

# Sam Alexander Celani

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## CAREER OBJECTIVE

Recent university graduate with 3+ years of hardware and software development experience. Possess a bachelor's degree in Computer Engineering, with a strong focus on communication systems and embedded programming. Looking to utilize my skills and knowledge in a new position in my field.

## EDUCATION

**Michigan Technological University – Houghton, MI**

August 2014 – May 2019

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

Department GPA: **2.91** | Cumulative GPA: 2.87

**Outstanding Teaching Award**

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

**Vice President, Wireless Communications Enterprise**

Bird Sensor Team – **Project Engineer**

- Created a low-cost, low-maintenance sensor to aid in a time study of bird strikes on windows
- Primarily in charge of programming (Arduino)

Translation Lookup Pairs – **Personal Project**

[github.com/alexander-the-alright/TLPr.git](https://github.com/alexander-the-alright/TLPr.git)

- Personal project developed to help myself learn Russian
- Dictionary-based data structure, separated syntactically for specially formatted output
- CLI for grammar help menu and add/edit/delete 'Eng -> Rus' pairs
- Basic Italian port – [github.com/alexander-the-alright/TLP.git](https://github.com/alexander-the-alright/TLP.git)
- Metadata for topic-based searching and word dumps

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Pilot Systems International – Farmington Hills, MI**

May 2021 – Present

**Associate Systems Engineer**

- Wrote system and software level test scripts for a Vector HIL system
- Performed manual System of System testing using CANalyzer

**Advanced Power Systems Research Center – Calumet, MI**

May – August 2018 and 2019

APRA-E Project: NEXTCAR – **Research Assistant/Intern**

- Developed software for wireless V2V, V2C, V2I, and C2V communications using AMQ Protocol
- Intelligently redesigned routing topology for efficient, cycle-free, robust communication
- Developed ease of access tools for navigating the terminal
- Used Simulink, Python (pika module), RabbitMQ (message broker), Cohda DSRC (V2I transceiver)

**Elec/Comp Learning Center Coach – Houghton, MI**

Jan 2018 – May 2021

**Embedded Systems Interfacing (EE4737) TA – Houghton, MI**

Jan 2020 – May 2020

**Hardware-Software Integration (EE3173) TA – Houghton, MI**

Sept 2020 – May 2021

**Electronics (EE3131) TA – Houghton, MI**

Jan 2021 – May 2021

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- |                                |                        |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| • Microcontrollers             | • Embedded Programming |
| • CLI Programming              | • IAR Workbench        |
| • Quartus, Qsys, and AMP       | • Microsoft Office     |
| • Algorithmic Design/Analysis  | • Software Testing     |
| • Unix and Windows Development | • CANalyzer            |

## LANGUAGES

### Fluent

- Python
- Java
- C

### Proficient

- Assembly
- Go
- Bash

### Familiar

- C++
- MatLab
- Verilog

### Learning

- Norwegian
- Russian
- Julia