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Interests

Software Development involving Embedded Systems and Control Systems

EDUCATION

California Sate Polytechnic University, Pomona, CA. Graduating December 2016 (Core GPA: 3.94/4.0) (Overall GPA: 3.52/4.0) B.S. in Electrical Engineering

TECHNICAL SKILLS **Programming**: C++, MATLAB, Python, Verilog, VHDL, P Spice, SQL, SVN, Git

Operating Systems: Windows, Linux, Mac OSX

Hardware: Microcontrollers, Spartan 3 FPGA, Oscilloscope, Soldiering, Electric Drive Systems

Professional

NASA JPL, Pasadena, CA. US.

June 2016 - Present

EXPERIENCE

Simulation and Support Equipment Division

- Developing support equipment to test Mars-2020 motors
- Researched and developed algorithms to Auto-Code spacecraft simulations from SysML models

Campfire Alaska, Anchorage, AK. US.

Summer 2015

Recreation Senior Staff

- Led a team of three youth counselors to remote Alaskan communities
- Taught the children swimming skills, cold water safety, and life skills

China Lake Child and Youth Programs, Ridgecrest, CA. US. May 2009 - September 2014 Lead Staff

- Directed a staff of 10-20 counselors in youth development programs
- Created three new youth clubs: Rock Wall Club, Paintball Club, and Fix-It Club

Projects

Spacecraft Simulation Auto-Coding - NASA

Researched and developed algorithms to:

- Query SysML spacecraft models for components
- Match components with an SQL database of standardized components, check inter-dependencies
- Auto-code simulation initialization with matched components

Micromouse Autonomous Maze Solving Robot - IEEE

- Designed and tuned a PID control algorithm using C++ and an Atmel microcontroller
- Provided precise control of two synchronized DC motors
- Taught microcontroller programming to new members of IEEE

RF Range Finding - Senior Project

- Implemented Silicone Instruments RF transmitters and receivers via PIC microcontrollers
- Utilized matching circuitry, oscilloscope FFT, and band pass filters
- Accurately measured the time of signal travel using a Texas Instruments time to digital converter

VHDL Trigonometric Calculator Implemented - Spartan 3 FPGA

- Designed a sine and cosine calculator using the CORDIC algorithm
- Accomplished multiplication and division with structural arrays of adders

Team Research and Development Project - Traditional AI Methods

- Used MATLAB to study the effectiveness and utilization of the A* graph traversal algorithm
- Completed an algorithm that could solve mazes and illustrate the fastest possible solution

Personal ACHIEVEMENTS

Eagle Scout

• Orchestrated troop meetings, camp-outs, hikes, and community service events