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Summary

Telecommunication Engineer with expertise in Go, C and C++ programming with more than 10 years of design and development experience. Domain knowledge in Networking, IVR and Bluetooth applications.

SKILLS

- Proficient with Golang & docker with 3 years of experience.
- Proficiency in software development in C, C++ with more than 10 years of experience.
- Proficiency with GNU/Linux development environment with more than 10 years of experience.
- Solid understanding of object oriented analysis, design and programming.
- Strong debugging/troubleshooting skills.
- Proficient with network monitoring tools like Wireshark.
- Familiarity with SQL, git, valgrind, Perforce and debuggers(VS Code/ gdb / MS-VS debugger).

RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

Spirent Bangalore, India (March 2019 - Present).

Staff Software Engineer

- Next-gen network testing product development using micro services architecture.
- Opensource contribution Luddite (micro-framework for RESTful services).
- Spirent TestCenter development.
- Technologies: C++, REST, PostgreSQL, Golang, Python, Docker, Spirent network testing hardware.

Infinera Bangalore, India (1 Year).

$Lead\ Software\ Engineer$

- Development of optical chassis simulator in Python.
- Developed features for control plane on the optical networking element.
- Worked on implementing intelligent L2 switching.
- Worked on a NodeJS tool to diagnose chassis.
- Technologies: C++, Linux, Broadcom SDK, QNX.

Actiance Bangalore, India (8 Months).

System Analyst

- Contributed towards building a recording solution- AMR (composed of 8 modules) for Skype for Business.
- Took ownership of the very unstable and buggy STUN module and made it one of the stable components within 6 months.
- Worked closely with the performance team to imporve the overall performance of AMR (both in terms of memory footprint and execution speed).
- Technologies: C++, Poco, SIP, STUN, Skype for business front-end server.

Unified Messaging Systems Bangalore, India (4 Years).

$Senior\ Software\ Developer$

- Primary responsibilities includes the design, development and testing of additional components of the back-end system for sending out voice alerts (IVR application).
- Contributed to all phases of the software design along with the technical architect team.
- Design, development and testing of a call processing library to interface with Dialogic HMP (E1/T1 telecom cards) platform.
- Design, development and testing of a voice conference application from the ground up.
- Monitoring and resolving issues related to the production setup of the back-end system.
- Worked on advanced C++ design patterns like policy based class design, command objects and object factories.
- Extensive usage of C++11 features, STL & Boost libraries (Multithreading, Containers, etc) across all projects.
- Extensive usage of SQL (MS-SQL) in all the projects.
- Developed Python scripts for Database monitoring on the production environment.
- Provided inputs to the business development team during the product specification review.
- Assisted sales team in better time estimation of the various deliverables (software).
- Working with a distributed team across different geographies.

Fraunhofer Research Institution for Applied and Integrated Security Munich, Germany (6 Months).

Student Research Assistant

- Master thesis project "Networking for smart meters"
- Evaluation of different network architectures suitable for building a network between a smart meter and a gateway.
- Evaluation of different network security protocols suitable for the network.
- Technologies TCP, UDP, HIP, IP over transmission lines.

Nokia Siemens Networks Helsinki, Finland (3 Months).

Summer Trainee

- Part of the Flexiplatform IP Networking team.
- CPP Unit testing of the IPSec module of Flexiplatform¹.
- Setting up of complex networking scenarios using AdvancedTCA (ATCA) blades for testing of IPSec.
- Setting up of a development server, for my team, based on RHEL and a custom software development toolchain for WindRiver Linux platform.
- Worked in a Agile software development environment.

MindTree Bangalore, India (2 Years).

Software Engineer

- Design and implementation of Bluetooth profiles and protocols for EtherMind².
- Porting of EtherMind to various embedded systems with proprietary RTOS.
- Integration of Audio codecs with the Bluetooth stack.
- Auditing of security aspects of Bluetooth enabled devices.
- Bluetooth conformance testing with PTS and FTS tools.
- Development of scripts in Python for automated code-formatting.

EDUCATION

Kungliga Tekniska Högskolan Stockholm, Sweden.

Master of Science - Communication Systems, 2012

P.E.S Institute of Technology, Visveswaraiah Technological University Bangalore, India.

Bachelor of Engineering - Telecommunication Engineering, 2007

¹A proprietary OS for base station hardware from NSN.

²A proprietary Bluetooth stack of MindTree Ltd.

Narlax Info Systems Bangalore, *India* (1 Month).

Instructor

• Taught "Algorithms and Data Structures" course for final year B.E students.

Youth for Seva Bangalore, India (2 Years).

Volunteer

- Helped a team of doctors in conducting medical chekup camps at Govt. primary schools across Bangalore.
- Lead a team of 5 volunteers in organizing hospital visit drives for the Govt. schools students.
- Lead a team of 15 volunteers in planning and organizing an inter-school cultural festival 'Chiguru'(participants: ~1500)
- Volunteered for various activities of Youth for Seva in Education and health care divisions.

Beta Labs Pvt. Ltd. Bangalore, India (3 Months).

<u>Technical Director</u>

- Co-founded 'Semester-9' a unique education program to connect the fresh Engineering graduates to the start up community.
- Formulated a 3-month go-to market plan.
- Setup the website and the course syllabus.
- Marketed the idea to 5 Engineering colleges with around 250 students.
- Marketed the idea to startup incubators (Microsoft Accelerator, Open Coffee Club) and bought a few early stage startups on board.

Publication

• Deepak M Subramanian, *Chaitanya Dandugula*, Deepak Kumar, Jayanth V and Karun Ramakrishnan, "Intelligent Traffic Controller using image processing Techniques", IEEE INDICON 2007, Bangalore, India.

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