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Introduce yourself in a brief paragraph:

I come from an agricultural village at Madurai in Tamil Nadu. Having completed my BE in Mechanical Engineering at the University of Madras with First Class Honours I joined an automobile manufacturing organization, where I worked as Quality Assurance & Production Engineer for nearly three years. Later, I joined the University of South Australia (UniSA) to do PhD in manufacturing engineering. After my PhD I worked as Lecturer at the UniSA for 1.5 years. In addition, I worked as a Research Associate on Engineering Maintenance related projects for 8 months. Recently, I have joined the CQ University as a Research Fellow, where I contribute to both CRC for Rail Innovation and Centre for Railway Engineering. We are dealing with a wide variety of Rail Industry problems and in particular I focus on Engineering Maintenance related projects. I am very much interested to initiate and execute any collaborative projects with Indian counterparts, as I believe this is a good opportunity to indirectly server our country at this moment.