



# Vatsal Goel

B.Tech - Electronics and Electrical Engineering  
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## EDUCATION

Degree/Certificate	Institute/Board	CGPA/Percentage	Year
B.Tech	Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati	9.22 (Current)	2016 - Present
Minor	Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati	8.67 (Current)	2017 - Present
Senior secondary	Maharashtra State board	87.8%	2016
Secondary	ICSE board	96.4%	2014

## PROJECTS

- **Optical Character Recognition using Deep Learning** *Ongoing*
  - Designed a model for detecting text handwriting from images of texts. *bit.ly/2MNUiln*
  - Worked in keras using Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN) and Long Short Term Memory (LSTM) cells.
  - Currently working on word segmentation techniques.
- **Autonomous Robot for Library Enhancement** *Ongoing*
  - Project under 4i Labs, Robotics Club, IIT Guwahati (8 member team)*
  - An initiative to make IITG library the first automated library which allows human intervention and increase the efficiency of book searching and arranging in the shelves.
  - Worked with robotic localization and bar-codes.
  - Currently working on object detection (static and dynamic) using Deep Learning and Computer Vision.
- **Safety device for Fishing Vessels** *Winter 2017*
  - Inter-IIT Tech meet 2018 (4 member team)* *bit.ly/2QzMPYM*
  - Designed a cost-effective system to alert fishing trawlers and other miniature vessels about approaching ships so that they can safely manoeuvre away from them.
  - Worked with nRF sensors , AIS signals, Antennas and Distress Systems.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Programming languages** : C, C++, Python, Java, MATLAB, HTML \*, CSS \*, Octave \*
  - **Miscellaneous** : Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Image Processing
  - **Libraries** : Numpy, Tensorflow \*, Keras
  - **Operating system** : Windows, Linux \*
- \* Elementary proficiency*

## KEY COURSES TAKEN

- Machine Learning (Coursera)
- Deep Learning Specialization (Coursera)
- Data Structures and Algorithms
- Probability and Random Processes
- AI for Robotics (Udacity)
- Introduction to Game Theory
- Introduction to Computer Vision (Udacity)
- Graph and Automata Theory
- Digital Circuits and Microprocessors
- Advanced Calculus
- Linear Algebra

## POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

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- **Core Team, Techniche 2018** (The annual Techno-Management Fest of IIT Guwahati).
  - Managed a team of 10 members, responsible towards bringing international exhibitions and speakers consisting of some of the most influential leaders in the industry.
- **Branch Representative**, Electronics and Electrical Engineering, Pre - Final Year (2018-2019)
- **Core Team, Guwahati Half-Marathon 2018** (The largest half-marathon organized in North East India)
- Organizer, Industrial Conclave, and Exhibitions, Techniche 2017
- City Representative - Pune, Technothon 2018 (largest student-organized logic exam in India).

## ACHIEVEMENTS

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- **Inter IIT Tech Meet 2018** : Obtained a bronze medal for the project "Safety device for Fishing Vessels" competing against 18 other IITs.
- **Joint Entrance Examination Advanced 2016** : Secured All India Rank 1471 in one of the most competitive entrance exams of India among 150,000 candidates shortlisted for the test through JEE Mains.
- **Joint Entrance Examination Mains 2016** : Secured All India Rank of 1548 among 1.1 million candidates appearing for the test.