## **ASHTON JACKSON**

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## **SUMMARY**

Newly graduated engineer with hands-on experience and demonstrated problem solving capabilities seeking a technical role with diverse responsibilities and project management opportunities

#### **EDUCATION**

# Texas A&M University, College Station, TX Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering

December 2013

- Focus on Signal Processing; Electromagnetics
- Minor in Russian
- Student Body Senator, Texas A&M Student Senate
- Member, Society of Women Engineers, IEEE, Texas A&M Russian Club

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Emerson Process Management, Austin, TX**

Summer 2013

Software Test Engineering Intern

- Built and managed two process control systems, enabling the test engineers to analyze newly released hardware and software products.
- Developed "watchdog" software system to record and prevent anomalous, undetected loss of controller communications.
- Created interactive graphical interface for proprietary "historian" software, allowing software testers to monitor health of multiple continuous historians.
- Designed and delivered an instructional class for engineers and managers, teaching methods for efficiently creating dynamic monitors and watchdogs for testing
- Diagnosed and repaired a malfunctioning GPS time server and antenna, restoring the ability to detect satellites and synchronize the test network with a common GPS master clock

# Students For Liberty, Washington, D.C

2012-2013

Member of North American Executive Board and Campus Coordinator

- Led teams of 5-30 people to market, organize, and execute national events attended by 3000+ people
- Moderated discussion panels between politicians and scholars at statewide assemblies

# Samuel Jackson, Incorporated, Lubbock, TX

2011-2012

Fabrication and Assembly Worker; Programmer

- Fabricated, assembled & tested control panels and cotton processing equipment from steel, aluminum & plastic
- Worked with PLCs and developed novel web interface for end-to-end processing plant telemetry, including instrumentation communications

#### The Office of Representative Lamar Smith, Washington, D.C.

Summer 2011

Congressional Intern

- Primary constituent contact and office aid in Congressman's personal office
- Attended Space & Technology hearings and briefed staff on new developments
- Met with IEEE's senior legislative staff to discuss bills on technology and patent reform

#### **ADDITIONAL**

- Earned student pilot's license at age 16
- Russian: Verbally conversant. Moderate written. Member of National Slavic Honor Society.
- Proficient in: AutoCAD, C++, Verilog, PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, Java, LabView
- Manufacturing experience: Flow abrasive water jet, Muratec Wiedemann turret punch press, MIG and TIG
  welding, Accurpress press brake, Cincinnati shears, cold saw, forklift, diesel hydraulic scissor lift, soldering
- Rower, Texas A&M Crew
- National Merit Scholarship, Presidents Endowed Scholarship, Michl Berman '82 Scholarship
- Voting member, Choctaw Nation