

# CHAEWOON SONG

4<sup>th</sup> year Electrical Engineering Student

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## EDUCATION & ACCOLMPISHMENTS

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- University of British Columbia **2017-present**
- Recipient of Outstanding International Scholarship Award **2017**
- Winner of SEDS Canada National Competition **2018**

## COOP EXPERIENCE

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### Incoming Electrical Engineering Intern, Tesla

*Feb – Jun 2022*

- Joining the Vehicle engineering – Chassis Engineering team as an electrical engineering intern

### Systems Engineering Co-op, Corvus Energy

*Sept – Dec 2020*

- Built both electrical and mechanical systems; from drawing diagrams on Microsoft Visio, to using SolidWorks to build 3D images, as well as from assembling parts to wiring up a system
- Wiring up circuit boards, and PLCs using various wire gauges, ferrules and running simple diagnostic tests using lab equipment such as multimeter and oscilloscope
- Worked closely with control engineers and gained an understanding of control engineering using MATLAB
- Installed and integrated PLCs with the rest of the electrical system, and programmed it using CLICK PLC programming software
- Wrote various Python scripts designed to control Programmable Instruments such as the Rigol DP281A
- Became familiar with various communications protocols such as TCP/IP; and in particular, Modbus communication protocol. I wrote Python scripts that simulate client/server behaviour to test prototype boards and systems
- Became proficient in writing formal documents to both track my own progress as well as to present my work to the rest of the team
- Collaborated closely with many teams within Corvus Energy, including systems, electrical and software which allowed me to articulate my thoughts and idea better, as well as become a better public speaker
- Became familiar with Agile development cycle, as well as version control using Git, and Azure

## ACADEMIC PROJECTS

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**Electrical Systems Engineer and Team Captain, UBC Mechanical Eng Dpt., JustAquaponics**

*July – August 2020*

- Designed and proposed an LED grow light system that is remotely controllable via a localized server using Raspberry Pi's IP address by running Flask app with Python code behind Apache web server. I gained a working knowledge of web development, and Python
- Built a prototype circuit on the breadboard with components such as MOSFETs and using Raspberry Pi, sent PWM signals via a Python script that is fully interactive on a localized web server. This allowed me to strengthen my circuit analysis skills and become better at hardware-software integration
- As the team captain, I maintained an ongoing communication between my team and the mentors. My primary responsibilities included setting up a weekly virtual meeting with everyone, offer help to my teammates while ensuring that the team stays on task as per schedule, and presenting the final design proposal. I gained excellent interpersonal and communications skills

**SEDS Canada National Design Competition, UBC**

*Nov 2017 – March 2018*

- Calculated important specs such as required power output, noise, loss and gains, consistent with the previous Mars missions conducted by NASA
- Conducted the study and writing of the power generation systems. Following the previous space mission's specs, I derived approximate power consumptions per satellite, and selected solar panels and Ampere Hour Lithium-Ion Battery as power generation and storage
- Won the competition with the unanimous choice from the Mentors at SEDS

**Virtual Robotic Gripper, UBC**

*Jan – Apr 2021*

- Spearheaded the mechanical and circuit design in SolidWorks, and CircuitMaker, MultiSim, and UltiBoard respectively, of our project course's SCARA robot
- Spearheaded the selection of motors by calculating how much torque each joint needed to supply
- Implemented inverse kinematics algorithm in MATLAB/Simulink to move our gripper model into a desired location in a simulation software called SimulationX

**Simple RISC Machine, UBC**

*Sept-Dec 2019*

- Created a Turing complete CPU using Verilog capable of executing a RISC instruction set consisting of encoded assembly instruction. I learned the ins and outs of hardware programming as well as concurrency
- Developed a fundamental understanding in hardware programming and writing test scripts by achieving 100% for every lab project

**Coin Collecting Robot, UBC**

*March 2019*

- Built a fully autonomous car that detects and magnetically collects coins using microcontrollers, ARM instructions, C/C++, assembly, and embedded systems. I gained a working knowledge of how to use electrical chips and program them

## DESIGN TEAM EXPERIENCE

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### UBC Open Robotics

*Jan – Aug 2021*

- Currently working as a firmware and electronic engineer, working on designing a type of SCARA robot with a gripper. Tools used include Gazebo and MoveIt
- Spearheaded the selection of various robot sensors such as IR sensors, and construction of C++ functions such as distance conversion
- Entered the Robo-cup competition in 2019 by building a humanoid robot with four wheels. I primarily worked on designing the motor driver for the robot, which was composed of many electrical components including H-bridges

### UBC Rocket

*Jan – Sept 2021*

- As a part of electrical sub-team of UBC Rocket, I work closely with my team lead in designing PCBs for various parts of the rocket. Most recent work include a breakout PCB, and a PCI connector module. I am able to present these projects upon request
- I gained an extensive experience in circuit analysis by prototyping on breadboard and debugging circuits, using equipment such as oscilloscope and multimeter to ensure that all the components work as expected

### UBC SnowBots

*Oct-Dec 2019*

- Led the research of rough terrain motors by exploring stepper motors
- Documented a procedure on how to test the strengths of the stepper motor which was used to educate newly joined members

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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- Python
- SystemVerilog
- C, C#, C++
- Altium Designer UltiBoard, MultiSim
- PCB design, circuit analysis
- Raspberry Pi, Arduino, microcomputers and microcontrollers
- Rapid 3D printing using SolidWorks
- Handling lab equipment, Microsoft Office apps, and effective researching

## HOBBIES

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- Playing soccer, and working out.
- Learning software engineering by doing personal projects: <https://github.com/changnoo>