Tejas Rao

Manager, Ansys Discovery Technical Team

BIO

Tejas graduated from Michigan State University with a Bachelors and Masters in Mechanical Engineering. During his undergraduate studies, Tejas was actively involved in the engineering co-op program, where he was first exposed to simulation. This led to a focus on CFD for his Masters degree and a lifelong passion for helping engineer better products through pervasive simulation.

Tejas enjoys backpacking, camping, travel and cooking with his family. He plays tennis, ultimate frisbee and many other sports, and enjoys riding his Moto Guzzi on the backroads around his home in Michigan.

Ansys EXPERIENCE

Tejas joined Ansys in 2001 after completing his Masters degree at Michigan State University. Tejas' passion for working with people, understanding customers' business and engineering goals, and orchestrating simulation solutions led him to join the sales team at Ansys, where he remained for about 12 years. During this time Tejas worked with a broad variety of customers from across various industry segments.

After several years of successfully managing global relationships with several automotive and industrial OEMs and Tier 1 suppliers, Tejas moved to the Ansys technical team, where he focused on helping customers develop and optimize simulation workflows across a variety of physics. After a couple of years, Tejas was asked to lead a global team of engineers focused on enabling pervasive simulation by leveraging the new and exciting Discovery family of products and technologies. Tejas has been in this role for the past several years and recently celebrated his 20th year with Ansys.

PROFESSIONAL

EDUCATION
Masters in Mechanical Engineering, Michigan State University

Bachelors in Mechanical Engineering, Michigan State University

PERSONAL

INTERESTS
Travel, backpacking, camping, food, motorcycles, motorsport

LANGUAGES
English, Kannada

COMPETENCIES

SIMULATION

ENGINEERING

LEADERSHIP

Ansys PHYSICS