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EDUCATION

Northeastern University

Boston, MA

BS in Computer Engineering and Computer Science

September 2014 - May 2019

Honors: Dean's List. National Merit Scholar

GPA: 3.84

Relevant Coursework: High Performance Computing, Object Oriented Design, Networks and Distributed Systems, Algorithms and Data, Embedded Design, Digital Logic

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

MIT Lincoln Laboratory

Lexington, MA

Software Co-op Engineer

January 2017 - September 2017

- Designed C++ library to facilitate radar subsystem integration
- Wrote and evaluated large scale parallel applications
- Analyzed performance bottlenecks and optimized real-time signal processing
- Developed mission-critical software in C++ for use in signal processing
- Leveraged open communication libraries to achieve high performance across platforms

Advanced Micro Devices (AMD)

Boxborough, MA

Software Co-op Engineer

January 2016 - August 2016

- Designed Python tool to streamline driver performance analysis
- Communicated with hardware engineers to determine performance metrics for applications
- Developed scripts to test modifications to shader compiler
- Wrote and modified test cases to match new language specifications
- Determined sources of bugs in shader compiler

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

International Supercomputing Competitions

Boston, MA

Student Cluster Engineer

July 2015 - Present

- Compete in international student cluster competitions
- Learn about high performance hardware and optimize configurations for applications (e.g. High Performance Linpack) on experimental systems
- Make decisions about hardware selection and software stacks to use
- Ingest application-specific details to make source code modifications
- Broke the competition record for one benchmark application at ISC 2017

Computer Architecture Research Lab

Boston, MA

Undergraduate Research Assistant

May 2015 - May 2016

- Developed Android application and executables for side channel analysis of mobile device chipsets
- Presented findings at Research, Innovation, and Scholarship Expo at Northeastern
- Expanded Android application for simplified GPU benchmarking, porting a benchmark suite designed for heterogeneous computing architectures

SKILLS AND ACTIVITIES

Proficient Languages: C++, C, Python, Java

MIPS Assembly, SystemVerilog, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, XML Familiar Languages:

Major Related: Planetary Lander, NEU Hardware Hackathon (1st),

MakeBU Hackathon (1st). Paylok Hardware Hackathon (2nd)

Husky Ambassadors, Hostelling International, Generation Citizen Volunteering: