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WORK EXPERIENCE

Northrop Grumman

Dulles, VA / Roy, UT

Systems Engineer

June 2023 – Present

- Developed and tested mission-critical software for legacy Space-to-Ground communications network using C and Bash, implementing additional capabilities, robust testing, and updated documentation for current and legacy users
- Designed comprehensive test plan and procedure for emergency system hardware upgrade event, ensuring compliance against system-level requirements and minimizing service downtime during hardware transition
- Demonstrated successful integration of virtual machine-based architecture with current communications network in a sandbox environment, providing proof-of-concept and framework for future integration with operational network

Model-Based Systems Engineer

July 2021 – June 2023

- Performed requirements development, analysis, and verification for Sentinel flight vehicle using DOORS, supporting maturation of hundreds of requirements across multiple subsystems throughout product development lifecycle
- Designed digital communications protocol between guidance and control (G&C) and payload subsystems, enabling compatibility with future payloads and earning additional scope of work from customer
- Authored Concept of Operations (ConOps) documentation for two advanced reentry vehicles, defining baseline expectations for each system in support of Independent Research and Development (IRAD) initiative
- Automated trajectory analysis plotting procedure using Python, reducing processing time by over 90%

Dynetics, Inc.

Huntsville, AL

Flight Dynamics Engineer

June 2020 – June 2021

- Performed modeling, simulation, and analysis (MS&A) for systems engineering and systems integration of Dynetics Human Landing System, contributing to NASA's Artemis Program initiative to establish sustainable lunar presence
- Developed 6-degree-of-freedom (6-DOF) simulation model using MATLAB and Simulink, supporting integrated verification and validation (IV&V) of spacecraft guidance, navigation, and control (GNC) subsystem
- Programmed trajectory analysis output plotting scripts in MATLAB and Python, providing comparison capability between three simulations and eliminating over 250 lines of redundant code
- Authored system performance analysis documentation deliverable to NASA, demonstrating performance requirements were satisfied and analysis inputs/environments definitions across system were consistent

Siemens Digital Industries Software

Livonia, MI

Model-Based Systems Engineering (MBSE) Intern

May 2019 – September 2019

- Demonstrated integration of Siemens NX and Amesim with Model-Based Systems Engineering (MBSE) approach to optimize design of Eclipse 500 jet fuel system, enhancing product marketability to aerospace and defense customers

Airspace Experience Technologies

Detroit, MI

Guidance, Navigation, and Control (GNC) Engineering Intern

October 2017 – July 2018

- Developed and tested flight control software using C++ and Mission Planner for autonomous electrical vertical takeoff and landing (eVTOL) passenger aircraft supporting Uber Elevate initiative

SKILLS

Software Development: Python, C++, Bash, MATLAB, Java, C, SQL, Excel VBA, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Linux

Applications: DOORS, Cameo, Simulink, Amesim, Teamcenter, SolidWorks, Siemens NX, STAR-CCM+, OpenFOAM, Mission Planner, Jira, Confluence, Microsoft Office Suite, Windchill

EDUCATION

University of Michigan, College of Engineering

Ann Arbor, MI

Bachelor of Science in Engineering in Aerospace Engineering, Minor in Computer Science

May 2020

INTERESTS

College Football, Recreational Soccer, International Travel, Digital Photography, Videography, Wingspan