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## SAHIL B SHAH

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**OBJECTIVE** Internship in a high-tech product startup in areas of computer vision, robotics or product design.

**EDUCATION** Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh December 2015

Robotics Institute- MS in Robotic Systems Development

Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India

Bachelor of Engineering (Hons.) Computer Science

December 2012

First Division

Undergraduate Thesis: Pulse rate estimation from facial videos

SKILLS Languages: C, C++, Java, MATLAB, Ruby, Javascript, Python, HTML/CSS

Frameworks &Tools: MATLAB, Android Apps, Unix Utilities, Rails, Heroku, OpenCV

**RELEVANT** Computer Vision\* Systems Engineering\* Machine Learning

COURSEWORK Artificial Intelligence Mobility, Manipulation & Control\* Data Structures & Algorithms

EXPERIENCE Tonbo Imaging, Bangalore, India Jul 2013 - Jun 2014

Member of Technical Staff

Video Stabilization (watch: vimeo.com/sahilshah/imu-video-stab-2)

 Implemented real time image stabilization for handheld cameras and UAVs using Inertial Measurement Units (accelerometer and gyroscope)

Increased frame rate by two times over previous methods

Prototyped the entire system on TI DM6467 microprocessor and Invensense MPU

Tech: C++, Kalman filters, sensor fusion, Qt Libraries, Embedded Systems Programming

**Neuroinformatics & Cognitive Robotics Lab, TU Ilmenau, Ilemanu, Germany** Sep 2012 - Nov 2012 Research Intern

Pulse Rate Estimation from Facial Video (deck: <a href="stideshare.net/sahilshah15/pulse-detector">slideshare.net/sahilshah15/pulse-detector</a>)

- Implemented a real time application to estimate the pulse rate of a person using video of his face
- Deployed on a robot that assisted residents at home for the aged

Tech: Literature Review, C++, Independent Component Analysis, Fast Fourier Transforms, Face Detection(Viola Jones, Active Appearance Model)

## Goldman Sachs & Co., Bangalore, India

May 2013 - Jul 2013

Summer Analyst Apache Solr

- Customized the 'More Like This' feature of Solr to make queries on a database of 7M+ XML records more effective
- Reduced the steps required to analyze suspicious transactions by a factor of 2

Tech: Java, XML, Information Retrieval, tf\*idf algorithm, similarity scores

## PROJECTS Autonomous Quadcopter Docking & Charging System

Aug 2014 - May 2015

Using the fine precision of computer vision to supplement GPS guidance and enable a UAV to land

precisely on a custom manufactured docking station with charging capabilities

## Compiler Construction Jan 2012 - May 2012

Implemented compiler logic in C for an experimental programming language

OTHER Reading, startups, physics, gadgets, basketball (college captain, gold medalist), running (half

**INTERESTS** marathon), squash