# Bhavishey Thapar

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### **FDUCATION**

#### UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

**AEROSPACE ENGINEERING** (Robotics) 2023 | MEng.

#### UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO

MECHATRONICS ENGINEERING 2019 | BASc.

# SKILLS

- C/C++
- Python
- ROS
- Matlab/Simulink
- SQL
- Fusion 360
- Linux
- Microcontrollers
- Autodesk Eagle
- Raspberry Pi

# **COURSEWORK**

#### **GRADUATE**

Neural Networks: 94% Development Of UAVs: 86% Advanced Data Engineering: 92% State Estimation: 70%

Computer Vision: 87% **Mobile Robotics** 

#### **UNDERGRADUATE**

Autonomous Vehicless: 91% Multivariable Controls: 80% Digital Controls: 81%

Introduction to Controls: 74%

Power Electronics: 82% Image Processing: 90%

MEMS: 89%

# AWARDS

General Motors Design Seed Fund Magna New Mobility Award

# INTERESTS

**Tennis** Reading

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

#### **GEOTAB** | AUTOMOTIVE SUPPORT ENGINEER

July 2019 - June 2021 | Oakville, ON

- Leveraged Big Data and API's to create Python Notebooks enabling support engineers and customers to find quick resolutions realted to product issues.
- Responsible for creating technical documentation as Subject Matter Expert (SME) for company wide automotive and gateway related queries.

# **PARAGON SYSTEMS** | Mechatronics Engineering Intern

Sept 2017 - Dec 2017 | Concord, ON

- Part of an award-winning team of interns for successfully building and delivering automated end of line testing machines for Brose in Michigan.
- Fabricated and installed structural, pneumatic and electric systems on power seat assembly testers for Daimler AG, Ford and Volvo.

#### HONDA MANUFACTURING | MECHATRONICS ENGINEERING INTERN Jan 2017 - April 2017 | Alliston, ON

- Awarded a Kaizen for creating a hand tool to help assembly workers solve problems related to door manufacturing.
- Tested and inspected manufacturing processes to improve product quality.

#### **BOLTON RAILINGS INC.** | Mechatronics Engineering Intern Jan 2017 - April 2017 | Alliston, ON

• Created shop drawings of stair and railing parts for the carpenters using Compass, a CNC compatible software geared towards designing stairs.

#### WATERLOO REGIONAL POLICE SERVICES. | IT STUDENT

Sep 2014 - December 2014 | Waterloo, ON

• Provided hardware and software support to the company employees.

#### **A&C TOOL INC.** | Mechanical Engineering Intern

Jan 2014 - April 2014 | Bowmanville, ON

• Worked as the primary drafting engineer to model and draft steel fabrication projects such as Lifting Beam, Tilt Chute using Autodesk Inventor.

# ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

# UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO AEROSPACE TEAM | AVIONICS TEAM

Sept 2021 - Present | Toronto, ON

• Working towards developing a system for a fixed wing UAV to detect landing zones using object detection algorithms running on a stereo camera with the goal of successfully landing the UAV on the landing zone.

#### ROBOT ARM CONTROLLER

January 2019 - April 2019 | Waterloo, ON

- Designed a feedback controller in MATLAB for a non-linear two link robot arm MIMO system using a Kalman filter as the state estimator.
- Implemented the controller using the LQG optimal control technique.

#### **AUTONOMOUS UNDERWATER VEHICLE**

January 2018 - March 2018 | Waterloo, ON

- Designed and built an underwater ROV capable of guiding through underwater obstacles and were placed 2nd in the competition.
- Used a Raspberry Pi single board computer with an ARM processor to interface with sensors and electronic speed controllers for the BLDC motors.