



 With expertise in **3D machine learning, SLAM, computer vision, GPU programming, and embedded systems**, I excel in creating integrated engineering solutions through comprehensive, cross-disciplinary thinking.

## Skills

**Programming** : C++ [ 6+ years ], Python [ 6+ years ]

**Technical Knowledge Domains** : Multimodal Large Scale Deep Learning [ **Ray, Kubernetes, Pytorch** ], Classical computer vision [ **C++, OpenCV** ], 3D Computer Vision, Machine Learning [ **Pytorch, JAX** ], SLAM [ **ORB-SLAM, VINS Mono** ], Non-linear optimization [ **Eigen, g2o, ceres, GTSAM** ] - **Bundle Adjustment, Camera Calibration, Pose Graph Optimization**, IMU Preintegration, Bayesian Inference, Embedded Systems, SIMD Programming [ **CUDA** ], Model Optimization [ **TensorRT** ], 3D reconstruction [ **NeRFs, Gaussian Splatting** ], 2D/3D Object Detection

## Experience

2024 - Present

**Qualcomm, San Diego** - *Senior Deep Learning Engineer - Multimodal AI*

- ❖ Develop state of the art **lidar and LiDAR-camera fusion deep learning models using foundation models** for complex urban and highway scenarios scalable to **large scale data regimes (Petabytes)**. Work closely with seasoned senior perception engineers in leading **automated driving systems in OEMs & Robotaxi companies**.

2024 - Present

**Google Summer of Code** - *Developer & Mentor - 3D Reconstruction*

- ❖ Developed a pipeline to **convert unconstrained video sequences into efficient Gaussian splats**. Collaborated with OpenCV under the mentorship of OpenCV founder and president, Gary Bradski.

2021 - 2024

**Qualcomm, San Diego** - *Senior Machine Learning Engineer*

- ❖ Served as the **technical lead**, overseeing the development of a **hardware/software co-design solution for visual odometry in extended reality (XR/VR/AR) applications**. The proposed HW/SW co-design **reduces power usage** while maintaining latency and accuracy. Designed and validated sparse optimizations for various non-linear estimation problems of **Simultaneous Localization and Mapping (SLAM)** namely **Bundle Adjustment, Pose Graph Optimization, Loop Closure & Online Calibration**.

2019 - 2021

**Drone Lab - UCSD, San Diego** - *Graduate Student Researcher [Funded]*

- ❖ Designed, implemented & deployed an Attention-based CNN on **incoming data from 600 cameras** to solve the problem of **wildfire plume detection** for the **ALERTWildFire initiative**
- ❖ Developed an **Object Detection Pipeline** to process **4x1080p video streams** on AGX Xavier using the **DeepStream SDK** in collaboration with LLNL. The detection pipeline used custom trained **TensorRT models** as detectors.

2016 - 2019

**NVIDIA, Bengaluru** - *Embedded System Software Engineer*

- ❖ Served as the **lead** on designing, implementing and testing the **software pipeline of I2C Virtualization** as per the **ISO26262** functional safety standards for ARM based NVIDIA SoCs (Xavier/Parker).
- ❖ Took an active role in the **development and bring-up of the Xavier System-on-Chip (SoC)**, ensuring that the components under my purview were successfully integrated and operational on both the Field-Programmable Gate Array (FPGA) and the SoC.