# Vaibhav Pratap Singh

3rd Year Undergraduate
Department of Mechanical Engineering

## **Academic Qualifications**

| Year           | Degree/Certificate | Institute                              | CPI/%  |
|----------------|--------------------|--|--------|
| 2016 - Present | B.Tech.            | Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur | 8.0/10 |
| 2015           | CBSE (XII)         | DAV Public School, Kota                | 93.6%  |
| 2013           | CBSE (X)           | Modern School, Kota                    | 10/10  |

## Scholastic Achievements

- Secured All India Rank 3161 in JEE Advanced 2016 among 1.5 Lakh candidates
- Secured All India Rank 7942 in JEE Mains 2016 among 1.5 Million candidates

## Key Projects Undertaken

## • BAJA - All Terrain Vehicle : IITK Motorsports

Faculty Advisor - Dr. Santanu De, Assistant Professor, IIT Kanpur (worth INR 15 lakhs)

(Mar'18-Present)

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- Formulating brakes and vehicle dynamics subsystem for BAJA (B'19) to feature in Enduro Student India 2019
- Optimized vehicle's braking parameters for panic braking conditions of 60 kmph to 0 kmph in just 2.5 secs
- Analyzed structural integrity of disc brake rotors under mechanical & thermal loads using FEM, following design changes
- Upgraded the wheel assembly to incorporate design changes in suspension geometry of the vehicle

## • Formula Student Vehicle : IITK Motorsports

Faculty Advisor - Dr. Santanu De, Assistant Professor, IIT Kanpur (worth INR 30 lakhs)

(May'17-Jan'18)

- Devised brake subsystem for Formula student vehicle (F'18) which participated in Formula Bharat 2018
- Reconstructed brake actuation assembly to provide efficient braking and pedal response, manufactured in-house
- Reorganised hydraulic systems to increase driver ergonomics and provide better serviceability to the whole vehicle

#### • Image Processing of Thermal Images

Project Investigator - Dr. Braj Bhushan, Professor, IIT Kanpur

(Mar'18-Jul'18)

- Administered in-built image processing toolbox, Matlab to detect thermal signatures in a human face image data
- Employed normalized 2-D cross-correlation to detect various feature points of a human face

#### • Multipurpose Machine

Instructor - Dr. J. Ram Kumar, Professor, IIT Kanpur (TA202, Machining Processes)

(Aug'17-Nov'17)

- Awarded as the Best Project of the course in the semester 2017-18
- Led a 6 member team to build Multipurpose Machine model capable of performing various mechanical tasks simultaneously
- Acquired hands on experience on conventional machining techniques and industrial cost analysis

#### • Drain Cleaner

Instructor - Dr. Vivek Verma, Associate Professor, IIT Kanpur (TA201, Manufacturing Processes)

(Jan'18-Mar'18)

- Led a team of five to build a model of drain cleaner
- Received hands on experience on processes like casting, sheet metal forming, welding, brazing and forging.

## Positions of Responsibility

#### • President : Society of Automotive Engineers, IIT Kanpur

(Mar'18-Present)

- Spearheading a **3 tier team**, consisting of **40+ members**; orchestrating various logistics and technical requirements
- Formulating strategic marketing campaigns to gather funds via multiple sources; targeting a budget of INR 3 million
- Engaging in 3 national and 1 institute level competitions and workshops via unique brand strategies

#### • Student Guide: Counselling Service

(Jul'17-Mar'18)

- Coordinated with the Counselling Service and organized the Orientation Programme for 800+ freshmen
- Helped 5+ freshers with academics through regular meetings and maintained a good rapport with them

### **Technical Skills**

• Programming Tools and Softwares: C, MatLab, LATEX, SolidWorks, Ansys, Autodesk Inventor, MSC Adams, Maple

#### Extracurriculars

- Participated in Formula Bharat 2018 and secured 6th position in Business logic presentation event, 9th position in Design event and overall 15th position among 71 other national teams
- Secured 2nd position in Design-O-Flare competition, Takneek 2017
- Secured 1st position in intra-hostel dance-drama event and 3rd position in intra-hostel group dance event, Galaxy 2017
- Participated in Robobasket, an IMU-based robot making competition in Takneek 2016