

# ABHAY SHUKLA

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## EXPERIENCE

<b>Stanford Center for Biomedical Informatics Research</b> <i>Gevaert Lab Student Researcher</i>	November 2024 - Present California
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed physics-based neural networks for anatomically constrained image augmentations (e.g., tissue compression, respiratory/cardiac phase variations), improving cancer detection accuracy by 4–20%.</li><li>Implemented computer vision models (CNNs, Vision Transformers) for precise breast region segmentation.</li><li>Designed Python data processing pipelines for efficient handling of large-scale biomedical datasets on multi-node systems.</li></ul>	
<b>FRC Team 604: Quixilver Robotics</b> <i>Controls/Software Lead (10)</i>	June 2022 - Present California
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Implemented real-time computer vision systems for autonomous robot navigation and object detection.</li><li>Designed strategic robotic mechanisms and integrated multi-modal sensors for maximum performance and reliability.</li><li>Developed competition data collection infrastructure and visualization tools analyzing 1000+ competition matches with 200+ users.</li><li>Achieved top 0.1% international ranking (12/10,000+ teams) through integrated hardware-software optimization.</li></ul>	
<b>UCLA COSMOS (Neurobiology and AI Cohort)</b> <i>Student Researcher</i>	July 2024 - August 2024 California
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed neural networks to model rat hippocampus activity, perform image geolocation, and recognized handwritten characters.</li><li>Applied neurobiological priors to computational modeling techniques using Torch and TensorFlow.</li></ul>	

## PROJECTS

<b>Voquel - Algorithm Demos</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Full-stack AI translator/dubber preserving rhythm, emotion, and artistic intent across languages.</li><li>Efficient GPU-accelerated DSP pipeline optimised for 4 GB VRAM consumer GPUs.</li><li>Drag-and-drop uploads, YouTube import, real-time progress dashboard, and inline media player for a seamless user experience.</li><li>Honorable Mention at the 2025 Synopsys Science Fair (top 10% out of ~1000 competitors); 30+ hours of Voquel-translated content watched on YouTube.</li></ul>
<b>Tessera</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>End-to-end conversational voice agent designed for auditory rehabilitation through adaptive listening exercises.</li><li>Session state managed entirely by an LLM session, enabling personalised progression in a lightweight (30 MB) app ready for clinical use.</li></ul>
<b>PercGAN - Independent Research Project</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed a generative adversarial network addressing critical research gaps in lightweight high-quality stereo audio synthesis.</li><li>Implemented image-like audio representations and efficient model training techniques.</li><li>Achieved an 85% quality improvement and a 25× training-time reduction compared with industry benchmarks.</li></ul>
<b>SporeStrike - Entrepreneurship Project</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Designed computational models for drone-based fungal infection treatment system, created prototype 3D printed components.</li><li>Presented the project to a civil and aerospace engineering panel; won first place out of 260 competitors at the 2024 FlexFactor Entrepreneurship Championships.</li></ul>

## EDUCATION

<b>Leland High School</b> Junior (Expected Graduation 2026)	4.00 UW A-G San Jose, CA
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## SKILLS

<b>Technical Fields</b>	AI/ML, Data Visualization and Analysis, Robotics, Signal Processing, 3D Printing, Web Development
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## HONORS & AWARDS

• 2025 Synopsys Science Fair Honorable Mention (Top 10%, 975+ Participants)	2025
• WCP CADathon/Robot Design Challenge Finalist (Top 1%, 1000+ participants)	2024
• FRC604: World Championship Milstein Division Winner (12/3500 Internationally, 4/300 in CA)	2024
• OneHacks III Hackathon: Third Place (3/120 Internationally)	2023