

# SREEKAR REDDY **SAJJALA**

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# **Publications**

- [1] https://doi.org/10.1080/ 21681163.2020.1858968
- [2] https://doi.org/10.1016/j. jmapro.2019.07.033

# $\mathsf{Skills}$

Python	 Advanced
C/ C++	 Intermediate
Java	 Intermediate
MATLAB	 Advanced
Siemens NX	 Expert
ANSA	 Intermediate
Ansys WB	 Advanced
ABAQUS	 Advanced
Radioss	 Intermediate
Optistruct	 Expert
Star-CCM+	 Advanced
OpenFOAM	 Advanced
Paraview	 Advanced

## Languages

German A2 C2 **English** 

# Work Experience

#### Internship, Master Thesis

Siemens Energy - Mülheim, Germany

Topic: Generative Design of a Premixing Passage for a Hydrogen Combustor.

- Mastered combustion simulation workflows using **Star-CCM**+, significantly enhancing process efficiency and automation with JAVA.
- Implemented Generative AI toolchain to H2 combustion gas turbines, minimizing boundary layer flashback and improving performance.

#### Student Research Assistant

08/2021 - Present

10/2023 - 07/2024

RWTH Aachen University

- Developed expertise in adjoint-based topology optimization, creating a workflow for passively coupled CHT cases in **OpenFOAM** and integrating neural networks to accelerate solver runtime.
- Optimized MATLAB program to generate Aerogel geometry, developed C++ code for enhanced performance, and created ABAQUS input scripts for FEM simulation, improving efficiency and reliability.
- Optimized VBA program for examination software while developing a Python GUI using PyQt5 to enhance functionality and user experience.

### Internship [Voluntary]

02/2023 - 08/2023

Volocopter HQ - Bruchsal, Germany

- Conducted mechanical and thermal simulations for CFRP parts and battery **packs** using Optistruct and StarCCM+.
- Analyzed and improved eigenfrequencies of battery packs through modal simulations.
- Investigated thermal runaway stresses and strains for various configurations, ensuring compliance with EU standards. Reference Letter

# Mini Thesis

05/2022 - 01/2023

Digital Additive Production DAP - RWTH Aachen

- Developed a simulation-based Neural Network model for evaluating Additively Manufactured multi-purpose support structures, running CFD simulations on OpenFOAM.
- Significantly reduced development time by eliminating tedious case setups and simulation run times, providing substantial benefits to the development of cooling channels.

#### **CAE Engineer**

03/2019 - 08/2020

Upwork

- Worked on various industrial projects, specializing in design, simulation, and toolchain development.
- Successfully delivered results on time-sensitive projects through effective collaboration with clients.

#### Education

Master of Science: Computer Aided Mechanical **Engineering** 

2020 - Present

RWTH Aachen University - Germany

Addl. Courses: Advanced Software Engineering, Parallel Computing, and Al.

Bachelor of Technology: Mechanical Engineering

2015 - 2019

BML Munjal University - India

Addl. Courses: Computational Fluid Dynamics, Robotics, and Bio-Mechanics.