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#### **EDUCATION**

**BRAC** University Dhaka, Bangladesh October 2024

Bachelor of Engineering

Major in Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Cumulative GPA: 3.35/4.0;

Relevant Coursework: Power systems, Power electronics, robotics, machine learning, image processing, Energy conversion.

Aspire Institute Inc. Massachusetts, US Aspire Leaders Program (ALP'24), Cohort-01 Jan 2024 - Apr 2024

Fully funded professional and leadership development program(remote)

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Vendy LTD.** (Vending Machine manufacturer Company)

Junior Engineer, IoT and Electronics, Part-time

Dhaka, Bangladesh Jun 2024 - Present

- Developed IoT-based control systems for vending machines, improving operational efficiency.
- Designed and implemented PCBs and circuits, reducing production time and enhancing system reliability.
- Implemented Sqlite3 database system into ESP based PLCs. Which allowed the company to move to fully offline machines.

## Student Tutor, Department of EEE, BARC University

EEE282 & EEE383

Dhaka, Bangladesh May 2024 - Sept 2024

- EEE282 Numerical Techniques & EEE383 Electronic System Design
- Taught student Printed Circuit Board (PCB) using Altium, and Project management.
- Taught Student about different numerical techniques, and use of MATLAB

# **Zeroozen** (Full-stack energy company)

Dhaka, Bangladesh

Hardware Engineer, Intern

Oct 2023 - Feb 2024

- Designed and developed PCBs using Altium, KiCAD, and EasyEDA, improving hardware design workflows.
- Integrated IoT systems with Thingspeak, streamlining data monitoring and control processes.
- Programmed firmware for microcontrollers, enhancing the functionality of EV systems.

## RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Efficiency Analysis of LLC Resonant Converter with 7kW & 10kW Loads for 3-Phase Distribution Using Transient, Power, and Monte Carlo Methods: Simulation-Based Approach [Accepted for presentation at the 13th ICECE 2024].
- Catalyzing Space Technology Development in Bangladesh: A Space System Engineering Training Initiative, IAF, IAC-24, 31st IAA Symposium on Small Satellite Missions.
- Transformation and Future Trends of Smart Grid Using Machine Learning and Deep Learning, International Journal of Applied Power Engineering (IJAPE), Indexed in Scopus and Elsevier, Vol. 13, No. 3. September 2024
- Sizing an Off-Grid Photovoltaic System for a Regular East African Residence, 6th EICT'23, IEEE Explore, November 2023.

# THESIS/FYDP (Final year Design Project)

- 1. Meat Quality Grading and Contamination Identification to Avoid Foodborne Infection and Food Quality Control.
  - Developed a smart meat quality grading and contamination detection system using IoT sensors and machine learning algorithms.
  - Developed flutter based mobile application for real-time monitoring of meat quality and environmental factors, ensuring accurate data collection.
  - Embedded C programmed microcontroller for data processing and communication between sensors and the web
  - Applied machine learning to classify meat quality and contamination levels, enhancing food safety and quality control.
  - Designed and automated a vacuum chamber, ensuring precise environmental control for accurate testing results.

#### • IELTS Band Score: 7.0

## Case Study

## • Nuclear Disaster: The Chernobyl Case Study

April 2024

- Conducted as part of academic coursework in Power Plant Engineering.
- Explored the causes, impacts, and lessons learned from the Chernobyl nuclear disaster.

#### **PROJECTS**

#### 1. BRACU Duburi – Underwater Autonomous Vehicle

Sep 2020 - Dec 2023

- Worked as Senior member of Mechanical and Electronics sub-team.
- Contributed to electrical and mechanical designs in a multidisciplinary team, worked with machine vision to allow real-time camera feed to Unreal engine.
- Runner-up in RoboSub 2023, California, USA, as Bangladesh's first underwater autonomous vehicle project.

## 2. Nano-Satellite Training Kit – DIPTO

Sep 2023 - Present

- Working as the Team Lead for this project
- Built a nano-satellite model for educational purposes, featuring telemetry, digipeater, and weather forecasting capabilities.
- Gained recognition for contributing to STEAM education and satellite technology awareness.

## 3. Steam Training Kit – ICT-KIT01

Feb 2024 - Present

- Contributing as the Team Lead for this project
- Designed an interactive kit to promote hands-on learning in science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM).
- Developed tools and resources to make STEM education more accessible.

#### 4. Smart Surveillance Rover - MechaRank

- Created an IoT-based rover with real-time monitoring capabilities for surveillance applications.
- Integrated sensor data with local and cloud servers for enhanced accessibility and reliability.

# 5. Autonomous Drone & Unmanned Ground Vehicle (UGV), A project under LaSSET (Laboratory of Space System Engineering & Technology), BRAC University Jan 2023 - Present

- Working as the Sub-Lead of Electronics and Sensory integration Team.
- Built autonomous navigation systems for drones and UGVs for versatile real-world applications.
- Enhanced sensory and power systems for long range missions.

