

# BRAJESH PATIL

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## Education

**VJTI** Jan 2021 – July 2024  
*Bachelor of Technology in Electronics and Telecommunications (CGPA: 8.29)* Mumbai, Maharashtra

## Experience/Internships

**Neptunus Power Plant Services Pvt. Ltd.** July 2024 – October 2024  
*Management Trainee: Product Design* Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra

- Automated system setup for Vibox units using **Shell Scripting**, reducing deployment time.
- Streamlined firmware and hardware testing for embedded controllers using **C**, **Python**, and **Shell scripting**, improving efficiency.
- Installed and configured Vibox systems on client ships, managing networking and integration.
- Worked with industrial communication protocols (**4-20mA**, **RS485**, **RS232**, **CAN**, **MODBUS**).

**Fractal.ai** June 2023 – August 2023  
*Project Intern at CEO's Office* Mumbai, Maharashtra

- Research on papers exploring the **"Impact of Generative AI on Various Industries"**
- Conducted research on Generative AI's impact across industries to guide strategic investments.
- Implemented a **CNN-based face detection system** using **Python**, enabling employee recognition in-office.

## Projects

**Linux Kernel Driver for BME280** 🐙 | *Raspberry Pi, Kernel Modules, Device Tree Overlays* February 2025

- Developed a **Linux Kernel Module** for the **BME280** environmental sensor on a **Raspberry Pi 5 (Linux kernel 6.6.74)**.
- Configured the sensor using **Device Tree Overlays** on the **I<sup>2</sup>C** bus.
- Implemented a **sysfs** interface, enabling users to read **temperature**, **pressure**, and **humidity** data and configure parameters.
- Tested and debugged the driver using standard Linux tools (**Make**, **insmod**, **lsmod**, **dmesg**).

**Single Board Computer (SBC) for UAV applications** 🐙 | *SIMA MLSoC, Hardware Design* March 2024

- Designed an **SBC** based on the **SiMa.ai MLSoC**, supporting **SLAM**, **VIO**, and **autonomous guidance** for UAVs.
- Developed hardware designs in **Altium Designer**, integrating **Gigabit Ethernet**, multiple **UARTs**, **I2C**, **SPI**, and robust memory (**LPDDR4 DRAM**, **eMMC**).
- Designed **efficient** power management with **dual power inputs (USB Type C and XT-60)** and multiple voltage rails.
- Developed **GPS**, **GSM**, and **WiFi** modules to ensure reliable operation in **UAV** environments.

**Marsian Rover for International Rover Challenge** 🐙 | *Arduino MEGA, Embedded C* January 2023

- Developed an **in-situ** soil testing module for a rover to **collect** and **analyze** soil samples for signs of life.
- Designed a **PCB** for working of hardware components including a **Nema17 stepper motor**, **drill mechanism**, **actuator**, and integrated sensors (**MLX90614**, **BMP180**, **DHT22**, **SHT20**, **MQ135**) for environmental monitoring.
- Programmed an **Arduino-based** control system to automate **sample collection**, **chemical testing**, and **sensor data integration**.

## Technical Skills

**Languages:** C, C++, Python, Java, Shell Scripting

**Frameworks:** Linux Kernel Modules, FreeRTOS

**Technologies:** Linux, Raspberry Pi, Arduino, Device Tree Overlays, Git

**Developer Tools:** VS Code, GDB, GCC, Makefile, vim, nano, Kicad, Altium

## Leadership Extracurricular

**Vishwa (Astronomy and Space Club of VJTI)** May 2022 – Present  
*Electronics Sub-system Member* VJTI

- Managed electronics for **Science Sub-System**, interfacing sensors with the microcontroller.
- Delivered a lecture on **C programming** and **Arduino**, focusing on **embedded systems**.

**Enthusia (Sports Club of VJTI)** August 2022 – February 2023  
*Public Relations Head* VJTI