# Rajesh Karra | Undergrad Physics Student

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### **Professional Profile**

Highly motivated recent graduate with a Bachelor's degree in Mathematics, Physics and Computer Science from Osmania University seeking admission to the Master's program in Theoretical Physics at your University. Eager to leverage my strong foundation in programming and fundamentals of Physics to gain expertise in Theoretical Physics. Aiming to become a research scientist and contribute to the Theoretical Physics and Quantum Computing.

One pivotal experience that ignited my passion for theoretical physics was my participation in the IBM Qiskit Advocate programs, where I had the opportunity to sharpen my skills in quantum computing.

# Core Skills

#### Physics/Quantum Computing(Beginner)

- IBM Qiskit
- FORTRAN
- ROOT Library(CERN)
- Haskell

### Computer Science(Beginner)

- Python, Django, Java, Scikit-Learn
- Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib
- JupyterLab, Heroku, Git, aws
- Linux, <u>Machine Learning</u>

# Education

**Masters(Pursuing)** Theoretical Physics with Advanced Research | Sep 2024 - Sep 2026 | University of Hertfordshire, UK.

Modules included:

- \* Quantum Field Theory
- \* Relativity and Field Theory
- \* General Relativity
- \* Groups and Representations
- \* Lagrangian Dynamics
- \* Statistics and Analysis
- \* High Energy Astrophysics
- \* Physics of Elementary Particles.

### Bachelor of Science (hons) - (First-class - 7.8) | Aug 2021 - June 2024 |

Osmania University | Hindi Mahavidyalaya |

Modules included:

- \* Physics 70%
- \* Mathematics 60%
- \* Computer Science 60%

### Final year project: "Quantum optimization challenge - Get your starship out of a sticky situation!"

This paper presents a novel application of the Traveling Salesman Problem (TSP) in a time-critical scenario: optimizing debris collection by an autonomous drone during a starship's approach to a black hole. Large debris poses a catastrophic collision threat, necessitating efficient collection along the shortest path. Utilizing precise distance measurements between debris pieces, we formulate the mission as a TSP instance. The acknowledged NP-completeness of TSP highlights the inherent computational challenge. However, by drawing a parallel to the classic traveling salesman scenario, we demonstrate the broader applicability of this problem to various logistical and optimization tasks beyond space exploration. This research investigates the potential of IBM Quantum's QISKIT platform to solve the formulated TSP for debris collection. By exploring the capabilities of quantum computing for this real-world problem, this work aims to contribute to the development of efficient solutions for time-sensitive path optimization within a critical spacefaring context.

#### 4 x A Levels / HSC (grades AABC) - 57.33%

Board of Intermediate | SAV & NV Junior college |

Subjects included:

- \* Mathematics C
- \* Physics B
- \* Chemistry A
- \* Biology A

#### **12 x GCSs/SSC** (grades A-C) - 57.16%

Board of Secondary Education | Thakshashila Vidya Mandir

Subjects included:

- \* Mathematics
- \* Physical Science
- \* Biological Science
- \* Social Studies

### Hobbies

- Networking
- Reading professional books or articles
- Learning new skills
- Taking online courses
- Joining professional organizations

- Creating or updating a portfolio
- Participating in mentorship programs
- Building a website

# References

#### Keerthi

Asst. Professor Physics

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Keerthi was my Asst. professor and my faculty for Physics in my Bachelors

#### Rama devi

Asst. Professor Mathematics

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Rama devi was my Asst. professor and my faculty for Mathematics in my Bachelors.

#### Avinash Pal Lidlaan

Asst. Professor Computer Science & Applications

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Mr. Avinash was my Asst. professor and my faculty for Computer Science & Applications in my Bachelors