Ghanta Sai Krishna

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EDUCATION

1. Franklin College of Arts and Sciences, University of Georgia, Athens

August 2024 - June 2027

PhD in Artificial Intelligence

GPA: **3.97/4**

2. Dr. SPM International Institute of Information Technology

November 2020 - June 2024

Bachelor of Technology in Data Science and Artificial Intelligence

GPA: **8.96/10**

• Dean's List of Academic Excellence Award 2021, 2023

2. FIITJEE, Board Of Secondary Education Andhra Pradesh

June 2018 - March 2020

Secondary Education

GPA: **9.94/10**

• Secured 99.5 percentile in India's largest entrance exam JEE with over 10+ Lakh Test Takers - Math and Physics

EXPERIENCE

1. HeRoLab Lab, School Of Computing UGA

August 2024 - April 2025

Graduate Research Assistant, Advisors: Dr. Ramviyas Parasuraman

Athens, Georgia

- Developed an online 3D spatial exploration framework (SPACE) for multi-robot systems utilizing situational awareness and dynamic filter to mitigate ghosting trail effect in 3D reconstructions.
- Introduced a distributed multi-robot relative localization approach (MGPRL) leveraging uncertainty-aware Gaussian Processes and Wi-Fi RSSI signals for robust, efficient pose estimation in GPS-denied environments.
- Currently working on Multi-Agent Robot Task Planning using Large Language Models with a focus on visual reconstructions for embodied multi-robot task allocation.

2. Louisville Automation & Robotics Research Institute

January 2023 - June 2024

Visiting Research Intern (Summer 2023), Advisor: Dr. Sabur Baidya, Dr. Madan Mohan

Kentucky, USA

- Developed 3DS-SLAM, a real-time 3D Object Detection in the Visual SLAM with RGB-D and LiDAR.
- Investigated on reliability of Camera-LiDAR sensor fusion calibration mechanisms for robotics use-cases.
- Worked on developing Physical Twin with Franka Emika Panda robotic arm and Haption Virtuose 6D RV.

3. Samsung R&D Institute, India

July 2022 - January 2023

AI Research Intern

Remote

- Designed and Developed Deep Learning based Generative Adversarial Networks (GAN) approaches for synthetic data generation for Optical Character Recognition (OCR) in Bixby Vision.
- Streamlined ViTGAN, designed morphological operations for handwritten text synthetic data generation for OCR.

4. SOIL Ltd - School of Innovation and Leadership

September 2021 - December 2021

Machine Learning Intern

Hyderabad, India

- Worked on implementing an NLP-based curation engine to assess the educational materials with OCR.
- Constructed an integrated NLP and CV pipeline to recognize the hand-written text and text summarization consolidated with harmful corpus detection in educational materials for 6D educational model.

5. Data Science Lab, IIIT Naya Raipur

January 2021 - August 2021

Undergraduate Research Assistant, Advisors: Dr. Santosh Kumar, Dr. Mallikharjuna Rao K

Naya Raipur, India

- Developed a scalable AI systems such as LIPAR: a person independent spatio-temporal visual speech recognition system via a mobile application, ViTDD: Vision Transformers based Drowsiness detection in real-time.
- Partly lectured, graded quizes for Data Preprocessing, Statistical Learning Theory, Representation Learning

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

1. Secretary of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Club, IIIT Naya Raipur

June 2021 - June 2022

2. Student Volunteer at National Service Schema, NSS - IIIT Naya Raipur

December 2020 - June 2021

3. IEEE Student Member

Jan 2022 - Present

4. Technical Reviewer IEEE AiDaS 2023 and IROS 2025

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- 1. Programming Languages: Python, C, C++, HTML, CSS
- 2. ML Frameworks: OpenCV, Open3D, NLTK, Tensorflow, PyTorch, Pyspark, CUDA, cuDNN, OpenAI API.
- 3. Robotic Frameworks: ROS, Gazebo, RViz, PCL, MoveIt, V-REP.
- 4. Cloud and Database: Azure AI Search, ML Studio, MS SQL

ACHIEVEMENTS

1. Recipient of International Travel Grant of 2500\$, 6000\$ - IIITNR's TEQIP II	2023,2024
2. Recipient of Travel Grant for TENCON2023 Conference 1200\$ - IIITNR's TEQIP	2023
3. 1st Position (2400+ developers): Ernst and Young GDS (EY-GDS) Hackpions 3.0	2021
4. Recipient of the 100 Percent Scholarship honor in 10+2 Pre-University Programme - FIITJEE	2016

PUBLICATIONS

- 1. **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, and Ramviyas Parasuraman. "SPACE: 3D Spatial Co-operation and Exploration Framework for Robust Mapping and Coverage with Multi-Robot Systems." arXiv preprint arXiv:2411.02524 (2024), submitted to IEEE IROS 2025.
- 2. **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, and Ramviyas Parasuraman. "MGPRL: Distributed Multi-Gaussian Processes for Wi-Fi-based Multi-Robot Relative Localization in Large Indoor Environments.". submitted to IEEE IROS 2025.
- 3. **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, Kundrapu Supriya, and Sabur Baidya. "3DS-SLAM: A 3D Object Detection based Semantic SLAM towards Dynamic Indoor Environments." arXiv preprint arXiv:2310.06385 (2023), submitted to IEEE IROS 2025.
- 4. P. Nemani, **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, N. Ramisetty, B. D. S. Sai and S. Kumar, "Deep Learning based Holistic Speaker Independent Visual Speech Recognition," in *IEEE Transactions on Artificial Intelligence*, 2022, doi: 10.1109/TAI.2022.3220190.
- 5. **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, Kundrapu Supriya, and Sabur Baidya. "Adversarial Security and Differential Privacy in mmWave Beam Prediction in 6G networks." IEEE CSNet 2023.
- 6. Mallikharjuna Rao, K., **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, and Kundrapu Supriya. "Data preprocessing techniques: emergence and selection towards machine learning models-a practical review using HPA dataset." Multimedia Tools and Applications (2023): 1-20.
- 7. P. R. Medi, P. Nemani, **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, S.Vollala, "A Novel end-to-end Framework for Occluded Pixel Reconstruction with Spatio-temporal Features for Improved Person Re-identification," IEEE 2023 8th International Conference on Business and Industrial Research
- 8. **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, Dyavat Sumith, and Garika Akshay. "Epersist: A Two-Wheeled Self Balancing Robot Using PID Controller And Deep Reinforcement Learning." 2022 22nd International Conference on Control, Automation and Systems (ICCAS). IEEE, 2022.
- 9.**Ghanta Sai Krishna**, et al. "dScout: Unmanned Ground Vehicle for Automatic Disease Detection and Pesticide Atomizer." 2022 IEEE 7th International conference for Convergence in Technology (I2CT). IEEE, 2022.
- 10. P. Nemani, **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, K. Supriya and Santosh Kumar, "Speaker Independent Visual Speech Recognition: A Systematic Review and Futuristic Applications", *Elsevier Journal of Image and Vision Computing* 123 (2023)
- 11. **Ghanta Sai Krishna**, Anmol Agarwal, Aparna Sinha and Debanjan Da. "Thermographic Fault Diagnosis: An eXplainable Compact Vision in Transformer Approach for Electrical Machine" submitted to IEEE Sensors Journal.