CELENE CHEN

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EXPERIENCE

SOFTWARE ENGINEER - PERCEPTION
WATonomous

📅 Jan 2019 – Present 📍 Waterloo, Ontario

University of Waterloo's autonomous vehicle team working towards level 4 autonomy

- **Camera Calibration Project:** Image rectifications, perspective transform, depth map development, intrinsic calibration in **OpenCV-Python**
- **Lane Detection Project:** Semantic segmentation processing, stop signs and stop lines detection and tracking

MACHINE VISION SYSTEMS DESIGNER INTERN
Taymer International Inc.

📅 May 2019 – Aug 2019 📍 Markham, Ontario

- Designed and implemented a multi-camera system on NVIDIA Jetson TX2 in **C++** and GUI via **Qt** in **embedded Linux** environment
- Evaluated and optimized real-time performance of algorithms and identified bottlenecks for hardware performance and testing
- Interfaced common hardware protocols **(GPIO, I2C, SPI)** for camera synchronization and external encoder implementation
- Increased frame rate by **45%** through **multi-threading**

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER INTERN
ATS Automation Tooling Systems

📅 Sept 2018 – Dec 2018 📍 Cambridge, Ontario

- Sped up daily reconciliation report from **40 minutes to under 30 seconds** through improved algorithms and tools in **Java** and **VB** scripts
- Developed data visualization tools used for management and forecasting decisions
- Built **web text scraper** tool to extract data from existing websites used for further data manipulation in **VB.NET**

RELIABILITY ENGINEER INTERN
IKO Industries Ltd.

📅 Dec 2017 – Apr 2018 📍 Brampton, Ontario

- Led a team of five in the development of two platforms for report automation which reduced overall labour quantity and time from **8 hours to 15 minutes**
- Improved accuracy and latency of the project by automating and combining workflow of 7 different tasks
- Assessed criticality ranking of existing **Failure Modes** and identified **Root Causes** of defects to develop Predictive, Preventive, Condition Based Maintenance Strategies to prevent and reduce possible failure

RESEARCH COMPUTER ASSISTANT
University of Waterloo

📅 Aug 2016 – Dec 2016 📍 Waterloo, Ontario

- Provided front line and remote technical support for university's ECE graduate department ranging from hardware, software and network
- Troubleshot and tested workstation hardware
- Made **shell scripts** to establish remote testing environment

TECHNICAL SKILLS

PROGRAMMING

- C/C++
- Python
- SQL
- Java
- HTML/CSS
- MATLAB/Simulink
- Bash
- VBA

HARDWARE

- Jetson TX2
- RaspberryPi 3
- Arduino
- Teensy

OTHERS

- Git
- AutoCAD
- SOLIDWORKS
- ROS
- Qt
- Visual Studio
- Eclipse
- Xcode
- PLC
- LabVIEW
- Linux (Ubuntu, Debian)

PROJECTS

Smart Security Camera
- An IoT **Raspberry Pi** security camera running **OpenCV** that sends an email with an image if a motion has been detected

Autonomous Search&Rescue Robot
- An autonomous multi terrain robot interfaced with **IR, IMU, TFmini LiDAR sensors** and **optical encoders**

Marble KOMBAT
- A shooting game programmed in **C** using Keil MCB1700 Evaluation Board

N-body Simulation
- A simulation which predicts the trajectory of objects interacting with each other gravitationally using **MATLAB**

iSCORE
- A music score translator using **Lego Mindstorms NXT2.0**

EDUCATION

BASc in Mechatronics Engineering
University of Waterloo

📅 Sep 2015 - May 2020 (Expected)

- Data Structures and Algorithms
- Database Management Systems
- Algorithm Design and Analysis
- Microprocessors and Digital Logic
- Computer Structures and Real-Time Systems