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Experience

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Birla Vishvakarma Mahavidyalaya

Robotics Engineer and Full-stack Developer

• Developed a modular, centralized control software using **OPC-UA** communication protocol interfaced with **ROS2** to manage N static stations and M autonomous mobile robots (AMRs), enhancing system coordination & reducing operational delays.

Keivalya B. Pandya

• Implemented an **E-commerce** platform using **Django** to host and sell institutional components, and inventory management, which streamlined the sales process and increased online engagement.

Indian Space Research Organisation (SAC/ISRO)

Resaercher

- Developed a Deep Neural Network (DNN) Architecture using Keras, PyTorch and Tensorflow model for automated land-use classification, achieving 90% accuracy in satellite imagery analysis, supporting urban planning.
- Engineered a **Digital Twin** for the Thermo-Vacuum Chamber, optimizing quantum payload testing, resulting in a 20% reduction in system validation time and improving simulation accuracy by 17%. Published in Current Science Journal.

IIT Delhi - AIA - Foundation for Smart Manufacturing

Machine Learning Mentor | Researcher

- Led 44 ML/AI research projects under Prof. Dr. Sunil Jha, Director, focusing on applications in smart manufacturing using Machine Learning, Computer Vision, Robotics, Digital Twin, AR/VR, and IIoT.
- Mentored 17 interns across diverse academic levels in the Internship, providing guidance on ML/AI projects.

Academic Qualifications

Northeastern University

Master of Science in Robotics | Concentration: Computer Science Boston, Massachusetts Relevant Coursework: Reinforcement Learning and Sequential Decision Making, Mobile Robotics

Birla Vishvakarma Mahavidyalaya

Bachelor of Technology — GPA: 3.60

Skills

Languages: Python, C/C++, C#, R, JavaScript, SQL, Arduino

Specialization: Machine Learning (ML), Computer Vision (OpenCV/CV), Reinforcement Learning (RL), Aritificial Intelligence (AI), Deep Learning (DL), Robot Operating System (ROS), Natural Language Processing

Frameworks/Libraries: Pytorch, Tensorflow, Keras, Stable Diffusion, Transformers

Algorithms implemented: Extended Kalman Filter, Particle Filter, Rao-Blackwellized Particle Filter, FastSLAM

Publications

Research Papers

- Automating Customer Service using LangChain: Building custom open-source GPT Chatbot for organizations
- Application of digital twin in space engineering using AR and IOT technology, November 2023 ISSN 0011-3891
- Bare PCB Fault Detection in Real-Time Using YOLOv5, December 2022 ISSN 2320-088X

Patents

• IN Patent 356336-001/125869, "AI-based Prosthetic Limb with EMG sensors," January 19, 2023.

Projects

Franka Robot Arm Manipulation using Behavioral Cloning | Pytorch, MoJoCo

- Leveraged **Relay Policy Learning** for long-horizon task handling and **TD3** for continuous action spaces, integrated with MoJoCo simulation for real-time interaction with a 9-DoF Franka robotic arm.
- Developing a robotic system that autonomously performs cooking-related tasks, using a **Reinforcement Learning** approach trained on **human demonstration data** and refined with sequential decision-making algorithms.

Autonomous Mobile Robot (AMR) | Robot Operating System

- Developed an AGV integrated with a robotic arm from Omron, leveraging ROS2 for navigation and control.
- Engineered the system for autonomous operation, enabling precise maneuverability and interaction with its environment using SICK company LiDAR and other sensors.

New Delhi, Delhi

June 2023 – December 2023

May 2026

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March 2024 to May 2024

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Ahmedabad, Gujarat December 2022 - June 2023

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