

# Aman Pathak

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## EDUCATION

### Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology

*Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science*

CGPA: 8.8

2022 – 2026

## EXPERIENCE

### Undergraduate Research

May. 2025 - Aug. 2025

*BITS Pilani*

- Assisted in research on Hardware Security, Cryptography, RISC-V, and Malware Analysis through High Dimensional Machine Learning.

### Undergraduate Research

Feb. 2023 - Aug. 2024

*KIIT University*

- Studied RF communication in THz and GHz domain. Designed Microstrip Patch Antennas for Ku and X band in CST Studio. Developed CST Studio ASCII data preprocessor (GUI Based) in Python. Studied Deep Learning techniques for interpretation of Antenna Datasets.

## PROJECTS

### Vajrip | C

2025

- Built a complete userspace TCP/IP stack (Ethernet, ARP, IP, ICMP, UDP, TCP) fully in C.
- Implemented BSD-style socket APIs and TAP-based virtual NIC integration.
- Added core TCP features including handshake, sliding window, and retransmission logic.

### Advx | Python, PyTorch

2024

- Implemented and evaluated multiple adversarial attacks (FGSM, PGD, CW, DeepFool) on CNN models trained on MNIST.
- Developed multi-attack adversarial training pipelines and achieved significant robustness gains (~98% accuracy under all attacks on MNIST dataset).
- Designed systematic evaluation protocols to avoid data leakage and benchmark clean vs. adversarial performance.

### CHIP-8 Emulator | C, SDL2

2024

- Developed a CHIP-8 emulator to replicate the functionality of the classic virtual machine architecture.
- Implemented core components, including an opcode decoder, memory management, and a CPU emulator alongside SDL2 for rendering the 64x32 display and handling input for games.

### Luma Lang | Java

2024

- A programming language with support for both interpreted and compiled execution models.
- Implemented key features like a lexer, parser, and intermediate representation for efficient execution.

### RV32I RISC-V Single-Bus Emulator | Java

2024

- Developed an monolithic emulator for the RV32I instruction set architecture with a single-bus design.
- Implemented instruction fetch, decode, execute, and memory access stages to simulate CPU functionality.

### Simple Shell Implementation | C

2024

- Developed a simple shell program in C capable of executing system commands.

### Automated Graph Plotting Script | Python, Matplotlib, NumPy

2024

- Created a script to automate high-quality graph plotting for CST Studio results in ASCII format.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** Java, Python, C, C++, Rust, HLS, Verilog, SystemVerilog, VHDL, SQL, NOSQL, Lisp, Go, Perl, Yaml

**Developer Tools:** Git, Docker, Vim, GNU+Linux, OpenBSD, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

**Interests:** Compilers, Operating Systems, Computer Architecture