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Specialization: Thermal and Fluids Engineering

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Examination	University	Institute	Year	CPI / %
Post Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2021	9.19
Graduation	CSVTU, Bhilai	Bhilai Institute of Technology, Durg	2017	8.81
Graduation Specialization: Mechanical Engineering				
Intermediate	CBSE	Sri Chaitanya Techno School	2013	91.20%
Matriculation	CBSE	Kalyanika Kendriya Shiksha Niketan	2011	9.8

### SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

• Submitted conference paper for FMFP titled "Paper-based Microfluidic Pump for Point-of-Care Applications" (2020)

• Secured 99.21 percentile among 1.9 lakhs candidates in GATE-ME 2018

• Ranked 86 in Chhattisgarh State Pre-Engineering Test (C.G.P.E.T.-2013)

(2018)(2013)

## KEY PROJECTS AND SEMINAR

• Paper-based passive microfluidic pump for point -of-care applications (M.Tech. Project, Advisor: Prof. Prasanna Gandhi)

(Jan'20-Present)

Motivation	• Spontaneous <b>transport</b> of fluid from tiny <b>pores</b> and channels because of dominant <b>capillary</b> forces		
Work Completed	<ul> <li>Theoretically predicted volumetric flow through pump using reported mathematical models</li> <li>Simulated flow from the individual components (capillary tube and filter-paper) of the capillary pump using COMSOL Multiphysics and obtained pressure and velocity field in the flow domain</li> <li>Reduced noise in the recorded signal and improved experimental repeatability by setup modification</li> <li>Experimentally investigated flow rate from test prototype for a few channel and paper dimension</li> </ul>		
Future Work	<ul> <li>Flow simulation to predict the volumetric flow and discover key parameters affecting the flow</li> <li>Integration of multiple flow channels on one chip to obtain multiple flow rate and sequential flow</li> </ul>		
Outcome	Developed prototype will be able to deliver near constant flow rate without electricity		

• Study of fluid flow through porous media

(M.Tech. Seminar, Advisor: Prof. Prasanna Gandhi)

(Jul'19-Nov'19)

- o Reviewed the concepts of capillary flow, and paper-fluidics for various geometrical arrangements of paper
- Explored the possibility of **model integration** which can be suited for **development** of microfluidic chip
- Design analysis and modification of elliptical leaf spring

(Team of 4)

(BE Project, Advisor: Prof. Manoj Kr. Pal, Bhilai Institute of Technology, Durg)

(Jan'17-May'17)

- o Modelled elliptical leaf spring in Creo parametric and performed static analysis using Ansys Mechanical
- Explored the possibility of two shape modification in place of rectangular cross-section of the elliptical spring
- o Obtained reduced equivalent stress in trapezoidal shape and increased equivalent stress in parabolic shape, as compared to conventional spring, thus found trapezoidal shape a preferred modification to conventional spring

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

• Software Packages: Ansys, COMSOL, Simulink

• Programming Language: C, C++, MATLAB, Python

• Python Libraries: NumPy, pandas, scikit-learn, Matplotlib

• Other Tools: LATEX, MS Office

### RESEARCH AND INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE

### • Research Assistant

(Suman Mashuwala Advanced Micro-engineering Lab, IITB, Advisor: Prof. Prasanna Gandhi)

(July'18-Present)

- Involved in research work with 10+ multidisciplinary scholars on project under the IMPRINT India initiative
- Working on pump-less fluid pumping device with Achira Labs, Bangaluru; to be integrated into their product

# • Design and failure analysis of pattern stripper mechanism (Bhilai Steel Plant (SAIL), Bhilai CG, Guide: Mr. K. K. Thakur)

(Team of 5) (June'16)

Underwent 4 week project based training to design and carry out failure analysis of pattern stripper

- o Modelled a pattern stripper to separate pattern from core without damaging core and mould cavity
- o Achieved a factor of safety of 5.34 for the pattern stripper mechanism which is up to the industrial standard

