# **ABHAY SHUKLA**

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

# UCLA COSMOS (CA Summer School for Mathematics & Science)

2024

Brain-Inspired Computing Cohort Member

California

- · Gained proficiency in 20+ key machine learning mechanisms under mentorship of Prof. Hugh Tad Blair. Explored intersection of biological mechanisms and computing.
- · Developed ML problem-solving and data analysis skills by applying theoretical learnings to practical assignments.

#### FRC 604: Quixilver Robotics

2022 - Present

California

Controls/Software Lead (10)

- · Enhanced robot capabilities with computer vision and sensor integration, contributed to team software (particle filter localizer, time-optimal trajectory optimizer).
- · Developed progressive web app for TheBlueAlliance, modernizing the widely-used platform providing real-time access to 30 years of competition and team data.
- · Led subteams in design, manufacturing, and programming of FRC team robot while teaching new members about robot development.

**Bay Area STEM Academy** 

2023 - Present

Cofounder

California

- · Introduced 450+ 3rd-9th grade students to robotics, machine learning, programming, and 3D design.
- · Raised \$5300+ to support local STEM education and children health foundations. Recruited 15+ academy mentors.

## **PROJECTS**

## StereoSampleGAN

GitHub Repo: https://github.com/shuklabhay/stereo-sample-gan

- · WGAN-based approach for generating high-fidelity stereo audio samples by leveraging attention mechanisms, optimized loss functions, and effective signal processing. Research partially funded by UCLA and pending publication.
- · Overcame low-quality monophonic limitations of existing audio generation methods with a 99.77% reduction in training epoch count and 9.56x reduction in parameter count.

#### Quickscout

GitHub Organization: https://github.com/frc604

- · Developed scalable application for multimodal FRC event data collection and visualization. New captured metrics empower informed strategic decisions at high-stakes competitions, contributing to the team's international success.
- · Supports 130+ users on FRC604, collected data for 700+ team robots over 1 year. Trained 10+ team members in webdev to build app and expand application capabilities to fit annual challenges.

## **EDUCATION**

Leland High School4.00 UW A-GJuniorSan Jose, CA

#### **SKILLS**

**Technical Fields** AI/ML, Robotics, Signal Processing, CAD, 3D Printing, Webdev/Appdev

Other Digital Audio Production, Graphic Design, Video Editing

# **HONORS & AWARDS**

• FRC604: City of San Jose Recoginition for STEM Outreach and Team Performance

2024

• FRC604: World Championship Milstein Division Winner (4/300 in CA, 12/3500 Internationally)

2024

• NextFlex FlexFactor: Entrepreneurship Competition Winner (1/260 in CA)

2024

OneHacks III Hackathon: Third Place (3/120 Internationally)

2023