Parth Sanepara

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SUMMARY

Senior Embedded Firmware Engineer with 6+ years of experience in developing embedded systems and IoT solutions. Expertise in firmware design for wireless and wired technologies including BLE. Wi-Fi, Ethernet, and Cellular IoT. Proficient in RTOS programming (Zephyr, FreeRTOS) and low-power device development. Strong experience in cloud integration using AWS IoT Core for provisioning, OTA updates, and device management. Demonstrated ability to lead projects independently, collaborate with cross-functional teams, and implement CI/CD pipelines to streamline deployments. Hands-on experience with trending MCUs including ARM Cortex-M series, STM32, nRF52/54/91 series, ESP32, and other IoT-enabled MCUs. Skilled in board bring-up debugging, schematic review, and hardware-software integration with strong problem-solving expertise. Enthusiastic about Edge AI enablement and deployment for next-generation connected devices. Adept at delivering reliable, production-ready firmware for smart devices and sensor-based applications.

SKILLS

Languages: Embedded C, Python, C++

Technologies: Django, Node.js, React.js, MySQL, MongoDB, Git, Docker, Amazon Web Services, Kubernetes, Google Cloud Platform, Unity, Linux, ROS, OpenCV, Scikit-Learn, PyTorch, Keras, TensorFlow

Work Experience

SemperTech Istanbul, Turkey

Software Engineer

Sep 2023 - Present, Full-time

- · Currently working on the "Arçelik Digital Home Energy" project in a collaborative effort with DAI-Labor at the Technical University of Berlin under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Şahin Albayrak.
- Simulated data exchange processes with the EEBUS protocol suite using C# and Go frameworks. Migrated the entire framework from Go to C++ in order to ensure future adaptability for smart home IoT devices.

SESTEK Speech Enabled Software Technologies

Istanbul, Turkey

AI Research and Development Intern

Jan 2022 – Feb 2022, Internship

- Implemented various NLP tasks, including NER, POS tagging, sentiment analysis, text classification, and extractive/generative QA using transformers and Hugging Face libraries. Conducted a literature review on information retrieval and reading comprehension to stay updated on the state-of-the-art ML models.
- Developed a generative question answering system with Dense Passage Retrieval and Retrieval-Augmented Generation techniques using the Haystack framework on Python.
- Worked on a Turkish open-domain question answering system by fine-tuning a BERT base model transformer with PyTorch. Evaluated exact match and F1 scores using different Turkish data sets and DeepMind's XQuAD data set and then tabularized the evaluation results.

EDUCATION

CDAC Bengalore Istanbul, Turkey B.Sc. in Electrical and Electronics Engineering; GPA: 3.62/4.00 Sep 2018 - Jun 2023

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CERTIFICATES

Software architecture for the Internet of Things - Coursera
Internet of things - Standford University Online University
nRF Connect SDK Fundamentals - <u>Nordic Semiconductor</u> Jul 2024
nRF Connect SDK Intermediate - <u>Nordic Semiconductor</u> Sep 2024
Bluetooth Low Energy Fundamentals - Nordic Semiconductor Sep 2024
Wi-Fi Fundamentals - Nordic Semiconductor Sep 2024
Cellular IoT Fundamentals - Nordic Semiconductor Oct 2024

LANGUAGES

English – Professional Proficiency

 $\mathbf{Hindi} - \mathbf{Native}$

German / Dutch – A1 (Beginner)