# MARCIN LIPCZAK

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### **Profile:**

Over 14 years of R&D experience as an **Embedded Software Engineer ('C')**. Team member and project leader in full life cycle projects. Deep understanding of signal processing and hardware electronics. Strong analytic and mathematical skills. Worked in RF electronics, fibre-optic communication, control systems and variety of automotive fields.

## **Education:**

2002 Oct–2004 Jun MSc - Faculty of Electronics, Telecommunications and Informatics Gdansk

University of Technology – Poland, Control Engineering and Robotics

1998 Oct–2002 Jun BSc - Faculty of Electronics, Telecommunications and Informatics

Gdansk University of Technology - Poland,

**Control Engineering and Robotics** 

1993 Sep-1998 Jun Qualified Electronics Technician - diploma project with distinction,

Technical High School of Electronics and Telecommunication in Olsztyn

**Speciality: Computer Systems** 

# **Professional Experience:**

# **Contracts and Consultancy as Linden Embedded Ltd.**

Apr 2019 - Oct 2019

Wipac Ltd. UK - senior embedded software engineer

- UDS implementation using Vector LIN stack for AUDI EV, solving Bugatti system issues
- creating ISO26262 compliance tables for software development, consulting tools for management

Feb 2019 - Mar 2019

Control Technologies UK Ltd - system engineer

• Hybrid vechicle project viability assesment, Simulink system analysis, time schedule, requirements

Jun 2018 - Dec 2018

Nippon Seiki UK - senior embedded software engineer for Jaguar's cluster display project

- implementing JLR's software requirements, application level, GHS compiler, Eclipse, IBM RTC for team code deployment and version control
- debugging and problem finding and solving in existing implementation as per specification, IBM Jazz environment, refining software specification in cooperation with JLR
- MISRA rules turned fully on, compiler in -wall mode, code review
- extensive use of Canoe (FlexRay protocol, diagnostic session), debugging AUTOSAR diagnostic and CAN stacks

### **Permanent Roles**

Aug 2017 - Mar 2018

Creavo Medical Technologies - embedded software engineer/algorithms engineer in safety critical medical device (magnetocardiography)

- **bare bone drivers** for STM32F767 under **IEC 62304** (I2C, RTC, OTP, EEPROM, IO), **IAR IDE**, handling SOUP code
- MISRA rules turned fully on, compiler in -wall mode, lint static code analysis, code review
- updating software requirements, taking part in ASIL analysis
- Matlab Coder **code generation** of 'heart QRS complex' detection algorithm and integration with C, compound side to side test of Python, Matlab and C versions of algorithms in Matlab environment, documentation compliant with ISO **13485**

# Sep 2013 - Aug 2017

Haldex Brake Products Ltd.- embedded software engineer/control system engineer in safety critical vehicle dynamics systems (HGV trailer anti-rollover system)

- full toolchain configuration in plain **Eclipse** for V850ES GHS compiler, Green Hills **Multi IDE**, taking software metrics, maintaining and developing existing code in different projects
- CAN interface ISO11992, ISO11898, taken part in 'TUV Germany' certification process, CANalyzer and Canoe extensive usage for HiL tests and code development
- convinced company to implement test-driven development for embedded systems (**VectorCast**), convinced company to place code review (**Phabricator**) in a development process regarding oncoming ISO26262 implementation
- wheel speed and accelerometer signal processing, improvement in **earlier detection** of rollover event, Kalman filter development for wheel speeds and anti-rollover system
- Simulink code generation (Simulink Coder) and integration with C
- capturing system requirements (Cradle)
- cooperation in research with Cambridge University, Chalmers University and Volvo in Sweden

#### Nov 2009 - Jul 2012

Vector Sp. z o.o.- **embedded software engineer** in telecommunication RF & fibre-optical infrastructure for cable TV and internet providers

- agile software development (scrum with elements of eXtreme programming)
- team development under version control Subversion, bug report Bugzilla, management in JIRA
- decide on MCU and tools selection at design specification stage
- **drivers' development** on NXP LPC family
  - o multimaster I2C communication
  - o software **SPI** and software **UART** transmitter/receiver (IRQ based)
  - o remote communication with **FSK transceiver** (MAC address, remote data gathering)
- porting and refactoring code, PIC (CC5X compiler) and ARM Cortex M0/M3 (gcc compiler)
- production **tests planning** with QA engineers
- **stabilization algorithms** laser power stabilization and slope efficiency, AGC algorithms, thermal stabilization, using look-up tables and linearisation or nonlinear functions
- coding under FreeRTOS embedded real time operating system

#### Oct 2007 - Oct 2009

RADMOR S.A.- embedded software engineer, government owned company, marine telecommunication

