DYLAN SHACKELFORD

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering University of California, Santa Barbara 2013 - 2017 Santa Barbara, CA

SKILLS

Swift/Objc Kotlin/Java Python SQL, SQLite AWS/S3 PHP

Arduino

SolidWorks AutoCAD FreeCAD Matlab Octave

HANDS ON

CircleSaw DrillPress Tap & Die Soldering Lathe Push Broom

LICESNES

FAA Part 107 Remote Pilot

WORK EXPERIENCE

Staff Engineer

Drones Made Easy

2017 - Current (San Diego, CA)

- Lead developer of Map Pilot Pro for both Android and iOS
- Implemented Key features:
 - Terrain Awareness generated elevation profiles for drone to maintain constant elevation over the ground.
 - Quick Map Stitching allowing on-device stitching of photos immediately after mission completion.
- Developed User Login and Subscription functionality, managing user information and access levels.
- Facilitated data transfer using AWS Services to sync user flight data (CSVs, KMLs, JSON, JPEGs) between devices and website.
- Managed requests to the website through JSON and RESTful APIs, ensuring seamless communication between the app and server.
- Supported multiple Drone SDKs including DJI, Autel, & Parrot, to extend application compatibility.

Systems Lead

NOAA Radar Station - USCB Capstone Project 2016 - 2017 (Santa Barbara, CA)

- Directed a team of 5 members to meet design requirements.
- Developed a Proof of Concept Battery Management System to conserve radar power consumption.
- Collaborated with NOAA officials on campus to install a Radar station at Campus Point.
- Researched and identified components for future installations.

Shop Assistant

Southern California Vintage Trailer Summers 2014 - 2017 (San Diego, CA)

- Helped restore vintage Airstream trailer for clients.
- Performed tasks such as riveting aluminum cover skins and sand blasted rusted parts.

Freelance Design Engineer

Mutable Campers

2020 - Current (San Diego, CA)

- Developing a custom "camper canopy" out of 8020 aluminum and sheet metal to fit onto a truck bed.
- Utilized FreeCAD to design sheet metal parts and rail assemblies.
- Employed Octave for tolerance geometry studies to guarantee optimal lever arm range of motion.