

# Venkatarao Rebba

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## SUMMARY

First-year Master student in Robotics and Autonomous Systems with 5+ years of experience in deep learning, machine learning, computer vision, and software development technologies. Delivered solutions in video & audio anomaly detection, video classification, and object detection problems. Seeking summer internship opportunities in deep learning, computer vision and Robotics fields.

**Area of Interest:** Robotics, Deep Learning, Reinforcement Learning, and Computer Vision

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## EDUCATION

<b>M.S in Robotics and Autonomous Systems (AI)</b>	Expected May 2023
Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ	3.7 GPA
Relevant Coursework: Artificial Intelligence, Reinforcement Learning	

<b>Bachelors in Electronics and Communication Engineering</b>	June 2012 - May 2016
Rajiv Gandhi University of Knowledge Technologies, Nuzvid, AP, India	8.8/10 GPA

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## COURSES

▪ ROS2 Ultimate Guide for Kuka 6-DOF and Custom Robotics Arms   Udemy	10/2021 – 12/2021
▪ Self-Driving Car Specialization   University of Toronto   Coursera	01/2021 – 11/2021
▪ Deep Learning Specialization   DeepLearning.AI   Coursera	01/2018 - 06/2018
▪ Foundation of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning   IIIT Hyderabad	01/2018 – 06/2018

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

<b>Programming Languages</b>	: Python, C/C++, Java
<b>Frameworks, Libraries</b>	: TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, openCV, openAI-Gym, ROS, Gazebo, Docker, Rviz, Flask, MATLAB, Scikit Learn, Pandas, Matplotlib, NumPy

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<b>Cerium Systems, Bangalore, India: Senior Engineer</b>	06/2018 - 08/2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Led AI team of 4 members to build CNN, RNN, GAN models for video and audio quality assessment objectives for Intel platforms &amp; drivers verification.</li><li>• Re-designed CNN model for video quality verification that reduced model size from 2GB to 440MB (465%), and improved training and inference performance significantly</li><li>• Created Auto-ML stack for training and tuning audio model that facilitates to build a model 10x faster</li><li>• Optimized audio data pre-processing mechanism, reduced overall training time for a model from 5hrs to 2hrs (250%)</li><li>• Boosted inference performance from 20 images/sec to 60 images/sec (300%)</li><li>• Simulated ~10GB image &amp; audio dataset by generating anomaly patterns and applying augmentation techniques</li></ul>	
<b>Vassar Labs, Hyderabad, India: Software Engineer</b>	01/2016 - 04/2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Implemented two machine learning models to forecast the rain probability in Andhra Pradesh state, India</li><li>• Developed linear regression model to impute the missing data for the size of 100k samples.</li><li>• Worked in full-stack development for creating three dashboards and two android applications</li><li>• Created 20 REST APIs by fetching and processing data from the MySQL database for dashboard development</li><li>• Improved MySQL query performance which cut down the dashboard load time by 55%</li><li>• Automated data base management that aided system to achieve 5x faster results.</li></ul>	

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## VOLUNTEER

- Volunteer trainer for data science classes to the community
- Member of Rossum Rumlbers robotics group at ASU
- Active member of SME group, a non-profit group of manufacturing industry.