Denny Zhang

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Education:

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor

Current GPA 3.67 / 4.0

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

Anticipated May 2017

Honors: Dean's List, University Honors

Relevant Coursework: Intro to Signals and Systems, Intro to Logic Design, Data Structures and Algorithms, Digital Signal Processing, Analog Circuits, Electric Machinery and Drives Member of Eta Kappa Nu (HKN) – Beta Epsilon Chapter

Experience:

Continental Automotive Systems

Auburn Hills, MI

Interiors Division EE Hardware Intern

May 2016 – August 2016

- Implemented new functions on a 7-inch HD display driver board
- Created a demo to send touchscreen data through an FPD-link.
- Produced a working mockup for a futuristic triple display instrument cluster
- Performed signal timing verification over temperature in an environmental chamber.

Intel Corporation

Santa Clara, CA

Data Center Group Intern

November 2015 - May 2016

- Developed a remote monitoring hardware tool for Xeon 4-Socket Server Reference Platforms
- Launched a network storage server into production, easing collaboration between teams.
- Debugged video output of an 8-Socket server, supporting the power-on effort.

University of Michigan Solar Car Team

Ann Arbor, MI

Race Crew Electrical Engineer

August 2013 –November 2015

- Designed the complete set of hardware from schematics to PCB layout using Altium
- Produced and assembled boards with hand-soldering and reflow soldering methods
- Improved Battery Management System for increased sensitivity, reliability, and accuracy
- Developed firmware to run systems and defined inter-system interfacing through the CAN bus
- Assembled validation platforms to verify and debug firmware functions
- All systems survived harsh Australian Outback conditions with no issues
- Raced a solar car as an official driver in the 2014 American Solar Challenge

Tetra Imaging

Royal Oak, MI

Research Assistant

July 2012 - September 2012

- Developed a LabVIEW controller for an isothermal vacuum chamber with hysteresis control
- Designed and produced high voltage power supply boards for X-ray tube arrays
- Programmed an FPGA to control the X-ray tube firing sequence

Projects:

Mini Magnetic Stripe Emulator

- Designed ultra-low power circuitry to achieve emulation function to be powered by coin cell
- Packaged tool into a credit card form factor

Reflow Toaster Oven

- Implemented a PID controller with a thermocouple and SSR for precision temperature control
- Used oven for countless batches of boards destined for the solar car

Skills:

- Languages: C, C++, embedded C for PIC, AVR, and STM32, Matlab, LabVIEW, Python
- Applications: Altium, EagleCAD, AutoCAD,
- Work with electronics soldering and debug equipment