Tarun Gattu

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Education

The University of Texas at Austin

May 2017

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering with emphasis in Embedded Systems and Software Design

Related Coursework: Embedded Systems (Assembly/C with TI microcontroller), Circuit Theory, Software Design and Implementation I (C/C++), Linear Systems and Signals (Continuous/discrete time signals), Digital Logic Design, Engineering Communication

Current Coursework: Software Implementation II (Java & OOP), Embedded Systems Design Lab (C/C++ w/ microcontroller & LCD interfacing), Discrete Mathematics, Probability and Random Processes

Experience

IBM, Software Engineer

September 2015 - January 2016

Advanced Cloud Infrastructure Team

- Integrated early cloud initialization applications, Cloud-init and Config Drive, for baremetal systems on OpenStack
- Worked with SoftLayer technology to initialize and develop on virtual server machines

IBM, Software Engineer

May 2015 - August 2015

Linux Technology Center Team

- Created a continuous integration environment for OpenStack Ironic, which is OpenStack's baremetal provisioning program
- Automated testing through Jenkins, as well as managed many nodes and virtual machines through Puppet

Projects

DoDates September 2015

With a simple picture or a document, create calendar events and reminders automatically using tesseract (an OCR library)

- Microsoft Azure as backend for the web app
- Python's OCR library for recognition of characters for date extraction

Reddit CLI April 2015

An interface in terminal to access Reddit via Google App Engine's Web App Services, Reddit's API and Python's cmd module

- Built using Google's cloud platform as backend service for the app
- Accessed Reddit's API for verification of user account, and to receive the data requested

Flappy Bird 2.0 May 2014

An implementation of Flappy Bird with Assembly/C and hardware instruments such as TI Launchpad microcontroller and an LCD

- Designed the circuitry for I/O interfacing (e.g. buttons and display)
- Integrated systick timer for periodic update of display and handlers to handle input from user

Spicy Circuits November 2013

An image-processing algorithm to understand a drawing of a circuit and create a digital representation of the circuit

- Using OpenCV, a computer vision library, I was able to identify basic circuit components (e.g. resistors and voltage sources)
- Useful for verification of manual circuit analysis and elimination of digital circuit drawing

Skills

Python, C/C++, Bash Scripting, Linux, Jenkins, Puppet, OpenStack, Assembly, microcontrollers, MySQL, Web Development, Java, OOP

Achievements/Activities

- HackTX 2013, HackTX 2015 (Featured as best hack), Cal Hacks 2.0 2015
- FRC Robotics team (2011 2013) —went to state level competition and placed in top 10
- Lead Guitarist and Music Director at Austin Christian Fellowship of India (ACFI)