#### **COURSE PROJECTS**

- Study of thermal boundary layer (TBL) interaction between two vertical surfaces using interferometry (Team of 2) (Optical Methods in Mechanical Engineering, Instructor: Prof. Atul Shrivastava) (July'19-Nov'19)
  - $\circ \ \ \textbf{Developed} \ \text{vertical parallel plate} \ \textbf{test} \ \textbf{setup} \ \text{with adjustable} \ \text{gap} \ \text{and} \ \text{heating} \ \text{arrangement} \ \text{to} \ \textbf{study} \ \textbf{TBL} \ \textbf{interaction}$
  - o Captured the development of TBL from initial transient to study state using Mach-Zehnder interferometer
  - o Qualitatively determined the effect of boundary layer interaction on local heat transfer coefficient
  - o Analysed interferogram to determine entrance length and boundary layer thickness between heated plates
- Controller design for solar array actuation system used for on-board power generation in satellite (System Modelling, Dynamics and Control (Audit), Instructor: **Prof. Ashok Joshi**) (July'19-Nov'19)
  - o Designed a PD controller with root locus method and tracked ramp input ( 2% error criteria) using Simulink
  - Achieved **settling time** of **150** seconds with **13**% peak **overshoot** as a system **response** for the compensated system
- Regression and classification of steam table dataset using classical machine learning algorithms (Team of 4) (Engineering Data Mining and Applications, Instructor: **Prof. Vinay Kulkarni**) (July'19-Nov'19)
  - Fit regression and classification models on steam dataset to predict the enthalpy and state of water respectively
  - Decision tree regressor and classifier outperformed other regression (OLS, Lasso, Ridge) and classification models (Artificial neural network, Support vector machine) in terms of model predictability
  - Used **grid search** method to find **optimum hyperparameters** for classification models
- Development and validation of Navier-Stokes code

(Computational Fluid Dynamics and Heat Transfer, Instructor: **Prof. Atul Sharma**)

(Jan'19-Apr'19)

- o Developed finite volume method based semi-explicit code with staggered grid in Scilab
- o Velocity and pressure distribution is found to be in good agreement with the available literature

COURSE UNDERTAKEN (\*Audit)

- Thermal Design of Electronic Equipment
   Optical Methods in Mech. Engineering
   Advanced Heat Transfer
- Data mining and Application
- Computational Fluid Dynamics
- System Dynamics and Control\*

## POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

• Department Placement Coordinator | Placement Cell | IIT Bombay

(July'20-Present)

- o Formulated an efficient architecture to train 70+ students on by ideating group discussions, personal interviews
- o Formulated tests on various platforms, evaluated and catered students' needs and issues regularly
- Scrutinized the resumes of 1000+ students across 23 departments in coordination with 50+ DPCs
- Acted as a point of contact between students and placement cell for smooth two-way information exchange
- Interview Coordinator | Placement Cell | IIT Bombay

(Dec'18)

- Coordinated with the team of 250+ members for interview of 1600+ students
- Assisted in conducting Pre-Placement talks and Tests for 15+ firms
- Floor Representative | Maintenance Council | H-16

(Nov'18-June'19)

• Resolved maintenance issues of 36 students with concerned authorities, took regular follow up

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Technical	• Enrolled to an online course "Algorithmic Toolbox" by University of California on Coursera	(Ongoing)
	• Exhibited IMPRINT project to 1000+ visitors in TechConnect at TechFest, IITB (Team of 8)	(2019)
	• Organised Robo-race and water-bottle rocket competition in college fest with a team of 4	(2016)
	• Participated in <b>robo-soccer competion</b> in a team of <b>4</b>	(2015)
Award	• Awarded 1 <sup>st</sup> prize in <b>Group Dance</b> Competition in <b>PG-Cult phase-2</b>	(2019)
Hobbies	Playing volleyball, carrom, swimming and dancing	