## **Gowtham Venkatraman**

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#### **OBJECTIVE**

Seeking an internship or co-op opportunity in Summer / Fall 2020 in design, advanced manufacturing, control systems and related areas

#### **EDUCATION**

The Ohio State University (OSU), Columbus, OH

Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering | GPA: 3.62

expected Dec 2020

Thesis: "Process Modeling of Ultrasonic Additive Manufacturing"

- Indian Institute of Technology, Madras, India

**B.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering** | GPA: 3.6

May 2015

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

- Software: ANSYS, LabVIEW, SolidWorks, MATLAB, Simulink, JMP (for statistical analysis)
- Graduate level coursework in Non-linear Dynamics, Control Systems, Ultrasonics, Smart Materials and Constitutive Modeling of Materials
- Expertise in experimental techniques: Doppler velocimetry, modal analysis, nanoindentation
- Communication and collaborative 2+ years of working in large collaborative research teams and

#### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

The Ohio State University, Ultrasonic Additive Manufacturing Lab

August 2015 – Present

Research Assistant, Dr. M. Dapino

- Developed electroacoustic models for power transfer in high-power piezoelectric transducers
- Collaborated extensively with a materials research group to develop an energy-based process model to enable parameter selection for the metal joining using ultrasonic welding
- Developed new measurement techniques to enable in-situ quality control and energy estimation

#### **ENGINEERING EXPERIENCE**

## Caterpillar Inc., Chennai, India

May - July 2014

Summer Intern

- Modeled hydraulic systems with restriction orifices and designed an automated system to retrieve system information and suggest optimal orifice parameters for the application
- Selected to continue working with the institute in a collaboration project to simulate orifice flow models in ANSYS and for high-end software development in Microsoft Visual Studio

# LEADERSHIP AND PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT

President, Association for India's Development

February 2018 – Present

Led a volunteer student organization that raises awareness and for social programs in India

#### **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS**

- Technical Presentation at the 18th International Conference on the Strength of Materials, 2018
- Poster Presentation at the Materials Week, The Ohio State University, 2019
- Technical Presentation at the Control and Decisions Conference, IEEE, 2015
- Technical Presentation at the Smart Vehicle Concepts Center semi-annual meetings, 2016 2019
- A. Hehr, G. Venkatraman, L. M. Headings, M. J. Dapino. "Effect of System Compliance on Weld Power in Ultrasonic Additive Manufacturing". In preparation.