- developing I2C to SPI and UART bridge between MCUs and PC
- developing software for prototypes, interfaces to control IC's e.g. RF mixers, ADC's
- developing + simulation of C algorithms of CPFSK software modem under Matlab and Simulink
- developing software for military hand-held transmitter prototype with frequency hopping, work in team of European Ministries of Defence Project: ESSOR, **Software Defined Radio**, possess **EU/NATO Personnel Security Clearance Certificate** (valid for two years)

XII 2004 - VI 2007

EMUZ joint venture sp. z o.o.- **embedded software engineer** /electronics engineer, digital thermostats for electrical floor heating

- coding in assembler for Microchip PIC and in C for Hitachi H8S300 and TI MSP430
- **development** of software and hardware, electronics design using **Protel**, assembly prototype boards (soldering) and tests of digital thermostat prototypes
- research: thermal process identification in Matlab and Simulink, design and implementation of control algorithm
- developing **drivers** and GUI for **graphical LCD** display controlled by encoder, SPI and UART communication with IC's
- taking remote measurements with Matlab Instrument Control Toolbox & HP GPIB multimeters
- creating test requirements documentation for Chinese manufacturer, making design specification in cooperation with Swedish partner EBECO.

## **Achievements:**

Improvement in earlier detection of rollover event for HVG trailers' anti rollover system (Haldex).

As a result of my decisive design recommendations (MCU) as a software leader in crucial development project our team in the Vector company managed to create product that **conquered the Russian market** (very short window business opportunity, good team work). https://www.vectorsolutions.net/produkty/vector-lambda-pro-7x/

Because of my attention to details an elusive hardware problem was found and solved. After we reported to the producer, **Peregrine Semiconductor**, it had written additional application note for theirs RF attenuators which incorporates my solution. <a href="http://www.psemi.com/pdf/app\_notes/an27.pdf">http://www.psemi.com/pdf/app\_notes/an27.pdf</a>

Using engineer skills and conducting a research I managed to model and digitally compensate (C Laplace transform implementation) parasite thermal influence at measuring sensor. As a result a very precise digital thermostat series was developed. Product used in **Ericsson** offices, Göteborg Opera and Oslo airport (Sweden). <a href="http://www.ebeco.com/underfloor-heating/thermostats">http://www.ebeco.com/underfloor-heating/thermostats</a>.

# **Skills:**

Programming : assembler and C advanced (MISRA, Lint), Matlab/Simulink (advanced),

C++ (basics), Python (basics), advanced debugging, digital filtering, dithering,

oversampling

Microcontrollers : STM32F7x7, TI MSP430, Microchip PIC 16Fxxx & others, Renesas H8/300,

V850ES/Fx

NXP LPC11xx / LPC13xx / LPC17xx, SiLabs C8051F31x,

IDE : Green Hills, MPLAB, Keil μVision, IAR Systems, LPCXpresso/Eclipse,

Microsoft Visual Studio

Management : Subversion version control for team project, JIRA reporting, Cradle, Redmine

**IBM RTC** 

Electronics : deep and analytic insight in circuit work, could find difficult and hidden bugs

very effectively, use of PSPICE, Protel DXP, PADS for simulating circuits

Control Systems : system identification and system modelling (Simulink, Matlab, SciLab),

control system design in discrete and continuous time, classical frequency domain approach and numeric methods, lead-lag, robust control (master thesis),

dead-beat, PID,

hydraulic servo valves Simulink simulation with nonlinearities like frictions and

turbulent flow related nonlinearities

Operating systems: : Linux (SuSe, Mint) user, basic knowledge: command line bash scripts

#### Certifications

Title: ISO 14001:2015 Organisational Conversion

Certification Date: Apr 2017 – Present

Certification authority: Qualatis

Title: Simulink Model Management and Architecture

Certification Date: Feb 2016 – Present Certification authority: Mathworks Training

Title: CANalyzer Workshop

Certification Date: Sep 2014 – Present Certification authority: Vector Academy

**Title: Embedded Coder for Production Code Generation** 

Certification Date: Mar 2014 – Present

Certification authority: MathWorks Training Services

Title: A.E.D. Automated External Defibrilator

Certification Date: Oct 2016 – Oct 2017 License 15/10232

Certification authority: NEWGRANGE TRAINING AND SERVICES LIMITED

**Title: EU Personnel Security Clearance** 

Certification Date: Jul 2009 – Jul 2015 License 1055/CE/2009/MCS/PL

Certification authority: National Security Authority MCS

## Additional information:

#### First Aid CPR certificate.

Polish - native English - advanced

Ukrainian - upper intermediate Russian - pre-intermediate **Driving license:** - UK full, clean.

**Interests:** - active figure skater with **two gold medals** in Polish official adult amateur

team synchronized ice skating (IceSkater Sport Association), preparing to enter

UK's competition as a solo skater, ISU member

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