

# SMIT SHAH

Transportation / Digital Designer



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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### American Honda

Torrance, California

Digital Modeling and  
Visualisation Intern

May 2022 - August 2022

Learnt in depth about Class-A modeling and utilizing SuB-DIV tools in Alias for conceptual modeling.  
Worked on 2 production parts on class-A tolerances with engineering inputs.  
Learnt VRED for advanced visualization techniques.  
Worked under the supervision of John Frye (Principal Designer-DMV Department)

### College for Creative Studies

Detroit, Michigan

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Nov 2021 - May 2022

Responsibilities included creating transportation design teaching aids & demonstrations assets for the graduate transportation design courses.

### Studio Clockwork

Mumbai, India

Lead Transportation Designer

April 2020 - August 2021

Junior Transportation Designer

July 2018 - March 2020

Participated in initial research development, including brainstorming, mood-boards, concept boards development, initial and final concept refinement through sketching and Photoshop renders, CAS modeling and Class-A modeling and final visualization on VRED.  
Lead several projects from initial research phase to final Class-A deliverables with several OEMs such as Mahindra, Tata, Honda & Toyota.  
Volunteered to teach Class-A modeling to colleagues and juniors.  
Presented final pitches of concepts to clients and chief designers of OEMs.

### Varroc Engg. Ltd.

Pune, India

Sr. Industrial Designer

June 2017 - July 2018

Participated in design benchmarking, market research conceptualization, CAS and Class-A modeling and 3D visualization of several automotive accessories.  
Pitched & developed several concepts for RFQ projects to OEMs.

### Speedways Electric Vehicles

Jalandhar, India

Design Intern

June 2014 - July 2014

Designed a vehicle at Speedways Electric for short commute within the compound for a restaurant located in Jalandhar.

### Cosire Innovations

Ahmedabad, India

Design Intern

June 2013 - July 2013

Responsibilities included conceptualization, CAS modeling, 3D visualization for multiple projects for Symphony, Sintex & Suveg Electronics.

## SKILLSET

### 2D

Freehand Sketching

Photoshop

Illustrator

InDesign

### 3D

Alias Autostudio

Class-A modeling

Scan modeling

Reverse Engineering

Sub-Div Modeling

VRED

Unreal Engine

ZBrush

## EDUCATION

### College For Creative Studies

Detroit, USA

MFA, Transportation Design

Sept 2021 - expected May 2023

### ECTI

Pune, India

Advanced Alias Course

July 2017 - Feb-2018

### MIT Institute of Design

Pune, India

B.Des in Transportation Design

July 2011 - March-2017