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Examination	University	Institute	Year	CPI/%
Ph.D.	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2023*	9.86
B.Tech.	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2018	9.72
Intermediate/+2	Andhra Pradesh Board of Intermediate Education	Excel Junior College	2014	97.3
Matriculation	Andhra Pradesh Board of Secondary Education	Vardhana School	2012	9.70

^{*} Expected year of completion

Publications

Potluri, Vachan D., Bhalchandra P. Puranik, and Kowsik V.R. Bodi (2022). "Effect of polynomial degree on discontinuous Galerkin simulation of Euler equations". In: International Shock Interaction Symposium. Springer Nature.

(2023). "High order discontinuous Galerkin simulation of hypersonic shock-boundary layer interaction using subcell limiting approach". In: Journal of Computational Physics 485, p. 112117. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jcp.2023.112117.

Projects

- Development of high resolution schemes for compressible flows in OpenFOAM Prof. Bhalchandra Puranik | Mechanical Engineering Department, IIT Bombay
- [Dec '16 Apr '18]
- Modified an existing solver rhoCentralFoam to use TVD-RK3 time integration scheme
- Developed a new solver ausmPlusUpFoamRK3 that uses AUSM*-up flux scheme along with RK3 time integration scheme
- Performed a comparative study using these two solvers by conducting simulations of several 1D and 2D test cases to draw useful conclusions
- · Unified 2D Finite Element Prof. Parag Tandiya | Mechanical Engineering Department, IIT Bombay

[Mar '18 - Apr '18]

- Implemented a subroutine in FORTRAN77 library FEAP for a new combined Plane Stress, Plain Strain and Axi-symmetric linear elasto-static element, and validated the subroutine using several simple test cases
- · Stair climbing wheel chair Prof. Shantanu Tripathi | Mechanical Engineering Department, IIT Bombay

[Jun '17 - Dec '17]

- **Proposed a mechanism** for a passive wheel chair capable of climbing stairs using the *force provided by α companion*
- Built a full scale basic functioning prototype within 2 months constraining to the alloted budget and resources
- Tested the prototype on 2 different stair geometries and demonstrated it's effectiveness to Mechanical Engineering Department faculty, staff, and other students

Internships

• GE90 HPC airfoil durability analysis

[May '17 - Jul '17]

- Mr. Nageswara Ganji, Mr. Devesh Ojha | John F. Welch Technology Center, General Electric
- Modified the mesh of existing GE90-115B high pressure compressor stage-9 rotor blade, to model 1. Three types of damaged blades by making notches at different locations on the leading edge
 - 2. A defectively manufactured blade by changing thickness of leading edge according to manufacturing tolerance
- Generated Campbell Diagrams by simulating the vibration response and recalculated fatigue factor of safety at critical locations of undamaged, damaged and defected blades for 3 different materials

Scholastic Achievements

• Stood 2nd in Department out of more than 150 students in B.Tech.

[May '18]

• Scored 829 in Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering (GATE) 2018

[Mar '18]

• Secured All India Rank 129 in IEE Advanced 2014 in general category

[May '14]

Awarded Kishore Vigyanik Protshahan Yogana (KVPY) fellowship by Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore

[Dec '13]

Secured position among top 1% students of former Andhra Pradesh who participated in National Standard Examination in [Dec '13] Physics (NSEP)