# Chris Wilson

## Vocational Experience

2022 **Technical Advisor**, Tempo Automation, San Francisco, CA

#### 2018 – 2021 Senior Technical Product Manager

#### 2018 Technical Product Manager

Software-Accelerated PCBA Manufacturing

- Conducted user, market, and competitive research to identify product opportunities in the customer experience and inform the product roadmap communicated to c-level leadership.
- Responsible for the design, planning, execution, and launch of real-time order status tracking and PCB design visualization features in the customer portal, contributing to a 19% increase in NPS from 2018 to 2019.
- Owned an initiative to reduce the time-to-RFQ by redesigning the bill of materials (BOM) editor, resulting in a 23% reduction in the median BOM issue resolution time.
- Established technical credibility with key customers by participating in IPC-2581 technical committee meetings, ultimately leading to investment from Lockheed Martin (Series C).

#### 2010 – 2018 Electronics Design Engineer, Cisco Systems, San Jose, CA

Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT) solutions for Smart Grid

- O Co-designed Cisco's first industrial IOx "fog" compute module, enabling customers to run custom IoT applications on Cisco 1000 Series Connected Grid Routers.
- O Lead electronics designer for IEEE 802.15.4g hardware reference designs used by Cisco DevNet partners to develop 3rd-party Cisco Resilient Mesh End Point (CRME) devices.
- Developed the world's largest closed-circuit mesh network testbed consisting of over 5000 IoT hardware endpoint devices, unlocking CI/CD workflows and remote development/debug/testing for internal firmware development teams.

# 2007 – 2010 **Electronics Design Engineer**, Arch Rock (acquired by Cisco Systems), San Francisco, CA

Pioneer in IP-based wireless sensor network technology

- Responsible for transition to agile in-house hardware design and manufacturing. Adopted industry standard EDA, DFM, PLM tools and methodology to scale hardware development from prototype to production.
- Designed and launched 802.15.4 2.4GHz PhyNet<sup>™</sup> wireless sensors and router network interface cards for enterprise-scale wireless sensor networks.

### Personal Projects

2009 – 2015 Owner, Flying Camp Design, Castro Valley, CA

Open-source hardware design

- O Designed open-source hardware boot-strap loader (BSL) programmer for TI MSP430 MCUs.
- O Developed open-source cross-platform BSL GUI utility in Python.

#### Skills & Interests

Product Jira, Confluence, Git/Github, Python

Electronics KiCad, Cadence Concept & Allegro, OrCAD Capture, Autodesk EAGLE, Arena PLM,

Oracle Agile PLM, lab safety, PCBA bring-up & rework

Interests Embedded systems, traveling, mountain biking, surfing

#### Education

2003 – 2007 B.S. Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, University of California Berkeley, Berkeley, CA

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Awards: Edward Frank Kraft Scholarship