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EDUCATION

NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY

BS AEROSPACE ENGINEERING
BS APPLIED MATHEMATICS
Expected May 2024 | Raleigh, NC
GPA: 4.0 / 4.0
Park Scholar
Dean's List (All Semesters)

COURSEWORK

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

- Engineering Dynamics (*Spring 2022*)
- Solid Mechanics (*Spring 2022*)
- Aerodynamics (*Spring 2022*)
- Aerospace Vehicle Performance
- Engineering Statics
- Intro to Aerospace Engineering
- Intro to Computing - MATLAB
- Foundations of Graphics (CAD)

APPLIED MATHEMATICS

- Mathematical Foundations of Data Science (*Spring 2022*)
- Methods of Applied Mathematics
- Mathematical/Real Analysis
- Introduction to Modern Algebra
- Linear Algebra
- Applied Differential Equations
- Probability & Statistics
- Foundations of Advanced Mathematics

SKILLS

Programming/Software:

C • C++ • Java • Python • MATLAB •
Simulink • OpenCV • Linux (Ubuntu,
Raspbian) • Microsoft Office • \LaTeX •
JIRA • Confluence • Git

CAD:

Solidworks • Autodesk Fusion 360 •
Siemens NX • GrabCAD

LINKS

Github:// [kmgovind](#)
LinkedIn:// [kmgovind](#)
Website://
[kmgovind.github.io/DigitalPortfolio](#)

EXPERIENCE

MAE CORE LAB | RESEARCH ASSISTANT

June 2019 - Present | Raleigh, NC

- Developing novel persistent-planning algorithms for renewably-powered vehicles in spatiotemporally-varying environments.
- Designed and built composite control surfaces and electronics modules for autonomous sailing drones.
- Designed a ROS-based communication protocol for interfacing with RF-based communication hardware for use on autonomous sailing drones.

Technologies: MATLAB, Simulink, ROS, Solidworks, Git

LIQUID ROCKETRY LAB | CFO & STRUCTURES ENGINEER

September 2020 - Present | Raleigh, NC

- Designing/building liquid bi-propellant powered rocket on a flight past 100km in altitude.
- Managing financial and legal responsibilities for the organization.
- Developing dynamic model to derive optimal design parameters and design flight control system.
- Designing structural components for guidance, navigation, and control (GNC) of liquid-powered rocket.

Technologies: MATLAB, Java, Siemens NX, JIRA, Confluence, Git

NASA L'SPACE MCA | ENGINEERING TEAM (GNC & POWER SYSTEMS)

May 2021 - August 2021 | Virtual

- Developed lunar rover concept for the sampling of possible ice water reservoirs on lunar south pole.
- Developed preliminary design review and presented concept to NASA engineers for review.
- Designed GNC and power systems for lunar rover concept.

Technologies: MATLAB, Simulink, ROS, Solidworks

INSPIRENC | CHAIRMAN

July 2018 - Present | Cary, NC

- Managed operations of the nonprofit and provided hundreds of students in the RTP-area with equitable access to STEAM education.
- Established a lasting relationship with local companies, earning over \$100k in sponsorship/support.

PUBLICATIONS

Coverage-Maximizing Solar-Powered Autonomous Surface Vehicle Control for Persistent Gulf Stream Observation

Under Review | American Control Conference

PROJECTS

Detailed descriptions available at my website

Information-Based Path-Planning
Computer-Vision Aided Robotics
Yebo (Online yearbook)
Remote-Controlled Car

Technologies: MATLAB

Technologies: Java, Python, OpenCV

Technologies: Python, Django, Git

Technologies: C, C#, Arduino