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Embedded (C/C++) Software / FPGA Engineer (VHDL)

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Education

2014 – 2017 The University of Sheffield
Electronics and Communication Engineering
Master of Engineering

2012 – 2014 Central College Nottingham
Electrical and Electronic Engineering
Higher National Diploma

Skill

FPGA: Intel, Xilinx

CPU: x86, ARM, PowerPC

RTL: VHDL, Verilog

Code: ASM, C, C++, Python

OS: FreeRTOS, VxWorks,
Linux, Autosar OS

Build: Makefile, Yocto

Debug: J-Link (Ozone), gdb

Com: UART, SPI, I2C, JTAG,
GPIO, TCP/UDP, CAN,
ASK, FSK

Circuit: Mentor graphics, Altium,
Multisim

Test: Oscilloscope, Multimeter,
Logic Analyzer

Matrix: Matlab, Octave

Web: HTML, PHP, CSS,
Java script

DB: MySQL

CD/CI: GIT, Bitbucket,
Gerrit, Jenkins

Mgmt: JIRA, JAZZ

Personal Research and Development

CPU & FPGA Embedded AI Computer Platform (C, C++, VHDL)

- ❖ LNX → ARM Cortex-A57 powered by Ubuntu
- ❖ FPGA → Intel Cyclone IV FPGA for parallel computation

System specification:

- ❖ LNX → Qt5 Graphical User Interface for the overall master control
- ❖ LNX → Char device for IO between Kernel and User space
- ❖ LNX → Block RAM device for chip configuration in FPGA
- ❖ LNX → SPI driver for bidirectional FPGA communication over DMA
- ❖ LNX → Bidirectional GPIO signaling for FPGA/Kernel ISR processing
- ❖ LNX → Work queues and kthread design techniques
- ❖ LNX → Spinlock and mutex kernel space synchronization
- ❖ LNX → FPGA controlled scheduler for Kernel space operations
- ❖ LNX → Memory allocation monitor in Kernel space
- ❖ FPGA → Watchdog interface for Kernel/FPGA synchronization
- ❖ FPGA → SPI interface for data serialization and parallelization
- ❖ FPGA → FIFO for redundant control data from LNX Kernel
- ❖ FPGA → Offload controller and packet switch for FIFO data flow
- ❖ FPGA → Parametric I2C and SPI controllers driven from LNX Kernel
- ❖ FPGA → PWM controller for the motor throttle control
- ❖ FPGA → UART assembler and transmission controller :: logs acquisition
- ❖ FPGA → I2C and SPI Gyro/Accel devices for measurements
- ❖ FPGA → SDRAM Data capture controller for measurements
- ❖ FPGA → SDRAM Measurement storage controller :: **Development**
- ❖ FPGA → PID for feedback controller :: **Pending R&D**

Upgrade to Jetson Nano with Cortex-A57 and GPU @ 128-Cuda cores

- ❖ Boot system using Tegra Kernel from Nvidia
- ❖ Port kernel module from BBB to Jetson Tegra kernel
- ❖ Develop new version of GUI (C++) using Qt libraries
- ❖ Develop AI algorithm to process measurements from FPGA :: **Pending**

Upgrade to Xilinx Zynq™ UltraScale+™ MPSoC

- ❖ Boot petalinux system using HW description to link with FPGA logic
- ❖ Port kernel module from BBB into Xilinx system :: **Pending**
- ❖ Convert the link between CPU and FPGA from SPI to DMA :: **Pending**

Software Engineer**Prototyping of the new generation wireless charging systems in the automotive industry (ASM, C)**

- ❖ Read and analyze prototype PCB schematics for debugging purposes
- ❖ Customer defect analysis, computation and testing solutions
- ❖ Develop interrupt monitor to monitor latency of ISR
- ❖ Investigate communication problems between the charger and the receiver using ASK and FSK protocols
- ❖ Adaptation of existing versions of the protocol into newer stack
- ❖ Process various number of ADC measurements: voltage, current and temperatures signals
- ❖ Diagnostics system control with respect to collected measurements
- ❖ Integration with the Autosar OS (Davinci code generator)
- ❖ Integration with RTD from NXP (Tresos)
- ❖ Integration with Qi-Library from NXP
- ❖ Code reviews

Software Engineer**Complex CPU & FPGA system to emulate the behavior of cellular network (C, C++, VHDL)**

- ❖ x86 HTML interface to control load binaries required for specific configuration of cellular network
- ❖ x86 Test Application to configure parameters of LTE or 5G cells
- ❖ Store and process cell parameters from Test Application by the PowerPC processor boards using instances of C++ classes
- ❖ Configure LTE or 5G cells in FPGA using cell parameters stored by the C++ classes
- ❖ Communication of PowerPC processor boards with FPGA over SRIIO
- ❖ JIRA to process internal and customer issues
- ❖ Issues was varying from invalid cell configurations in Test Application with respect to LTE and 5G specifications
- ❖ Up to the low level PHY problems like: Thread crashes, PowerPC disassembly and investigation of instruction code to find the bug

Embedded Systems Engineer**Design Firmware and RTL for Power Electronic Device using AURIX 32-bit Tri-Core Microcontroller and ARTIX 7 Xilinx FPGA (Soft Power Bridge)**

- ❖ Integration of the LWIP stack drivers with the current CPU stack
- ❖ Investigation of ASCLIN UART drivers for logging and communication
- ❖ Research Microblaze firmware in ARTIX 7 FPGA
- ❖ Investigate and analyze circuit schematics and PCB layout

Junior Hardware Engineer**Design computer hardware for capturing, processing and streaming live video using Intel Altera FPGA technology and firmware control**

- ❖ Design FPGA hardware modules in VHDL
- ❖ Design QSYS networks for Nios II processing
- ❖ On-chip memory management for Nios II processing
- ❖ Test RTL modules with Modelsim
- ❖ Test and debug RTL modules with signal tap and live PCB
- ❖ Nios II firmware for communication with FPGA over Avalon bus
- ❖ Debug Nios II firmware on live targets
- ❖ Integrate BSP and Intel HAL drivers
- ❖ Investigate booting codes for embedded Intel Nios II processor
- ❖ FPGA Pin and Chip planning → IO Banks, Voltages, Transceivers
- ❖ Investigate and analyze circuit schematics and PCB layout
- ❖ Integrate FPGA hardware code and CPU firmware with the circuit schematic and PCB Layout

Prototyping embedded graphical processing system using Xilinx FPGA technology and Linux firmware control

- ❖ Develop booting sequence for Zynq Ultrascale MPSoC in QSPI → hand over FPGA control to Linux kernel via U-Boot
- ❖ Research and modify U-boot source → Configure MAC addressing
- ❖ Research XEN Hypervisor → Register XEN watchdog
- ❖ Develop UART communication for Zynq Ultrascale MPSoC → register UARTE driver in Linux to communicate with external chip for TMDS processing and HDCP control
- ❖ Research kernel → Version control
- ❖ Research device tree → Petalinux overlay
- ❖ Research root file system → Network configuration
- ❖ Customize Petalinux → Kernel, Root file system and device tree
- ❖ Debug kernel in OS awareness mode → Eclipse environment