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Experience

Northrop Grumman Corporation

Clearfield, UT

Energetic Composite Manufacturing Engineer

June 2021 - Current

- Responsible for maintaining the Navy's multi-billion dollar contract of manufacturing the Trident II D5 Ballistic Missile, entailing being on-call 24/7 and to support on-site operations throughout the weekend and/or nights
- o Lead engineer to design/analyze/simulate assembly tooling for multi-billion dollar Next Generation Interceptor (NGI)
- Determine root causes on tool defects and their impacts on product and discuss top-level engineering with customers (Army, Lockheed Martin, Navy) proposed fixes to provide transparency and dependable products
- Apply excruciating attention to detail to mitigate manufacturing defects on end-product valued on the order of tens of millions of dollars for national defense and ensure mission success against pressing timelines

Education

Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA

M.S. in Computer Science - Computing Systems

Enrolling Fall 2022

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI

M.S.E. in Aerospace Engineering - Computation

August 2020 - May 2021

Accolades: Graduate Student Instructor

B.S.E. in Aerospace Engineering

September 2018 - August 2020

Awards and Accolades: Summa Cum Laude, Dean's List, University Honors, 1st Generation Engineer, 1st Generation STEM

Projects

RFID Spotify Raspberry Pi Jukebox

Software Engineer April 2022 - Current

- Using the spotipy and raspotify python libraries, integrated a MFRC522 RFID card reader with Spotify's web API to play selected playlists and tracks through a Raspberry Pi
- o Improved efficiency and scalability with JSON data storing of the RFID hash id with the associated Spotify context URL's
- o Automated script start-up on boot with crontab and launcher shell to enable a fully functioning embedded system

Google Maps Tourist API

Full-Stack Engineer

January 2022 - Current

- Integrated Python script with google-maps API to sort and parse highly rated locations to generate tourist waypoints en-route given a start and ending location
- o Allow customizable search parameters to expand the range of options allowing the user to generate a more personal route
- o Plans to integrate Github-pages for the online deployment of the web application

Hypersonic Ramjet CFD Simulation

Graduate Project - Aerospace Computation

November 2020 - December 2020

- Developed Python algorithms to numerically approximate flow-fields within and around a hypersonic ramjet and interface flow-field results with LaTeX to enable automatic report compilations
- o Recently re-factorized code with numba JIT compiler and optimized code to reduce program run-time by 90%
- Used Git and employed version control to simultaneously work across personal and academic workstations

Skills & Extracurriculars

Languages: Python, C++, Matlab, Mathematica, Arduino (C/C++ based), Javascript

Web Development: React, CSS, HTML, Django

Typesetting: LATEX, Markdown, TEX, Microsoft Word/Office

Miscellaneous: GitHub, Linux, Github-Pages, Command Line interface, VS Code, Raspberry Pi

General: Microsoft Office, Word, PowerPoint, and Excel, Adobe, Xfoil, AVL, ExpressPCB, ExpressSCH, STK **Groups:** Utah C++ Programmers, Downtown Coding SLC, Salt Lake City Python, Salt Lake City Developers