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Objective

I will leverage my advanced knowledge in computer engineering, along with hands-on experience in AI, machine learning, electric vehicle technologies, and drone technology, as an Electrical and Computer Engineer. As a master's candidate at California State University, Northridge, I aim to contribute to innovative projects and collaborate with a dynamic team to solve complex engineering problems and drive technological advancement.

Education

Master of Science in Computer Engineering

California State University, Northridge

Expected Graduation: 2026

Bachelor of Technology in Electronics and Computer Engineering

A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technological University, Kerala 2017 - 2021

• Final Year Project: Fire Extinguishing with Sound Waves

Experience

Founder

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- Developed a drone prototype with a battery-swapping feature.
- Raised \$12,000 for prototyping through various government grants.
- Partnered with Kerala Startup Mission and Rajadhani Institute of Engineering and Technology.
- Incubated at AICTE IDEA Lab and Cisco ThingQbator.
- Gained hands-on experience in design, product development, market strategies, programming, and CAD.

Projects

Drone Battery-Swapping Prototype

- **Overview**: Developed an innovative prototype designed to automate battery swapping for drones, aiming to extend flight time and operational efficiency.
- **Role**: As the idea originator, I was responsible for troubleshooting and resolving technical challenges throughout the development process.
- Responsibilities:
 - Served as the hardware technician, ensuring all components functioned seamlessly.
 - o Acted as the programmer, developing software for the automation process.
 - Functioned as the backup CAD designer, creating and modifying designs as needed.

Skills

- **Programming Languages**: Python, Embedded C, VHDL
- **Software/Tools**: SolidWorks, MATLAB, AMD Vivado, Keil Microvision, Microsoft Office
- Technical Skills: Teamwork, Communication, Organization, Problem Solving

Certifications

- IBM Data Science Specialization
- Python Certification
- PowerPoint Certification
- 3D Printing Certification

Extracurricular Activities

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Institution Innovation Cell 2020 – 2021 Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Cell 2019 – 2020

- Oversaw innovation initiatives and creative projects, fostering an environment of entrepreneurship.
- Collaborated with faculty and students to promote research and development activities.