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I am an Industrial Innovation Leader with 15+ years of experience in engineering operations, investing, and strategy across new energy, EVs, chips, and critical minerals.

Abhishek's expertise spans the entire value chains of solar PV, lithium-ion battery, and electric vehicle industries, gained through roles at the Government of Singapore and REC Group as a scientist and engineering manager, and SoftBank and OLA Electric as an investment and business professional. Additionally, with experience in 22nm technology development at imec and due diligence for SoftBank's \$32B ARM acquisition, he is well-versed in the chip industry. Abhishek's impact extends further as he has advised and directed over 10 early-stage energy startups (Seed to Series B) across the U.S. and India.

ORGANIZATION	POSITION	YEAR AND LOCATION
TESLA	Cell Engineering and NPI	2025 - PRESENT 
Ampcera	VP, Innovation and Commercialization	2024 - 2025 
ADVANO	Director, Product and Commercial Partnerships	2022 - 2023 
OLA ELECTRIC	Director, Corporate Strategic Planning & Investments	2020 - 2022 
SoftBank	Senior Manager, Corporate Development & Investments	2015 - 2018 
REC	Engineering Manager, Solar Cell-Module Operations	2011 - 2013 
Agency for Science, Technology and Research SINGAPORE	R&D Engineer, Solar PV	2009 - 2011 

