

Austin Lin

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SUMMARY

Engineer with experience in robotics, modeling and simulation using Python and MATLAB, and requirements verification.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, C++, Java

Tools: MATLAB/Simulink, ROS2/Gazebo, SciPy, ZeroMQ, TCP/IP, Siemens NX, Git

EXPERIENCE

General Dynamics Electric Boat

Systems Engineer, New London CT

Sept 2024 - Present

- Led small team of engineers on ongoing long-term project. Created and hosted training sessions, and utilized data from finite element transient shock studies and statistical analysis for our calculations.
- Identified latent electrical quality issues resulting from procedural gaps, and then developed and executed plan of corrective actions.
- Coordinated with Design, Planning, Structural, and Waterfront/Trades to maintain configuration management and reduce potential rework, in support of ongoing construction acceleration efforts.
- Reviewed and signed on electrical power systems updates to meet ship specifications.

L3Harris C5 Systems

Systems Engineering Intern, Camden, NJ

June 2023 – Aug 2023

- Demonstrate quality of product for the customer by performing System Operability Verification Tests for Marcom IVCS and Symphony.
- Used rack mounted Linux-based hardware to program various network/radio communication configurations.

UMD Spaces Systems Lab

Undergrad Researcher, College Park, MD

May 2022 – Aug 2022

- Modeled spacecraft robotic arm kinematics with Python to test reachability of payloads for in-orbit servicing missions, with Benjamin Reed from Quantum Space and Dr. David Akin.
- Designed and fabricated a 1/4-scale physical robotic arm prototype. Produced and executed test procedure to validate python model results for 24+ spacecraft configurations.
- Presented testing and Modelling results to Stakeholders.

PROJECTS

Robotics and Autonomous Systems

- Programmed robots to identify, grab, and hand off Legos to each other. Trained a YOLOv8 Computer vision model for object identification and ZeroMQ through TCP/IP for inter-robot communication.
- Implemented a maze solving algorithm into a robot, using LIDAR information and ROS2 for live localization and mapping.
- Developed hardware and software for a robot arm and controller. Programmed an Arduino microprocessor to communicate over serial bus to a computer that calculates and graphically shows arm kinematics.

Battery State of Charge Estimator Simulation

- Created an interactive model of a battery with Python/Shiny to explore how adding measurement noise and adjusting observer gain impacts state of charge estimator accuracy and convergence.

EDUCATION

University of Maryland, College Park, MD

Aug 2020 – Aug 2024

B.S. Mechanical Engineering, Minor in Robotics and Autonomous Systems

Scholars Public Leadership Program