Pursuing a minor degree in the Department of Industrial Engineering and Operations Research (IEOR)

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS _

- Secured 99.96 percentile in JEE Mains and 99.18 percentile in the JEE Advanced Examination ['19]
- Recipient of the prestigious KVPY Fellowship program by Dept. of Science and Technology, Govt. of India ['18]
- Acheived an All India Rank of 80 in the National Engineering Olympiad 3.0

Professional Experience

SPACE x VIEW Pte. Ltd, SINGAPORE | Research & Development Internship

[Jun-Jul'21]

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- Worked with a team of **5** co-interns to create the **first working prototype** of a system of controllable buoys capable of oceanic data collection and transmission for building real-time models that help the **Japanese Fishing Industry**
- Tasked with the design of the Power Management System for the buoy to make it operational for 3+ hrs
- Integrated the PH, Temperature, TDS and GPS sensors along with the Solar Panels on the final prototype

KEY TECHNICAL PROJECTS ____

TEAM AEROVE | UMIC, IIT Bombay

[Sep'20-Present]

Senior Engineer | Guide: Prof. Dhwanil Shukla, Dept. of Aerospace Engineering IIT Bombay

Motion Planning

- Working on 3-D Mapping & Motion Planning problems for aerial vehicles in unknown environments
- Implemented and validated the use of algorithms like A*, RRT* & DWA for indoor drone systems
- Critiqued various mapping frameworks like Octomaps & Skimaps for real-time probabilistic mapping
- Implemented Dynamic Obstacle Avoidance algorithms for robust, high-speed local planning

Controls

- Developed Minimum Snap Trajectories for the drone using jointly optimized polynomial segments
- Worked with varied drone hardware, and validated basic flight strategies using MAVROS scripts
- Achieved a stable **Position Hold** with an accuracy of **5cm** using PID control using flight controllers
- Integrated an RGDB Camera to work with **ORB-SLAM2** for pose estimation with upto **4cm** accuracy

INTERNATIONAL AERIAL ROBOTICS COMPETITION 2021 | UMIC, IIT Bombay [Sep'20-Feb'2 Developed a system of Autonomous Multicopters for the World's Longest Running Aerial Robotics Competition

- Declared WORLD CHAMPIONS of the Mission 9 Simulation Challenge, hosted by AUVSI across 5 continents
- Junior Engineer in the Controls and Motion Planning subsystem of the team, worked closely with 20 members
- Implemented dynamic Waypoint Navigation in the GAZEBO simulation for a mother-daughter system of drones
- Developed an algorithm to localize points in the UAV environment using only the feed of a monocular camera
- Formulated and implemented a **Finite-State-Machine** structure acting as the central **Autopilot** for the drones

EXTENDED MASK R-CNN | Course Project

[Oct-Nov'20]

Prof. Biplab Banerjee | Machine Learning for Remote Sensing

- Constructed a two step approach for multi-label classification of 7 different Yoga Poses on a custom dataset
- Used the Mask R-CNN trained on the COCO dataset as the backbone network for human instance segmentation
- Developed a neural network for classifying the extracted instances to achieve an accuracy of 95.6% on the test data

ASME - STUDENT DESIGN CHALLENGE 2021 | UMIC, IIT Bombay

[Dec'20-Apr'21

An International Mechatronics competition organised by the American Society Of Mechanical Engineers

- Reached the World Finals of the competition after going through several knockout rounds | GLOBAL RANK 4
- Led the electrical subsystem of the team to build a bot capable of carrying 5 Kgs powered by a single AAA battery
- Designed and created a stack of **Boost Converters** on **customized PCBs** for maximising the battery performance
- Constructed a custom differential drive for the robot using SPDT Relays, ATTINY IC & Bluetooth module
- Strategised game-play tactics during the competition's knockout tournament to maximize reward points for the team

Prof. Prabhu Ramachandran, Department of Aerospace Engineering IIT Bombay

- Extracted the data set of COVID-19 active cases worldwide and used statistical models for analyzing the pandemic
- Used various python libraries (like NumPy, SciPy, Pandas) for Data cleaning, processing and modelling
- Validated various statistical theories like the CLT relating to hypothesis testing for different types of distributions

