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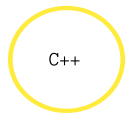
Electrical Engineering | Game Design

## About

I am a Cornell University student who has a passion for computer science and software development. Some of my fields of interest are **robotics**, **cybersecurity**, and **Internet of Things**. I am currently looking for Summer 2018 internship opportunities.

## Skills

### Experienced



### Proficient



### Familiar



## Tools

- Arduino  
- Android  
- Awesomium Engine  
- boost  
- cmake

- Git  
- IntelliJ  
- Lua  
- OpenCV  
- Visual Studio

## > Education

### Cornell University ----- 2016 - Present

Classes: *Intro to Python (Placed out), Data Structures, Discrete Structures*  
- Software Engineer on Cornell Cup Robotics (Vision System Team)  
- GPA: 3.4

### Penn State University ----- 2014 - 2016

Classes: *Intro to C++, Discrete Mathematics*  
- GPA: 4.0

### Clarion University ----- 2013 - 2016

Classes: *Intro to Micro-computing*  
- GPA: 3.8

## > Experience

### Assured Information Security --- 2017

#### > Penetration Tester

Skills used : *Security, Linux, C++*  
- Penetration tested radio-enabled embedded systems that utilized the 802.11 communication protocol  
- Authored technical reports regarding research procedures and findings  
- Demonstrated vulnerabilities in Linux Kernel modules and services

### RealBotics, Inc. ----- 2016 - 2017

#### > Software Engineer (Robot Interface)

Skills used : *C++, Design, Web Stack*  
- Developed native client front-end and back-end  
- Rendered HTML/CSS UI using the Awesomium Engine to provide cross-platform support  
- Integrated low-level IO interfaces for peripheral devices  
- Interfaced with external servers to provide web functionality

### CyberPatriot ----- 2013 - 2016

#### > Team Leader

Skills used : *C++, Linux, Security*  
- Founded local program and elected as a team captain  
- Learned to secure and configure infected or unsecure Windows and Linux machines  
- Developed tools to automate repetitive security tasks  
- Constructed and managed virtual networks

### Cornell Cup Robotics ----- 2017- Present

#### > Software Engineer (Computer Vision)

Skills used : *C++, Python*  
- Created computer vision system for indoor localization and mapping (OpenCV)  
- Interfaced with a large sensor network to produce more accurate localization  
- Presented work to both corporate sponsors and Cornell University Faculty

### FIRST Robotics ----- 2013 - 2016

#### > Software Team Lead

Skills used : *C++, Java, Linux*  
- Programming lead and Drive Captain in 2016  
- Developed closed loop control algorithms  
- Implemented vision using NVIDIA TK1 hardware  
- Competed at the World Championships  
- Partnered with Carnegie Mellon Robomatter, Inc. to develop online robotics curricula.

### Diversity & Inclusion Advocate 2012 - Present

#### > Conference Presenter

Skills used : *Public Speaking*  
- Workshop presenter with NGLCC and Out & Equal Workplace Advocates  
- Founder of high school's Gay Straight Alliance  
- Featured in *Families Like Yours* Documentary

## > Recent Projects

### R2D2

Contributed to the R2D2 project as part of the Cornell Cup Robotics Team. R2D2 was a robot designed to act similar to R2D2 from Star Wars. The robot had a sound system so it could make the famous R2 beeps and boops, a 6-sensor indoor localization system, and a micro-arm to interact with its environment.

### Dorm of Things

Created Dorm of Things, an Android-based home automation platform that uses the power of Arduino, to provide makers with the tools to construct their own Internet-of-Things type network using devices they already own and tools with which they are familiar.

### RealBotics

Contracted by RealBotics, Inc. to develop a client program for the RealBotics platform. The platform itself is a multi-branch operation that integrates web, native, and micro-controller/micro-computing devices to create a forum for people to share and interact with various technological creations from anywhere in the world.

### ThunderBiscuit

Currently developing a personalized 2D novelty game experience. ThunderBiscuit is a minimalistic game engine optimized to run on embedded Linux devices. ThunderBiscuit is a piece of a larger project to streamline the development of personalized micro arcade machines.

### Hect0r

Built and programmed an autonomous micro-droid with a high-powered 1 watt laser turret. The software included an auto-aim vision program, autonomous routines, and an emotions engine that allowed the droid to respond to human interaction.

### SHARP Scripter

Developed SHARP Scripter, a program for rapid development and testing of various autonomous tasks performed by robots in the FIRST Robotics Competition. The GUI provides a simple "drag and drop" interface where users draw out autonomous routines with pictorial representations of provided code modules.



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