

Shaan Mistry

Hi! My name is Shaan Mistry, and I grew up in Chino Hills, California, where I graduated from Ruben S. Ayala High School. Outside of school, I enjoy playing basketball, traveling, binge-watching TV shows and movies, and any spontaneous hangouts with friends. In high school, I was heavily involved in VEX Robotics, serving as president of the club and lead designer for my team. That experience cultivated my passion for electronics and gave me an appreciation for the balance between creativity and precision in the engineering process.

I chose UCLA for its vibrant student culture, strong academics, and the mix of technical and social communities on campus. Its location, close to both the beach and downtown Los Angeles, also made it super appealing.

I decided to study electrical engineering largely because of my robotics background, where I worked on integrating sensors and designing the electronic systems that brought our robot to life. I also competed in mobile app development events for FBLA throughout high school, which sparked my passion for the software side.

At UCLA, I am involved in Bruin Formula Racing and IEEE, and I've also conducted research with Professor Tian and the UCLA Security Lab, where I worked on developing and fine-tuning a multi-agent framework to solve cybersecurity benchmarks.

I haven't decided yet on a specific career path within EE, but I have a strong interest in embedded systems and AI hardware, and I hope to pursue a career in industry.

