# SAI SRINIVAS TATWIK MEESALA

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#### **SUMMARY**

Passionate Roboticist with expertise in embedded systems, perception, industrial automation, autonomous vehicles, & aerial robotics. Demonstrated leadership in engineering projects, excelling in documentation, CAD design, embedded components, digital twin, & programming. Inspired to reach the pinnacle in robotics with a meticulous and determined approach to tasks.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### Marinella Research – Chandler, Arizona

**Robotics Researcher** May 2024 - Dec 2024

- Lead multidisciplinary research projects in robotics, industrial automation, digital twins, and system engineering.
- Conduct feasibility studies and engineering consulting for industrial applications.
- Develop innovative solutions for commercial viability, emphasizing grant proposals and internal projects.
- Contribute to continuous improvement and technological advancement aligned with organizational goals.

#### Arizona State University – Tempe/Mesa, Arizona

# **Robotics & Applied Linear Algebra Teaching Assistant**

Jan 2023 - May 2024

- Instructed robotic systems design, covering kinematics, dynamics, modeling, and control.
- Assisted in graduate-level linear algebra for engineering.

#### **Thermo-Fluids Grader**

Jul 2023 - Aug 2023

May 2022 - Aug 2022

• Provided instructional support in Engineering Thermo-Fluids and grading.

# Naval Science & Technological Laboratory (NSTL) – Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

**Robotics Intern** 

Developed Object Detection (YOLOv5) Robot with GPS navigation with vision-based collision avoidance.

- Worked on Python programable NVIDIA Jetson Nano JetBot.

Audi India – Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

# **Mechanical Technician** · Internship

Mar 2017 - May 2017

- Diagnosed and fixed issues with mechanical components in Audi cars.
- Assembled and disassembled complex parts for repairs and troubleshoot malfunctions.

#### **EDUCATION**

## Arizona State University – Mesa/Tempe, Arizona

GPA: 4.25

Doctor of Philosophy - PhD, Robotics and Autonomous Systems Master of Science in Engineering in Robotics and Autonomous Systems

Jan 2025 - Present Aug 2022 - May 2024

Bachelor of Science in Engineering in Robotics

Aug 2019 - May 2023

# **PROJECTS**

### **Robotics Dynamics and Force Control Package**

April 2024

Developed a robotics package integrating manipulator dynamics, force control, and GUI.

#### VCO2 VO2 Metabolic Monitor

Jan 2024 - April 2024

Designed and implemented a VCO2 and VO2 metabolic monitor, integrating CAD design, coding, and MATLAB interface with Bluetooth (BLE) connectivity for real-time data collection.

# Mechatronics Device: Portable/Lightweight Gait Analysis

Jan 2023 – May 2023

Developed compact and portable footwear for gait analysis to improve gait balance for patients at the Barrow Institute.

# **Semi-Autonomous Twin Hoist System**

Aug 2023 - May 2023

Designed two independent hoists to pick up and change copper rolls (700lbs) used for PCB manufacturing.

# Wearable Robotics with Embedded System Control

Jan 2022 - Apr 2022

Developed an Embedded System that uses data collected from sensors to control the actuators with wireless Wi-Fi control to help stroke patients.

# **Industrial Workstation with Programmable Logic Controller**

Jan 2022 - Apr 2022

Worked on a Rockwell PLC with industrial sensing technology, and industrial actuators, and developed Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) for the Human-Machine Interface (Machine: SMC HAS 200).

**3DoF Robot Arm** Aug 2021 - Dec 2021

Designed a Bluetooth Robot Arm with an inbuilt Forward/Inverse Kinematics calculator to reach the target location.

### Interactive Decoration/Animatronics with Embedded System Control

Aug 2021 – Dec 2021

Developed a Halloween decoration using embedded systems. In-depth research was done to design a functioning Printed Circuit Board.

### **SKILLS**

CAD Designing, Embedded Systems, Python, C, MATLAB, ROS, Linux, PLC Programming, Digital Twins, Aerial Robotics.