

# Andrew Yan

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## Skills

HDL Languages (VHDL, Verilog, SystemVerilog), Python, Shell Scripting, C, Microsoft Office Suite

## Experience

NOVEMBER 2021 - PRESENT

**MDA, Montreal, QC, Canada** - *Junior VHDL Designer*

- Project 1
  - Designed 6 modules in VHDL that successfully passed verification checks and lab testing
  - Added radiation protection to 6 modules such that the effect of single-event upsets is minimized
  - Wrote a shell script that successfully combined the coverage reports of all modules in the project
  - Taught two colleagues how to use a code review tool (crucible) such that they were able to use it immediately afterwards
  - Documented module designs such that were easily understood by the customer
- Project 2
  - Designed a module in VHDL from requirements that chooses data from 4 streams based on a priority system and a round robin secondary system
  - Set up a Versal FPGA in the lab to test RTL
- Project 3
  - Wrote a python script that mimicked design logic that was used to check outputs of the device in the lab
  - Adapted a python script to write to various registers and test the device response in the lab

JANUARY 2019 - AUGUST 2019

**Kardium Inc., Vancouver, BC, Canada** - *Electrical Engineer Co-op*

- Created testbenches in VHDL to test the digital logic of various features of a product, resulting in the successful identification of bugs
- Developed solutions in VHDL to successfully correct bugs found through testbenches
- Performed testing on a specific feature of a product, which was used with other data to verify the design
- Designed a script in Python to perform an analysis of the errors and warnings from a VHDL build, allowing for the ability to ensure that the design met specifications.

- Built and tested multiple cables according to specifications for an upcoming feature which were successfully used in multiple animal trials

MAY 2018 - DECEMBER 2018

**Intel Corporation, Vancouver, BC, Canada - ECC RTL, Software, FPGA Design (Co-op)**

- Designed error correction RTL in Verilog and SystemVerilog such that it correctly encoded and decoded to the specifications of a specific product
- Created software models in C which were eventually used in combination with SystemVerilog testbenches to assist in the debugging of the error correction RTL

## Education

SEPTEMBER 2020 - AUGUST 2021

**The University of British Columbia - M.Eng, Biomedical Engineering**

Activities and Societies: Engineers in Scrubs

SEPTEMBER 2015 - MAY 2020

**The University of British Columbia - B.A.Sc, Electrical Engineering**

Activities and Societies: UBC Biomedical Engineering Student Team, IEEE EMBS Division

## Awards

- 2nd Place - Capstone Competition
- 2017 Jim and Helen Hill Memorial Service Award in Electrical Engineering

## Interests

Swimming, Hiking, Skiing, Badminton, PC Building