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ABOUT ME

Enthusiatic and Organized post graduate from the Universiteit Twente, Netherlands, with a keen interest in Autonomous Systems and Control. I utilize my interpersonal skills to promote effective teamwork, breaking down problems into accessible steps.

Hobby: Ultimate Frisbee, Bouldering

## EDUCATION

Sept 2021 - July 2024 Universiteit Twente, Enschede, Netherlands.

→ M.Sc. Systems and Control (Robotics and Mechatronics)

June 2017 - May 2021 S. R. M. Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai, India.

→ B.Tech Mechatronics Engineering

#### <u>Technical Skills:</u>

→ Subjects : Robotics ◊ Optimal Control ◊ Systems Dynamics ◊ Computer Vision

 $\longrightarrow$  Programming : C++  $\diamond \diamond$  MATLAB/Simulink  $\diamond$  Robot Operating System (ROS/2)  $\diamond$  LaTex

Languages: English  $(C1) \diamond$  German (B1)

## WORK EXPERIENCE

Feb 2023 - April 2023 Nov 2021 - Feb 2022	Student Assistant - Universiteit Twente, The Netherlands  → Teaching assistant for Advanced Software Development for Robotics Course  → Worked on Real-Time component based software development and RTOS
6 months	R T O S , R O S 2(C++)
Sept 2022 - Dec 2022 3 months	Robotics Intern - Aziobot B. V. , Eindhoven, The Netherlands $\diamond$ Self-exploration and Mapping for Autonomous Mobile Robots $\longrightarrow$ Designed and developed a robot model for an Autonomous Floor Scrubber in ROS. $\longrightarrow$ Built and compared SLAM algorithms and frontier based exploration algorithm RViz, ROS(C++)
Sept 2020 - Oct 2020	Engineer Intern - Hinduja Tech Limited, Chennai, India. $\longrightarrow$ Worked with a collaborative team on the project1 "Automatic Pizza Vending Machine". $\longrightarrow$ Proposed a new methodology for the pizza cutting and cleaning mechanism.

## PROJECTS

	MASTER THESIS
July 2023 - July 2024	Safety Metrics for Human-Aerial Robot Collaboration, in presence of Aerodynamic
	Disturbances
	$\longrightarrow$ Developed a safety metric for a 6 propeller UAV that enables safe human-aerial collabora-
	tion.
	$\longrightarrow$ Developed an aerodynamic model that accounts for wind disturbance.
	$\longrightarrow$ Developed a Robust NMPC to optimize the robot's trajectory in the presence of aerody-
	namic disturbances.
	MATLAB/Simulink,C++

	BACHELOR THESIS
Jan 2021 - May 2021	Development of a Collaborative Multi-Robot System for Material Handling
	<ul> <li>→ Multiple Mobile robots transport a material from one location to another autonomously within the arena by collaborating with each other.</li> <li>→ Developed a novel "Composite Robot Algorithm" for a holonomic robot formation to transport the object. Configured a co-operative path planning algorithm which entails three collision free paths from a single set of waypoints.</li> </ul>
	Python

Jan 2020 - June 2020 RoboCUBES - An Intelligent, Modular, Reconfigurable Robotics Platform

 $\longrightarrow$  Built a modular reconfigurable robot that uses modular cubes to autonomously detect many configurations and performs a specific functions based on the detected configuration.

→ Developed a **patented** novel hardware addressing system.

Dec 2019 - Feb 2020 Behav

Behavioral Cloning in Autonomous Vehicles using Deep Learning

 $\longrightarrow$  Implemented a self-driving car using behavioral cloning in the Unity Self-Driving Car Simulator, achieving autonomous navigation on new tracks.

 $\longrightarrow$  Designed a modified LeNet CNN for traffic sign classification and developed a custom NVIDIA-based CNN architecture with data augmentation for training and testing simulation data

## CONTRIBUTIONS

	PATENT
November 2020	An On-board Hardware Addressing System for Modular Reconfigurable Robots
	$\longrightarrow$ Developed a hardware addressing system enabling modular robots to autonomously detect their configurations. $\longrightarrow$ Utilizes modified power rails to assign unique hardware addresses to detect robot configurations autonomously.
	Published - 202041046707

	PUBLICATION
April 2022	Composite Robot Algorithm and Multi-Robot Formation Strategy for Collabora-
	tive Material Handling Systems
	$\longrightarrow$ A symmetric formation rule for multiple mobile robots to collaborate and navigate an
	environment.
	$\longrightarrow$ Multiple mobile robots in formation is considered a composite robot and collaborate with
	each other and plan a path to maintain formation until the goal is reached.

## AWARDS AND PRIZES

January 2020 Runners Up: Make-A-Thon 4.0 by Lema Labs - Project: BlockBots

Most Popular Project Award - Make-A-Thon 4.0

June 2019  $2^{nd}$  Position: Maze Solving Robot Competition - Kaizen Robotics

December 2018  $2^{nd}$  Position: Course Following Robot Competition - Kaizen Robotics

April 2018 Best Project: Physics and Nanotechnology Research Day - Obstacle Avoiding Robot

## CERTIFICATIONS

Following are the certifications that I pursued online to supplement my knowledge.

ROBOTICS CERTIFICATIONS		
June 2020	Control of Mobile Robots - Georgia Institute of Technology (Coursera)	
January 2020	Autonomous Mobile Robots - ETH Zurich (Edx)	
June 2019	Kaizen Robotics Training Program - Lema Labs	
ML CERTIFICATIONS		
May 2020 - July 2020	Self - Driving Cars Specialization - University of Toronto (Coursera)	
	♦ State Estimation and Localisation of Self Driving Cars	
	♦ Visual Perception of Self Driving Cars	
	♦ Motion Planning for Self Driving Cars	
July 2020	Structuring Machine Learning Projects (Coursera)	
June 2020	Machine Learning Advanced Certification Program (Simpli Learn)	