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EDUCATION

Purdue University – West Lafayette, IN May '18
Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Python, C/C++, Java, System Verilog, JavaScript, Git/SVN, MIPS Assembly, Bash Scripting

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

IEEE Code Cafe – Purdue University – *Mentor* Apr '18

- Successfully **coached** graduate students to further enhance skills in **data structures** and **object-oriented concepts**.

Skills: Python 3.6, Debugging, Communication

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant – Purdue University – *Software Engineering Tools* Jan '18 – Apr '18

- **Train** and **mentor** 30 students to use scripting languages to integrate the input/output of diverse software systems.
- Aided students to apply **testing techniques** to assess **software reliability** and correctness.

Skills: Scripting Languages, Python 3.4, Debugging, Problem Solving, Leadership

Diebold Nixdorf – Mumbai, India – *Software Engineering Intern* May '16 – July '16

- **Customized user interface**, by adding radio buttons, checkboxes and dropdowns to improve functionality for easy navigation of the software.
- **Collaborated** with a team of engineers in **sieving through error logs** and making necessary changes to provide functioning code.

Skills: Debugging, UI Design, Git – Version Control, Application Development Life Cycle, Collaboration

PROJECTS

Smart Surface – Purdue University – *Hardware and Systems Engineer* Jan '18 - Present

- Successfully **designed, developed** and **tested** a **PCB** schematic and layout for the Smart Surface project.
- **Interfaced** various sensors with STM32F0 to obtain accurate readings, using I2C and UART.

Skills: PCB Design, Embedded Systems, Hardware/Software Engineering, Interfacing

Game Development – Purdue University Aug '17 – Dec '17

- Developed Zork, an interactive fiction game in **C++**, and space invaders, a classic arcade game in **Java**.

Skills: Object-oriented methodology, Multi-threading, 2D Graphics Animation, XML Parsing

Tiny Compiler – Purdue University Aug '17 – Dec '17

- Designed, developed and **optimized** a fully functioning compiler for the language, Micro.

Skills: C++, Flex/Bison, Data Structures, Scripting, Automation

Multi-Core Processor – Purdue University Aug '17 – Dec '17

- Optimized a single-cycle processor by implementing a 5-stage pipeline, **improving efficiency by 352%**.
- Further enhanced performance by **implementing an L1 cache** and integrating cores, to create a dual-core processor.

Skills: System Verilog, MIPS Assembly, VLSI

Steganography – Purdue University Apr '17 – May '17

- Encapsulated the payload image inside the carrier by **reorganizing the LSB of the RGB bytes** of the carrier image.
- Successfully optimized **Python** code to **reduce the run time by 40%** and embed 1.5MB in less than 2 seconds.

Skills: Python 3.4, QT GUI, NumPy, SciPy Libraries, SVN – Version Control, Computer Security, Vectorization

Self-Parking Car – Purdue University – *Team Leader* Aug '16 – Dec '16

- **Delegated tasks and roles** to team members and established project timeline to streamline the development process to create a productive work flow.

Skills: Embedded C, Circuit Design/Integration, Microcontroller Interfacing, Leadership

Android Development Jul '16 – Aug '16

- Developed a **language learning tool** to help users learn a Native American language, Miwok.
- Implemented threading and added menus to a sample weather app to **improve performance by 15%**.

Skills: Java, XML, Threading, Android Studio, Open Source Experience

Rubik's Cube Solver – Purdue University Apr '16 – May '16

- Surpassed the expectation by **solving over 2000 random** combinations of a Rubik's cube **within half a second**.

Skills: Python 2.7, PyCharm