

## Abhishek Ravikiran

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### Education

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**Degree:** Purdue University, B.Sc., Electrical Engineering

**Aug '14 – Dec '18**

**Certificates:** Java Programming & Software Engineering (Duke Univ.), OOP in Java: Data Structures and Beyond (UCSD)

### Employment Experience

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**Hardware Software Engineer || Sound Life Sciences – Seattle, WA**

**May '19 – Present**

**Develop Hardware and Software platforms to use FMCW sonar on a smart speaker to monitor breathing for detecting medical conditions and emergency situations.**

- Collaborated across a multi-disciplinary team of engineers to define and derive product specifications
- Integrated Off-The-Shelf products to build a prototype speaker
- Designed a proprietary Printed Circuit Board to allow for backup power supply in the event of a power outage
- Developed Python code to initiate system shutdown in case of loss of power
- Built cloud pipeline from Raspberry Pi to Particle Cloud for data transfer
- Enabled storage of uploaded data from Particle Cloud to Google Sheets

**Electrical Engineering Intern || Draeger Safety Diagnostics Inc – Houston, TX**

**Jun '17 – Aug '17**

**Conduct feasibility studies, design and develop hardware and software platforms for an autonomous drone to operate in hazardous environments**

- Kick-started Autonomous Drone project to aid monitoring of gases in hazardous environments
- Used Python to code algorithms for Drone prototype on Raspberry Pi and C# to connect Pi to PC using Bluetooth
- Discovered patent infringements by a competitor during competitive study of company's products versus competitors'

**Teaching Assistant || Purdue University – West Lafayette, IN**

**Jan '16 – Dec '18**

**Engage with aspiring engineers and aid the teaching team in forming a collaborative learning environment**

- Taught Students MS Excel and MATLAB for data manipulation and processing
- Provided expertise on coding practices to encourage documentation of logic and purpose
- Created work-like environment to encourage development of teamwork and delegation skills
- Enabled collaboration by pushing the idea of paired programming

### Project Experience

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**General Purpose Sensor – ECE 479022**

**Aug '18 – Dec '18**

- Reduced noise in signals from various sources for accurate detection of appliances in a room
- Designed a 4" by 5" Printed Circuit Board to include an STM32 microcontroller and 8 environmental sensors
- Designed an algorithm using C programming to successfully detect and differentiate between simultaneously running appliances such as space heater, coffee grinder, blender and room lights

### Skills and Abilities

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**Programming Languages:** C, Python, vPython, Matlab, Java, C#, Visual Basic, HTML, JavaScript, CSS

**Software Experience:** BenchVue, Altium, Solidworks, EAGLE, MS Office Suite, GNU Radio, LabVIEW, Simulink, PSpice, Eclipse, Visual Studio Code, Github, LTSPICE

**Languages:** English (Native), Hindi (Fluent), Gujarati (Fluent), French (Conversational), Korean (conversational)

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