# **HEMAN**

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#### SUMMARY

Robotics Engineer passionate about equipping machines with the ability to think, learn, and adapt through system integration, motion planning, and Al-driven perception systems. Proficient in designing, simulating, and implementing robotics applications that enhance automation and create intelligent systems. Committed to pushing the boundaries of robotics technology, transforming machines into autonomous entities capable of dynamic decision-making and cognitive functionality.

#### **EDUCATION**

# University of California, Riverside

Sept 2023 - Dec 2024

Master of Science in Robotics, Automation, and Mechatronics

Major: Robotics Focus: Artificial Intelligence and Perception GPA: 3.45/4.0

Relevant Coursework: Advanced Computer Vision, Trustworthy Artificial Intelligence, Fundamentals of Deep Learning

Maharshi Dayanand University, India

Jul 2017 - Jul 2021

Bachelor of Technology in Mechanical Engineering

### **EXPERIENCE**

## Orangewood Labs (YC-18), India

June 2024 - Aug 2024

Robotic Software Engineer Intern (Remote)

- Developed and implemented 2D trajectory planning algorithms for the AutoSpray Robot, utilizing ROS and C++ to automate precise wall painting operations.
- Designed and optimized real-time online trajectory generation in C++, leveraging **control theory**, **kinematic modeling**, and **path planning algorithms** for smooth motion execution.
- Engineered advanced motion planning for 3D surfaces, incorporating inverse kinematics, dynamic obstacle avoidance, and Movelt! to navigate complex geometries.
- Integrated path optimization techniques with C++ and ROS, enhancing the robot's adaptability and performance in dynamic environments.

### EFEV Charging Solutions Pvt Ltd., Sonipat, India

Dec 2022 - Sept 2023

Design Engineer (Research and Development Department)

- Led the design and development of three-wheeler EV projects, Muver and Muver+, ensuring production readiness and compliance with ISO 9001/14001 standards.
- Designed jigs and fixtures to streamline assembly processes and improve overall manufacturing efficiency.
- Collaborated with the production team to oversee the design-to-production transition, ensuring alignment with high-quality manufacturing practices.
- Managed EBOM and MBOM using ERP software, optimizing procurement workflows and maintaining efficient production processes.
- Performed FEA using ANSYS for structural integrity and developed detailed 3D models using SolidWorks and CATIA, focusing on cost-effective material selection for new product development.

#### Moog Advance Systems Pvt. Ltd., Gurugram, India

Mar 2022 - Nov 2022

Mechanical Design Engineer (Research and Development Department)

- Designed components for armored vehicles, steering assemblies, and military weapons, ensuring compliance with rigorous specifications.
- Created detailed production drawings using AutoCAD and SolidWorks.

# Greenvolt Mobility LLP, Ahmedabad, India

June 2021 - Nov 2021

Mechanical Engineer Intern (Research and Development Department)

- Designed a data acquisition device for capturing driving scenarios on Indian roads, essential for training autonomous vehicle algorithms, using **C++** and **Python** for data processing.
- Developed a testing system to evaluate motor, controller, and battery pack performance, showcasing expertise in system integration, testing, and performance evaluation with **C++**.
- Contributed to the design of a telescopic suspension system for two-wheelers, focusing on mechanical design, ergonomics, and vehicle dynamics.

# Honda Two-Wheeler Pvt. Ltd., Manesar, India

June 2019 – July 2019

Trainee

- Inspected wiring harnesses in **Honda Shine (150cc)**, **Honda CBR150**, and **Hornet** models, ensuring compliance with quality standards.
- Assisted in the manual assembly of the African Twin, gaining hands-on experience in component integration and assembly processes.
- Analyzed the engine assembly workflow for Activa and Honda Shine (150cc), identifying opportunities for automation
  to streamline repetitive tasks and improve efficiency.

#### SKILLS

Programming: Python, C/C++, MATLAB, HTML, CSS

Robotics Simulation: Robot Operating System (ROS1, ROS2), Gazebo, Movelt!, Simultaneous Localization and Mapping

(SLAM), Point Cloud Library (PCL), Carla, Mujoco

Software Tools: SolidWorks (Certified SolidWorks Associate - CSWA), AutoCAD, CATIA, Creo, ANSYS

Operating Systems: Linux, Windows, Raspberry Pi

Development Tools: Docker, Git, Amazon Web Services (AWS), Jenkins

Machining: Welding, Computer Numerical Control (CNC), Lathe Machine, Sheet Metal Fabrication, 3D Printing

Design Analysis: Design for Assembly (DFA), Design for Manufacturing (DFM), Geometric Dimensioning and Tolerancing

(GD&T)

#### **PROJECTS**

### Teleoperation (Robotic and Explainable Al Lab - In Progress)

Advisor: Professor Mingyu Cai

- Lead Robotics Lab: Directed lab operations and coordinated a multidisciplinary team to advance research and development in teleoperation systems.
- Enhanced Action Recognition & System Integration: Developed and fine-tuned MAML models utilizing TSM features and RGB data to enhance action recognition accuracy. Implemented imitation learning algorithms on the Aloha v2 kit, while integrating force sensors into CAD designs, resulting in improved robot autonomy and functionality.

#### Sensor Development (RAMS LAB - In Progress)

Advisor: Professor Jun Sheng

· Conducting research to develop sensors for **soft robots**, focusing on measuring resistance to length changes.

#### Depth-Based Object Localization and Manipulation with a Kinova Arm

• Developed an integrated system using ROS, Movelt!, and a Kinova Gen3 Lite robotic arm with a Robotiq 2F-140 gripper for real-time object detection via **Darknet ROS** and 3D localization with **point cloud processing**. Implemented a two-step motion planning for pick-and-place operations. Github Link || Medium

## Kinematic & Dynamics of Kinova\_gen3

- Designed and fabricated a 4-degree-of-freedom robotic arm using **SolidWorks** and 3D printing for rapid prototyping.
- Implemented advanced kinematics algorithms in Python and MATLAB for precise motion control, integrated with Arduino and ROS for real-time interfacing. Github Link || Medium

#### **Quadruped Robot (In Progress)**

Designed and developed a 4-legged robot for dynamic movement using SolidWorks. Implemented Gazebo and ROS
for simulation and control.

#### **Real-time Driver Behavior Detection**

- Developed a real-time driver attentiveness detection system using **Python**, **OpenCV**, and deep neural networks for immediate safety interventions. Github Link
- Engineered algorithms for real-time data processing and computer vision analysis to enhance driver focus and safety.

#### **Fabrication of FDM 3D Printer**

• Optimized **thermoplastic filament production** by blending materials with additives and nanofibers for enhanced mechanical properties, applying precise process parameters for efficiency.

## **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- Hackathon Champion: 1st place at CipherSchools Hackathon, August 2020
- Science Competition Winner: 2nd place, Department of Environment of Science
- Athletics: 1st in 2017 & 3rd in 2019 Inter-College Badminton Championships