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"Curiosity is the very basis of education and if you tell me that curiosity killed the cat,
I say only the cat died nobly."

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Engineering in Electronics and Telecommunications

Shah and Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College – University of Mumbai

Aug 2018 – June 2022

CGPA: 8.68

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Learning Based Control in Robots
- Control of Multi-Robot System
- Safety in Autonomous Systems
- Perception based robotics and intelligence

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Intern

Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai

April 2021 - July 2022

- Developed Python and R-based pipelines for processing and analysing single-cell, spatial transcriptomics data.
- Implemented pre-processing and normalization algorithms such as GRSN, Xcorr, LVSmiR, SVR to improve data quality and accuracy. Also used CrossNorm and ICN to remove irrelevant transcripts, false positives.
- Collaborated with researchers to tailor hippocampal gene expression analysis using Seurat, ggplot2, SingleR, dplyr, tidyverse, celldex, RColorBrewer, SingleCellExperiment
- Implemented a local lab server network for easy, remote access to Jupyter projects and collaboration within lab.

Autonomous Research Drone

April 2021 - March 2022

- Designed and built an open-sourced autonomous drone from readily available open-sourced components.
- Utilized **ROS** and **Gazebo** to simulate environments to test Python scripts and drone design.
- Enabled onboard **computer vision** capacity for object detection and tracking using **ArUco** (**Fiducial**) markers with a companion computer and **STM32 Microcontroller** as flight controller.
- Ensured safe operation with radio failsafe for BVLOS flights, and other measures such as **geofencing**, integrated low-cost telemetry modules for ground station data reception and tracking.
- Implemented **Pure Pursuit Algorithm** for improving precision in landing to 2 inches.
- Integrated whole system for a precision autonomous delivery system with an estimated range of 4-5 km.
- Incorporated low-cost 2D LiDAR for Pose Graph Optimization, and generated Binary Occupancy Grids for indoor environments for autonomous navigation indoors.

Intern for "Digital Virtual Shooting Gun"

Research Cell, Shah and Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College

Aug 2020 - Feb 2021

• Developed a virtual gun simulator and electronic memetic gun as a part of initiative to democratize professional rifle shooting in schools and create a low-cost system with high accuracy.

- Integrated gyroscope, accelerometer to track user motion pre-during-post shooting, providing real-time feedback on breathing patterns, motion for an immersive shooting experience.
- Successfully programmed the microcontroller in C++ and interface with a computer program for graphical representation on a target board.

Line Follower Bot

• Designed & fabricated a robot (team of 3) within 3 days from scratch with self-manufactured infrared sensors assembly for a Line Follower. Tuned PID controller to minimize deviation from ref.line by using the feedback from infrared sensors.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Unix, Gazebo, ROS, webots, OpenCV, Machine learning, ¡Query
- Human-Machine Interface (HMI) FX5U, STM, ESP32, UART, I2C, SPI, HAL basic
- Bare Metal Programming, Keil, Simulink, Altium, Inventor, SolidWorks
- Oracle Apps, SAP ATTP, SAP Basis
- Python, SQL, MATLAB, C/C++, JavaScript, PL/SQL, Jenkins (CI/CD)
- Google Cloud Digital Leader Certified.
- Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Certified AI Foundations Associate
- Accenture Tech Leap Machine Learning school, Modern Data Engineering School

TEACHING AND MENTORING EXPERIENCE

Quant Tutor

Kanan International, Surat

July 2022- Sept 2022

- Developed and delivered engaging GRE quant lessons for individual students and group classes, catering to diverse learning styles.
- Utilized effective teaching methods to improve students' understanding of core quantitative reasoning concepts, including data analysis, algebra, and geometry.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Software Engineer

Accenture Solutions Private Limited, Mumbai

Sept 2022 - Present

- SAP ATTP expert skilled in the configuration of Serialization systems, CMO onboarding and postproduction support. working on various global Serialization mandates, proficient in GS1 standards and global track and trace regulations.
- SAP ATTP Greenfield Implementation: Design, Configure/Build, Authoring of Test Cases and Scenarios, Unit Testing, System Integration Testing, UAT support, Cut-over preparation, Go-live
- Change Management: Implemented changes in the production system adhering to GMP Compliance change control policies.
- Resolved critical production issues: Collaborated with vendors to fix problems across globally dispersed applications, identifying root causes and implementing permanent solutions.
- Automated manual tasks and improved monitoring: Leveraged expertise in Track and Trace applications to automate manual tasks and enhance monitoring through tools like Tableau, Splunk, and email alerts.

Entrepreneurship - Cell, Shah and Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College

2018 - 2022

- Organized and spearheaded various events under E-cell SAKEC as the graphics team head for events such as Project Pillar, Food Fiesta, Etc., leading a team of 50 students.
- Designed and created various posters, banners, videos, and presentations using tools like Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Filmora, Canva, Etc.

Research Cell, Shah and Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College

2021 - 2022

- As the part of the student council helped organise and conduct various events and workshops.
- Designed and created various posters, banners, videos, and presentations using tools like Photoshop, Illustrator, Filmora, Canva, Etc.
- Led a GIMP workshop for 200+ participants, effectively communicating design principles and software functionalities, as the Co-head of the Graphics Team.

IEEE Bombay Section

2020 - 2022

- As a Student volunteer conducted various events under IEEE Bombay Section such as SMELT, Student Congress, etc.
- As a part of the content and graphics team designed various posters, banners, videos, and presentations using tools like Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, Filmora, Canva, Etc.

Student Council, Shah and Anchor Kutchhi Engineering college

2020-2022

- Organized and managed large-scale annual events, including cultural, technical, and sports symposiums, for over 3,000 participants.
- Effectively coordinated event logistics, ensuring smooth execution and contributing to the college's successful NAAC accreditation.

AWARDS

- Pinnacle Award October 2023 Accenture Pvt. Ltd.
- Second Prize in Online Technical poster presentation completion conducted by the Electronics and telecommunication department with IETE at Shah & Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College in 2022.
- Ministry of Human Resource Development Nation Innovations Contest Finalists in the innovations.
- Smart India Hackathon Internal Round at Shah & Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College in 2020 Participated in SIH in the internal round and was a runner-up.

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