

# Industrial Automation Track

Comprehensive Understanding & Simulation Skills

**Agnes**

# Phase 1 (Month 1): Automation & PLC Fundamentals

(Online)



## Automation Systems & Sensors

- **Foundation of Control:** Explore the principles of modern industrial automation systems, which integrate cutting-edge solutions to enhance productivity and efficiency.
- **Role of Sensors:** Understand how sensors act as the 'eyes and ears' of an automation system, providing critical data for monitoring and decision-making.



## Actuators, Motors & Control

- **Driving Action:** Learn about actuators and motors—components that execute commands and perform physical work, including robotic applications for improved accuracy.
- **Core Principles:** Dive into basic control theory, grasping the concepts that govern how automation systems regulate outputs to ensure stable and precise operations.



## PLC Programming & Data

- **PLC Core:** Master the fundamentals of PLCs, the 'brains' of industrial operations that monitor and control complex data to ensure safety and efficiency.
- **Programming & Application:** Gain practical skills in PLC programming and data manipulation, essential for configuring systems and managing operational information.

# Phase 1 (Month 2): HMI, Networks & Emerging Tech

Integrating Visualization, Connectivity, and Intelligence

## HMI & SCADA Concepts



- 👁️ **Visualization & Control:** Develop intuitive HMI for clear visualization and efficient operator control.
- 📊 **System Oversight:** Explore SCADA systems for monitoring complex processes, ensuring safety and optimizing operations.

Intuitive Interfaces

Real-time Data

System Safety

## Industrial Network Protocols

- 🔄 **Connectivity Backbone:** Master protocols like PROFINET & Modbus TCP/IP, the backbone for seamless communication between PLCs, HMIs, sensors, and actuators.
- 🔒 **Reliable Data Exchange:** Understand the principles governing secure and reliable data transfer, forming the communication foundation for integrated automation.

Seamless Communication

Data Integrity

System Integration

## Robotics & Machine Vision



## Industrial IoT (IIoT) & Scoping





# Phase 2 (Month 3): Capstone Project Immersion

Offline Application & Integration: Building an Automated Assembly Line



## Automated Line Design & PLC Core



**Strategic Blueprint:** Design comprehensive assembly lines, integrating cutting-edge solutions to enhance productivity and define operational sequences.

**PLC as the Brain:** Architect the PLC structure, the central decision-maker, to monitor and control complex data, ensuring safety and efficiency.

System Integration

Control Logic



## Advanced Control & Interfacing



**Complex Logic Development:** Master advanced PLC programming, including state machines and sophisticated data handling for precise process control.

**Intuitive HMI & Communication:** Develop clear HMIs for efficient control and establish robust communication protocols for integrated system performance.



## Robotic & Vision Systems



**Intelligent Automation:** Integrate industrial robots for accuracy and speed. Implement machine vision for quality control and precision guidance.

**System Refinement:** Develop expertise in systematic troubleshooting and apply optimization techniques to fine-tune system performance for maximum efficiency.

Precision Movement

Quality Assurance

# Program Culmination & Career Readiness

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## Final Project Showcase



**Demonstrating Mastery:** Present capstone projects integrating PLC, HMI, robotics, and IIoT into a functional solution.

**Comprehensive Deliverables:** Meticulous documentation of project design, implementation, and results, validating technical understanding.

Technical Proficiency

Problem Solving

Analytical Reporting



## Career & Professional Growth



**Enhancing Employability:** Workshops on resume building, interview techniques, and personal branding for the competitive job market.

**Strategic Connections:** Network with industry experts and potential employers to foster career-advancing relationships.

Industry Readiness

Professional Skills

Networking



## Recognition & Future Readiness



**Formal Achievement:** A graduation ceremony celebrating the successful completion of rigorous automation training.

**Industry-Recognized Certification:** Receive certification affirming specialized skills and enhancing professional credentials.

Academic Success

Skill Validation

Career Launch