 2013-May 2013**
Resolved limited storage issues of semantic web using sampling operators to drop RDF triples from the incoming data.

ACADEMIC AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- **Indian Patent** (No. 5311/CHE/2012) pending for *Driver Assistance System* project, VIT University, 2012-2013.
- **Best Project Runner-up Award**, Poster Presentation, Energy-Aware Computing, Fall 2014.
- **NRDC Meritorious Invention Award – 2012**, National Research Development Corporation at Dehradun in 2014.
- **1st Prize, IEEE AIYEHUM – 2012** for *Virtually Writing Gloves* at Bangalore in 2012.
- **Best Paper Award**, Paper Presentation, **IEEE Eureka** for *Virtually Controlled Robotic Arm* at Kshitij 2012, IIT-K.
- Received **Young Achievers Award** at VIT University, Vellore in 2012.