

Jishnu Sen

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WORK EXPERIENCE

SpaceX

Summer 2021

Satellite Software Engineer Intern

Hawthorne, CA

- Worked on controls and networking software with comprehensive unit tests on safety-critical embedded Linux nodes deployed on satellites using Bazel, C++, Python, and custom CI/CD.
- Designed and developed software alerts system to detect faults in network communications with FPGA.
- Refined embedded antenna gimbal controls firmware in C++ by adding keepout zone avoidance algorithm.
- Developed state machine in C++ to attenuate signal and escalate shutdown of RF chains in case of critical failure.
- Authored requirements with 10+ Hardware and Software Engineers across the company and my team.

NovaSource Power Services

June 2020 – June 2021

Full Stack and Embedded Software Developer

Davis, CA

- Developed full MEAN stack asset tracking system including a web visualizer and database analytics processing server.
- Implemented IoT LTE transmitter code (C), for tracking robot performance, and analytics on employee performance.
- Led group of 4 interns to maintain, validate, and test robot microcontroller firmware (C, PIDF control loops) for solar panel cleaning robots deployed in several countries and 20+ sites in the US.
- Designed testbench for fast development iteration and automated testing of controls firmware.

SunPower Corporation

Summer 2019

Software Intern

Davis, CA

- Refactored, optimized, and multithreaded robot microcontroller firmware in C++ to provide double digit improvements in performance.
- Redesigned LCD UI software (C++) for easier use by operators by simplifying menus and UX.
- Tested and validated firmware and operation of solar panel cleaning robots deployed in several countries using custom CI/CD pipeline.

Laboratory for Embedded Programmable Systems

Summer 2018

Software Intern

UC Davis, CA

- Designed and developed iOS app using Swift and UIKit to interface with “Non-Invasive Bladder Volume Analysis” (NIBVA) device using Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE) for storage of instrument data in Google Cloud and in-app visualization.
- Worked with EE researchers to design communication format to efficiently transmit information from embedded sensor device over BLE.

Amorphous Materials Research Group

Summers 2017 - 2020

Software Intern

UC Davis, CA

- Designed and developed GUI user friendly Python implementation of NMR spectral lineshape simulation, and creation of a web portal using Flask for easy use, access, and dissemination of results.
- Worked with researchers to build a specification to efficiently engineer my simulation software to their needs.
- Published in the *Journal of Chemical Physics*: DOI: 10.1063/1.5141004 and in *Science*: DOI: 10.1126/science.aaz0251

EDUCATION AND EXTRACURRICULARS

University of California, Los Angeles

Expected June 2024

BS, Computer Science

Los Angeles, CA

- Dean's Honors; 3.92/4.0 GPA
- Relevant Coursework: Computer Organization, Algorithms and Data Structures, Discrete Math, Linear Algebra

Jane Street SEE Trading Program

Spring 2021

- Educational program on market making principles and probability

Davis Senior High School

June 2020

- Software lead on FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC) Team 1678, National Honor Society Lifetime Member

SKILLS

C/C++, Java, Python, Javascript/Typescript, Angular, Shell Scripting, Bazel, Linux, MongoDB, Azure, Node.js