

## Curriculum Vitae for Rao V. Garimella

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Unstructured Mesh Generation, Geometric Modeling, Computational Geometry, Finite Element Methods, Finite Volume Methods and Numerical Optimization.

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Ph.D., Mechanical Engineering, 1998, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY.  
MS, Mechanical Engineering, 1992, Ohio University, Athens, OH.  
BS, Mechanical Engineering, 1989, S J College of Engineering, Mysore, India.

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Research Assistant, SCOREC, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. (05/93 - 01/99)  
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### Publications:

- [1] P. Vachal, R. V. Garimella, and M. J. Shashkov. Untangling of 2d meshes in ale simulations. *Journal of Computational Physics*, to appear 2004.
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- [6] R. V. Garimella and M. S. Shephard. Boundary layer mesh generation for viscous flow simulations. *International Journal of Numerical Methods in Engineering*, 49(1-2):193–218, Sep 2000.
- [7] R. V. Garimella and M. S. Shephard. Generation of tetrahedral meshes with multiple elements through the thickness. *Engineering with Computers*, 15(2):181–197, 1999.