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#### PERSONAL DATA

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#### **EDUCATION**

2013-2015 Bachelor of Technology in Mechanical Engineering, IIT Patna, India

CGPA: 8.2/10

2012 Intermediate/+2 in CBSE BOARD, CCHS School, Jaipur, India

%: **80.4%** 

2010 Matriculation in CBSE BOARD, SMHS School, Jaipur, India

CGPA: 9.8/10

#### SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

 Secured rank in top 99.99%ile in IIT-JEE Examination 2013 among over 1.4 Million candidates.

- Secured an International Rank 153 in IMO 'International Mathematics Olympiad' in 2012.
- Secured an All India Rank 42 in NSO 'National Science Olympiad' in 2011.
- Awarded the prestigious **KVPY** 'Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana' SCHOLARSHIP (2012), awarded by *D.S.T., Govt. of India* to only top 200 science students in India.
- Awarded the prestigious **INSPIRE** SCHOLARSHIP (2011) by *D.S.T.*, *Govt. of India* as one of the top 100 science students in Rajasthan State and attended one week Inspire Science Camp at Rajasthan University (2011).

#### FIELDS OF INTEREST

ROBOTICS, MECHATRONICS, COMPUTER VISION - MACHINE LEARNING, ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, CAD MODELING / SIMULATION.

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: C/C++, Java, Matlab
- Modeling Softwares: AUTOCAD, CATIA, PROE, SOLIDWORKS, ADAMS view
- Computer Vision: OPENCV
- Proficient with Arduino, Raspberry PI
- MS Office, LATEX
- Operating Systems: Windows, Linux

#### **RESEARCH & INTERNSHIPS**

#### MAY - JULY 2015

#### New York University, USA

Mechatronics & Control Lab.- Prof. Vikram Kapila

VISION BASED ROBOTIC SYSTEM

Developed my own 3-D object recognition System using OPENCV.

Designed and 3D printed Face and eyes of the Robot

Made a robot to recognise diff. human facial expressions and perform tasks like picking specific 3-D objects.

Employed machine learning techniques in advanced vision systems along with robotic arm control.

Worked in a team along with post-graduates and delivered these results.

#### Current Aug 2015-

#### Indian Institute of technology Patna, India

Mechatronics, Control & Instrumentation Lab.- Asst. Prof. Atul Thakur

**ALLIGATOR INSPIRED ROBOT** 

Designed and modelled body parts of the Aligator Robot.

Programmed it to show various gaits(like trot and creep).

Will in future be deployed in different terrains for exploration,etc equipped with advanced sensor control system.

#### Current AUG 2015-

#### Indian Institute of technology Patna, India

Mechanical Engineering.- Assoc. Prof. Mayank Tiwari

**AUTOMATION SYSTEM IN LITCHI HARVESTING** 

Manufactured a lifting platform for a robotic arm  $\pm$  gripper mechanism. Gripper with cutter will cut the litchi off the tree.

To be Equipped with vision-sensor system to detect litchi in a tree and whether it's ripen or not

Working in a group of 4 students. It would eventually be both manually or autonomously controlled.

# **PROJECTS**

## • Water Harvesting via dew/moisture Condensation

Fabricated Super Hydrophobic copper oxide thin films. In depth Analysis of Heat-mass transfer phenomenon at nano-scale.

#### · High viscous fluid flow in lubrication process

Carried out experiments on different kind of bearings.

Learned simulation of lubrication processes and delivered a seminar on it.

#### POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

Current JULY 2015-

#### Training and Placement Cell

Mechanical Engg. Internship Co-ordinator

Responsible for contacting various companies and invite them to hire student interns from the college.

Responsible for scheduling and managing presentations, tests and interviews of companies as a part of the internship process.

Learned how to work in a highly professional environment with strong ethics and integrity.

Current JULY 2014-

#### Techno-Cultural Fest."ANWESHA"

Hospitality Co-ordinator

Managed a team of more than 20 students, dealt with major hospitality related firms of the city

Responsible for taking proper care and arrangements of all the guests and V.I.P.'s during

Acquired Leadership-management skills and gained valuable experience.

JULY 2014 - JULY 2015

#### **Entrepreneurship Club**

Media & Public Relations Sub Co-ordinator

My responsibilities included expanding the public and media outreach of the Entrepreneurship Club and promoting the Entrepreneurship Club's events and activities among the students and faculty.

Maintained online blogs/portals and managed to increase the online outreach of the club by 200% over the year.

# **EXTRA/CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- Musician Guitar player, Singer and a Song writer.
- Actor and Orator, part of Dramatics Club. Have acted in plays and short films.
- Black Belt in Karate, won numerous Gold Medals at National and State Level.
- Stood 2nd in Robo-warz competition at Technical Fest 'Celesta'13' at IIT Patna.
- Stood 3rd in Line follower competition at Techniche '14 at IIT Guwahati.

#### REFEREES

Dr. Atul Thakur Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Patna, India

CO-ORDINATOR: Mechatronics, Control and Instrumentation Lab, IIT Patna, India.

http://iitp.ac.in/ athakur/index.html

DR. VIKRAM KAPILLA Professor of Mechanical Engineering, NYU-POLY, USA

CO-ORDINATOR: Mechatronics and Control Lab, NYU-POLY, USA.

http://engineering.nyu.edu/mechatronics/vkapila/