



### Departmental News

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Computer Science Doctoral student, Manisha Panta Earns an Internship with Intuit for Summer 2022



University of New Orleans computer science doctoral student Manisha Panta has been selected as a Data Scientist Intern at Intuit for the second summer in a row. The 12-week, highly competitive program will be held remotely.

Panta will be involved in various duties as part of the full cycle of building Machine Learning capabilities, including data exploration, hypothesis formulation, data generation and cleansing, model development, evaluation and testing, insight generation and visualization. Panta will be performing her internship fulltime at an hourly rate of \$60.

“*Internships are great opportunities to put education into practice, gaining real-world experiences while being a student. I am thrilled to be back at Intuit as a Data Scientist Intern for Summer 2022. During my internship last year, I worked in a conversational AI team building deep learning models. This year, I plan to continue from where I left. I am always thankful to the computer science department for its continuous support & encouragement.*”

Doctoral student Panta’s dissertation is supervised by Abdelguerfi Mahdi, Computer Science chairman and Tamjid Hoque, associate professor of Computer Science. The research theme of Panta’s dissertation is the “Near Real-time Faults Detection in Floor Water Control Structures Using Drone Imagery.”