MULTI AGENT COLLISION AVOIDANCE | Research Project

[Jan-Jul'21]

Guide: Prof. Leena Vachhani, Systems & Controls Department, IIT Bombay

- Worked on the simulating obstacle avoidance for a system of mobile robots using Interval Analysis techniques.
- Formulated a **new mathematical model** for the intervals approach and prooof tested it in the **GAZEBO** simulation
- Studied the hardware expandability of the approach for parallel & embedded applications for robotic systems

PROJECT ETH | UMIC, IIT Bombay

[July-Aug'20

Autumn of Automation

- Created a real-time simulation of a robot performing a series of Automated tasks to solve the given problem statement
- Extracted and manipulated the **Point Cloud** data to localize the interest points making use of **TF Trees** in **ROS**
- Formulated Inverse Kinematics on a 3-Degree Of Freedom robotic arm system to be used by the robot

NONLINEAR DYNAMICS | Guided Study

[Jun-July'20]

Summer of Science | Maths & Physics Club, IIT Bombay

- Studied Linear Algebra and Differential Equations in the context of Nonlinear System Dynamics
- Learned about bifurcations and generated phase portraits of famous 2-D nonlinear problems using Python
- Compared the accuracy of different numerical methods for solving differential equations in the 2-D pendulum problem

Position of Responsibility _

COORDINATOR, TEAM AEROVE | UMIC, IIT Bombay

[May'19-Jul'20]

The Innovation Cell aims to facilitate technical start-ups and foster an atmosphere of innovation and entrepreneurship

- Member of the team in charge of planning, organizing & publicizing events under the Innovation Cell
- Drafted a budget proposal of INR 1.5 M to the Student Technical Project Committee targeting IARC 2022
- Conducted the recruitment drive and took interviews to shortlist 30 students from a pool of 100+ freshmen

ACADEMIC MENTOR | Department of Aerospace, IIT Bombay

[May'21-Present]

Department Academic Mentorship Program

- Part of a team of 23 mentors selected based on interviews & peer-reviews, closely mentoring 7 sophomores.
- Helping mentees, strike a balance between academics & extracurriculars, and manage time efficiently
- Contributed in the **Department Video Initiative**, aimed as an introduction to the department labs & facilities

SPORTS SECRETARY | Hostel 2, IIT Bombay

[Sep'20-Mar'21

- Member of a 3-tier hostel council made up of 28 members selected after rigorous groundworks & interviews
- Responsible for ideating and organising all sports related activities and promoting a healthy sports culture
- Conducted several E-Sports Tournaments amidst online semester to sustain sports culture in the hostel
- Successfully organised an online resume making session in LATEX to help sophomores draft their resumes

Technical Skills _

| Coding | C++, ROS, Python, R, OpenCV, MATLAB, Tensorflow, Keras, PyTorch |
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| Softwares | SolidWorks, AutoCAD, GAZEBO, QGroundControl, Arduino IDE, Git, MiniZinc, IATEX |

KEY COURSES UNDERTAKEN _____

| \mathbf{Core} | Spaceflight Mechanics, Control Theory, Propulsion, Fluid Mechanics, Aerospace Structures |
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| Maths and | Simulation Modeling and Analysis, Data Analysis and Interpretation, Numerical Analysis, |
| Computing | Linear Algebra, Differential Equations, Computer programming and Utilization |
| ΑI | Machine Learning for Remote Sensing, Deep Learning*, Intelligent & Learning Agents* |
| | * to be completed by Dec 2021 |

Extracurriculars _____

| Social | Mentored 25+ middle school students towards building a solar lamp with the SoULS Organizat Created 2+ hrs of educational YouTube content for underprivileged children with NSS, IITBor | |
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| Sports | Received 1 yr of professional training in Football under the National Sports Organization Received Bronze in the Dehradun district during the Ranger's U-17 Cup with the BBA | ['19-'20] ['16] |
| Cultural | Stood First among all the freshmen in the Inter Hostel Music Video Making Competition Performed a group hip-hop dance in front of a crowd of 500+ people at Salsa Night | ['19] ['19] |