# Shakeela Hermans

**Automation Specialist** 



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#### **EDUCATION**

# **Bachelor of Science in Automation Engineering at Vermont Technical** College, VT

Sep 2016 - May 2021

Relevant Coursework: Control Systems, Robotics, Industrial Automation, PLC Programming, Mechatronics, Electric Drives, Sensors and Actuators, Computer-Aided Design, Digital Signal Processing, Artificial Intelligence, and Machine Learning.

### LINKS

linkedin.com/in/shakeelahermans

# **SKILLS**

Python Selenium **UiPath** Blue Prism **Jenkins** Ansible **AutoCAD** 

# **LANGUAGES**

English

French

### **HOBBIES**

### **PROFILE**

Results-driven Automation Specialist with 2 years of experience in designing, implementing, and maintaining automation systems. Proven expertise in robotics, PLC programming, and process optimization, with a strong background in troubleshooting and problem-solving. Adept at collaborating with cross-functional teams to deliver streamlined solutions that enhance operational efficiency and reduce costs. Demonstrated ability to adapt to new technologies and stay up-to-date with industry trends. Committed to continuous improvement and leveraging automation to drive business success.

#### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

# **Automation Specialist at Vermont Automation Services, VT**

May 2023 - Present

- Designed and implemented a new automation system for a major manufacturing client, resulting in a 35% increase in production efficiency and a 25% reduction in labor costs.
- Developed a custom automation solution for a local food processing facility, which led to a 50% reduction in product spoilage and a 20% increase in overall production capacity.
- Successfully completed a complex retrofit project for an industrial plant, integrating advanced automation technologies that improved machine reliability by 40% and reduced maintenance costs by 30%.
- Led a team of engineers in the development and installation of a state-of-the-art robotic assembly line for a high-tech electronics manufacturer, increasing their output by 45% and reducing assembly errors by 60%.

# Junior Automation Specialist at Green Mountain Automation, VT Sep 2021 - Mar 2023

- Implemented a new automation system for Green Mountain Automation, VT, resulting in a 35% increase in production efficiency and a 25% reduction in manual labor costs.
- Developed and integrated a machine learning algorithm for quality control, leading to a 15% improvement in defect detection rates and a 10% reduction in product returns.
- Successfully managed a team of 5 automation technicians in the deployment of a robotic assembly line, increasing overall throughput by 50% and reducing assembly errors by 20%.
- Streamlined the company's inventory management system through automation, reducing inventory discrepancies by 30% and cutting down on warehouse processing time by 40%.

#### CERTIFICATES

**Certified Automation Professional (CAP)** 

Nov 2021

International Society of Automation Certified Control Systems Technician (CCST)

May 2020