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Education

Aug. 2014 -

Computer Engineering BSMS, Rochester Institute of Technology, Overall GPA: 3.97, Honors

Present

Senior Design I/II

• Circuits I/II with Lab

• Electronics I with Lab

• Digital IC Design with Lab

• Communication Systems with Lab

• Digital System Design I/II with Lab

• Reconfigurable Computing with Lab

• Applied Programming

• Digital Signal Processing

• Random Signals and Noise

Assembly Language with Lab

• Interface and Digital Electronics

Data & Communication Networks

• Computer Organization/Architecture

Computer Skills

Languages:

VHDL, Verilog, C. Python, Assembly, LaTeX, Bash

Software:

Linux, Vivado, ISE, ModelSim, OrCAD PSpice, Quartus II, GNURadio, Git, Vim

Hardware:

FPGAs, SDRs, Cortex-M0+, Oscilloscope, Multimeter, Function Generator

Jobs

May 2017 -

Research Assistant. Technische Universität Dortmund

Aug. 2017

Researched autonomous drone navigation via computer vision and ultra-wideband positioning

• Scaled computer vision-based location using curve fitting

• Achieved autonomous, scale accurate flight using only a single camera

• Overcame language communication barriers to work in an international setting

May 2016 -

Computer Engineering Intern, Parsons Corporation

Jan. 2017

Designed FPGA programs and software defined radio based applications

• Wrote, integrated, and tested prebuilt and custom IP to create a complete FPGA design

Generated spec-compliant radio transmissions based on decoded data

• Replaced GNURadio with a custom, lightweight version using only C

Aug. 2015 -

Teaching Assistant & Mentor, Rochester Institute of Technology

Present

Assist first-year students in lab exercises and adjusting to college

• Explained digital design concepts in a straightforward manner

• Rewrote lab handouts to be understandable and self-contained

• Graded lab exercises and reports

Projects

Aug. 2017 –

Avionics for FAR OUT Rocketry

Present

Designing a custom engine controller and flight computer for a liquid powered rocket

Building a ground station using GNURadio and SDRs

Verifying link budgets and protocols through hand calculations and field testing

• Developing a PCB to hold the engine controller power supply and gather engine data

Mar. 2017 –

Freescale Car Competition

May 2017

Built and programmed an autonomous car, achieving 3rd place in a multi-collegiate competition

- Designed filters to determine line locations
- Developed embedded C code for PID control

Extracurriculars

Eagle Scout Award, Assistant Scout Master

Contra Costa County Sheriff's Search and Rescue

German Club