## 6. Cognysis – Personal Voice Assistance

Mar 2022 - Present

- Automated Speech Recognition (ASR) systems for converting auditory signals into textual data.
- Natural Language Processing (NLP) pipelines for semantic parsing and context inference.
- Text-to-Speech (TTS) synthesis leveraging deep neural networks for lifelike vocal output.
- Ontology-based knowledge representation for structured data retrieval and reasoning.
- Application Programming Interface (API) orchestration for seamless integration with external services.
- Voice activity detection (VAD) algorithms for precise start and stop signal recognition

#### 7. First-person view autonomous drone – Racing Drone

Apr 2023 - Present

- Working as the Lead of Electronics & Machine vision.
- Designed and tested a highly agile drone capable of complex maneuvers and high-speed operations.
- Implemented robust flight controls for precision handling.

## 8. ROBOTIC ARM (3DoF)

Jan 2021 – Sep 2021

- Designed and prototyped a robotic arm with gesture recognition and automation capabilities.
- Used Forward kinematics for arm motions

## 9. Smart Home Automation System - IoT based Project

Dec 18, 2020 – Mar 28, 2021

- Home automation system with integrated gesture recognition and NFC security.
- Controlled appliances and secured access using IoT protocols.

### Training, Course & Workshops

## 1. Disaster Risk Monitoring Using Satellite Imagery, NVIDIA

October 6, 2024

2. Developing an AI Background Generator With NIM, NVIDIA

September 22, 2024

3.	AI on Jetson Nano, NVIDIA	September 13, 2024
4.	Assemble a Simple Robot in Isaac Sim, NVIDIA	July 9, 2024
5.	Basics of Computer Vision for ROBOTICS, LASSET	May 29- June 13, 2024
6.	Basics of IOT and Embedded system, LASSET	May 28 - June 19, 2024
7.	MICROSFOT AZURE's Ambassador challenge Natural Language Processing (NLP)	May $12 - 16$ , $2024$
8.	Embedded System, BUEEC	Jan 27 – 31, 2024
9.	PCB Design and Fabrication in IoT Perspective, BRACU Optics and Photonics Lab	Mar 28 - 31, 2022
10.	Lorawan & Industry Automation, DoxPro Robotics Pvt. LTD	Nov 15 – Dec 18, 2022
11.	Industrial PCB and System Design, IEEE Robotics & Automation Society	Oct 27 – Oct 28, 2021
12.	Robot Operating System (ROS), IEEE Robotics & Automation Society	Oct 15 – 16, 2021
13.	Python Programming, USA Embassy of Bangladesh and Arduino community BD	June 20 – 24, 2021
14.	3D printing, HP Life and HP Foundation	July, 2021
15.	Design Thinking, HP Life and HP Foundation	July, 2021
16.	Energy Efficiency, HP Life and HP Foundation	June, 2021
17.	Fundamentals Of Latex, Robotics Club of BRAC University	Nov 20, 2020

## **AWARDS**

- 1. VC's Recognition Awards for Extraordinary volunteering work
- 2. 5th Position in Sheikh Jamal Innovation Grant 2024 for Team DIPTO by IDEA And ICT Division
- 3. Pre-Seed fund winner at University Innovation Hub 2024, Cohort 1, By ICT Division & World Bank
- 4. 4th Place in Robo Nokshar Ashor 2022
- 5. Guinness World Record, Participant in the largest 10 km run organized by VirtualRunners (2021).
- 6. 9-Time National Taekwondo Champion, 4 International Certifications and Awards 19 Gold, 7 Silver, 4 Bronze Medals.
- 7. International Black Belt (2nd DAN) in Taekwondo, World Taekwondo Federation, Seoul, South Korea.

#### **ACTIVITIES**

1.	DIPTO - Team Lead, Co-Founder	Sep 2023 - Present
	A Nano Satellite Training Kit. STEAM training kit	
	Satellite based solutions	
2.	LASSET - Sub Team Lead (Electronics & Power)	Jan 2023 – Present
	<ul> <li>Laboratory of Space System Engineering &amp; Technology - LaSSET.</li> </ul>	
	Autonomous Drone and Unmanned Ground Vehicle	
3.	Robotics Club of BRAC University (ROBU) – Secretary	Sep 2020 - Mar 2024
	Research and Project management (RPM)	
4.	BRAC university Electrical and Electronic Club (BUEEC) – Director & Assistant Director	Oct 2020 – Nov 2024
	Director of Graphics and Photography	
	Assistant Director of Research and Development	
5.	BRACU DUBURI - Underwater Autonomous Vehicle	Sep 2020 - Dec 2023
	Senior member of Mechanical & Electronics team	
6.	Taekwondo, Korean Martial Arts – Black Belt 2 <sup>nd</sup> DAN	Dec 2012 – Present
	Player of Bangladesh Taekwondo Federation (BTF)	

## **ADDITIONAL**

**Technical Skills**: Advanced in C, C++, Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript; Proficient in MATLAB, PSpice, Proteus, KiCAD, Altium, EasyEDA, Fusion 360, AutoCAD, Blender, and Autodesk Maya. Experienced with machine learning algorithms (ANN, CNN, KNN), image processing, and embedded system development.

Other Languages: Intermediate in Japanese, German.

Soft Skills: Leadership, Quick Learner, Communication, Problem-Solving, Teamwork, Adaptability, Critical Thinking.