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OBJECTIVE

14+ years experienced, value-driven and result-oriented Embedded Software Developer looking forward for opportunities in Automation to Autonomy (A2A) using Machine Learning and Image Processing algorithms.

EDUCATION

• Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering
Bachelor of Engineering in Electronics and Communications

Mysore, India Aug. 2002 – July. 2006

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

• Languages: C++, C, python, bash

• Platforms: Linux(Windriver, Ubuntu), Unix(HP-UX, AIX, Solaris)

• Tools: CMake, GNUMake, gdb

• Testing Frameworks: Squish, GoogleTest, Cucumber

• Protocols: CAN (Vehicle bus standard), FIX(Financial Information eXchange)

• Methodologies: Agile, Test Driven Development (TDD),

EXPERIENCE

• John Deere

Des Moines, IA

June 2012 - Present

 $Embedded\ Software\ Developer$

- Gen4 CommandCenter[™] Displays: Develop software for displays of family of Autotrack guidance agriculture machines (like tractors) which farmers use for Presicion Agriculture.
- **Defects Triaging**: Initial triaging/analysing of defects that are logged by farm testers to be assigned to right team. This needs a robust knowledge of the entire system and involves a lot of communication with various teams.
- Reprogramming Firmware: Develop Reprogramming module which deals with installation and updates of Gen4 CommandCenter™ Display.

Environment/Tools: C++, Qt/QtCreatorIDE, python, bash, Multithreading, Agile, mercurial, git, CAN-protocol, sqlite-db, TestDrivenDevelopment(TDD), gtest, Squish(UI-Testing), Cucumber, gperf, valgrind, yum(package manager)

• Bloomberg

Manhattan, NY

Software Engineer

Apr 2011 - May 2012

- STEP (Add-on software for OrderManagementSystem): Develop STEP Software which integrates with the various OMS products available in the market that helps traders to automate from sending IOIs (Indication of interest) and ADVs(Advertisement) without human intervention.
- Tool to test STEP: Developed a test tool which will inject Orders that otherwise would have been sent by the associated OMS. This tool would generate all possible fix messages(like NewOrder/ FilledOrder/ PartialFill/ Cancel/ Replace) which was extensively used to test the main product (STEP) which we were developing.

Environment/Tools: C++, JavaScript, Unix(AIX, HP-UX, Solaris), RAPID(UI development framework), SQL, ComDB, STL, FIX-protocol, Service orientied architecture, XML, Multithreading (IPC), OOP, svn.

• Toshiba

Bangalore, India

Software Developer

Aug 2006 - Feb 2011

- **Printer Firmware**: Develop firmware for Toshiba's vast range of Multi Functional Peripherals(MFPs) in C++and WindriverLinux.
- Onsite Coordinator: Get involved with architecture team at client location and communicate the requirements to offshore team. Was in this role for about an year.
- Integration: Integration of all three layers at the client location (Toshiba, Japan) by coordinating with all the teams.
- **MFPUtility Libraries**: Develop algorithms/libraries specific to printers (like Magnification%, Drawer selection, ExitTray selection, Staple/Duplex judgment.

Environment/Tools: C++, Linux IPCs, Multithreading, Windriver Linux, PowerPC, bash scripting, PVCS(version control), sqlite-db, awk, sed, valgrind