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### Projects Website

### **Education**

10/2021 - 4/2024	M.Sc. Computer-Aided Conception of Machines in Mechanical Engineering RWTH Aachen	CGPA: 1,6
8/2016 - 6/2020	B.Tech in Mechanical Engineering	CGPA: 8.3/10
	Punjab Engineering College, Chandigarh	
4/2014 - 3/2016	High School (10+2)	Percent : 94.4%
	Bhavan Vidyalaya, Chandigarh	

## Work Experience

## Master Thesis Student/Working Student

October 2023 - Ongoing

Rheinmetall Technology Centre - New Technologies, Rheinmetall AG, Neuss, Germany

- Development of a localization algorithm for a swarm of GPS-denied UAVs using Ultra-wideband (UWB) sensors.
- Embedding the developed localization algorithm into Arducopter, an open-source auto-pilot for UAVs, in order to facilitate verification of the algorithm through flight tests.
- Development of a simulation model of an integrated flight control system for a single UAV, including a flight controller, 6 degree-of-freedom UAV dynamic model, IMU, Magnetometer, Barometer and GPS sensor models and an Extended Kalman Filter for attitude estimation.

#### Werkstudent (Working Student)

June 2022 - September 2023

Rheinmetall Technology Centre - New Technologies, Rheinmetall AG, Neuss, Germany

- Development of a mathematical model for the force analysis of a flexible electrostatic synchronous actuator based on the concept of *Method of Moments*, a discretization technique for electric fields.
- Maintainance of the developed mathematical model code-base, making use of software engineering principles like object orientation, version control and comprehensive code documentation

### Project Assistant

October 2022 - April 2023

Institut für Getriebetechnik, Maschinendynamik und Robotik (IGMR), RWTH Aachen

- Scripting Multi-Body simulation models of a standard mountain bike in Simpack using the *Semi-Analytical Approach* where the multibody model partly depends on real-time sensing of loads on the actual bike.
- Setting up co-simulation between Simpack and Simulink in a closed loop simulation for stabilizing the multibody model of the bike excited by the measured loads.
- The work in this project culminated in a mini-thesis worth 9 ECTS, which can be accessed *here*.

#### Research Assistant

September 2020 - July 2021

- Dynamic modeling of a strength augmentation exoskeleton designed by *Defence Bio-Engineering and Electro-Medical Laboratory* (DEBEL), India
- Reduced-order modeling of Human and Lower Extremity Exoskeleton in the form of a coupled multi-body system.
- Development of a Computed Torque Control algorithm for strength augmentation.
- All published work output from this project can be referred from Conference Presentations and Publications section.

#### **Technical Skills**

Programming	Computational Techniques	
1. Scripting Languages	1. Multi-Body Dynamics	
• MATLAB & Simulink	2. Finite Element Analysis (Static and Dynamic)	
• Python	3. Regression and Classification using Neural Networks	
2. Programming Languages		
• C++	4. Method of Moments in Electrostatics	
• Java	5. Strapdown Algorithms for Inertial Navigation	
3. General	6. State Estimation using Extended-Kalman Filters	
Object-Oriented Programming	7. Sensor Fusion	
• Version Control using Git		

### References

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## Conference Presentations and Publications

- 1. Chander, S., Mukherjee, A., Singla, A., Shivling, V. (in press). Enhanced Euler-Lagrange Formulation for Analyzing Human Gait with Moving Base Reference, ASME Journal of Mechanisms and Robotics, DOI
- 2. Chander, S., Mukherjee, A., & Singla, A. (2023, July). Estimation of Ground Reaction Force for Coupled Dynamic Modelling and Control of the Lower-Limb Exoskeleton, AIR 2023: Proceedings of the 2023 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Advances in Robotics, July 2023, Article No.: 37, Pages 1-8, DOI
- 3. Chander, S., Mukherjee, A., Shivling, V., & Singla, A. (2022, October 16-20). *Modelling and Validation of Human Gait Dynamics using Modified Euler-Lagrange Approach* [Paper Presentation], 6<sup>th</sup> Joint International Conference on Multibody System Dynamics and 10<sup>th</sup> Asian Conference on Multibody Dynamics, New Delhi, India, URL