

During today's seminar we listened to Rohit Mucherla. Rohit Mucherla is a software developer under the Global Data, AI, and Analytics Services team and the title of his talk was General Motors. Rohit Mucherla is a Texas A&M Alumni that served as the president of the Aggie Coding Club from 2016 to 2018. He is currently working on a predictive analytics project about remote starting vehicles. He is also the recruiter lead for the Texas A&M Engagement Team. During his speech he talked about how the core values of General Motors ( Be Inclusive, Think Customer, Innovate Now, Look Ahead, One Team, Be Bold, It's on Me, and Winning with Integrity) align with Texas A&M's values (Excellence, Integrity, Leadership, Loyalty, Respect, and Selfless Service. Then he went on to mention the Career Arc Themes for New Hires. He talked about how you spent your first year training, learning, and adapting. Afterwards you develop & switch teams. Finally, from 2-3 years you solidify your team , find potential leadership , and teach/mentor. Towards the end of the seminar one of my peers asked what GM is doing to be more marketable than its main competitor : Tesla. He answered by mentioning how SuperCruise is better than Tesla Autopilot ( it's safer) and lower cost than Tesla. I definitely think autonomous vehicles are a very interesting application of Machine Learning and I am excited to see what GM will come up with in the future. My question is how close are they currently to their 2035 goal.