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SUMMARY — Third-year Electronic and Information Engineering Student at Imperial College London, currently undertaking a summer internship. Working in various programming languages, such as C++ and Python. Key university projects include developing a C90 compiler and RISC-V processor in SystemVerilog.

TECHNICAL COMPETENCIES

Automation Bash, Python, YAML, GitHub Actions **Cloud** AWS, Microsoft Azure

Languages Python, C++, SystemVerilog, JavaScript

Technologies Ouartus, LTSpice, Ubuntu Databases SQL, DynamoDB, Cosmos DB Data Science PyTorch, Tensorflow, Pandas

RECENT EXPERIENCE

HSBC Jun 2024 - Present

Software Engineer

- Working as part of the GPS (Global Payments Services) team.
- Developing automations in Python and Pandas to manipulate Jira incident data, improving workflow efficiency.
- Refactoring ZeroTouch, a server certificate tracking and updating program, resulting in an 87% reduction in LOC.
- Using Flask apps to improve integration with pre-existing web services.
- Using Confluence, Jira and GitHub for project management,
- Learning about ITIL and Incident Management in DevOps, used in data analysis projects.

EDUCATION

Imperial College London

Oct 2022 - Jun 2026

Masters in Electronic and Information Engineering

Notable modules: Instruction Architectures and Compilers (73), Information Processing (72), Discrete Maths (70).

Heckmondwike Grammar School

Sep 2020 - Jun 2022

A-Levels

A*A*AA in Further Maths, Maths, Physics and Chemistry.

PROJECTS

RV32-IM Processor Oct - Dec 2023

- Developed the C++ testbenches for various modules as well as the overall processor.
- Developed the top-level module in SystemVerilog, employing both skills in hardware and software development.
- As a group of 4, we achieved the highest score in the cohort.
- Tested our design in hardware using Quartus and an FPGA.

C90 Compiler

Jan - Mar 2024

- Wrote a C90 compiler in C++
- Developed the arithmetic and type compilation, covering ints, floats, doubles, chars and strings.
- Worked as part of a pair, utilising Git version control and pair programming techniques.
- Passed all seen test cases, as well as 84% overall, one of the highest scores in the cohort.

FPGA Game Design Project

Jan - Mar 2024

- Developed a fully functioning split-screen multiplayer game of Tetris in Unity, learning C# for the first time.
- Integrated an accelerometer with Serial UART interface written in Quartus into the game to use a DE10 for control.
- Utilised an EC2 instance complete with a FastAPI server and DynamoDB database, in order to store high scores and player records.
- Worked as part of a team of 6, requiring clever timelines and Agile development.

Athora Balancing Robot

May - Jun 2024

- The final product was able to use real-time appearance based mapping to scan, pathfind through and traverse an area.
- Worked in a multi-disciplinary team, covering software development, computer vision and control engineering.
- Developed a Flask app that incorporated Gamepad API. This allowed us to collect data and manually control the robot.
- Used embedded programming to convert the received packets of information into motor controls.
- Set up an Azure VM and Cosmos DB instance to store battery information and other mission critical data.

OTHER SKILLS

Languages

- Tamil Fluent (Mothertongue)
- English Fluent
- French Beginner