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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO
Master of Science in Computer Engineering

El Paso, TX
GPA: 3.86/4.0

Bachelor of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering

Expected Graduation: May 2022
GPA: 3.22/4.0
Fall 2020

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

CENTER FOR AEROSPACE AND EXPLORATION TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH (cSETR)
Graduate Research Assistant

El Paso, TX
Feb 2021-Present

- Develop a 3U CubeSat with a multidisciplinary team, leveraging strong collaboration and multi-tasking to effectively meet deadlines
- Design, develop, implement, and test custom firmware various microcontrollers in C, C++, and Python
- Assist in designing custom drivers and hardware for space systems using Eagle
- Design API documentation for HAL drivers through Doxygen, provide proper software maintenance
- Test and debug hardware for different subsystems with an oscilloscope and function generator to verify functionality
- Utilize version control (git) to provide simultaneous work and keep track of all updates

JOHN'S HOPKINS UNIVERSITY APPLIED PHYSICS LABORATORY (JHUAPL)
Wireless Cyber Capabilities (QKW) Intern (SECRET CLEARANCE)

Laurel, MD
May - Aug 2021

- Developed and tested software at the physical layer using C, C++, and bash scripting to ensure highly reliable and efficient performance
- Assisted in a docker file for a custom environment to use gnuradio and optimized software development
- Developed algorithms for the IEEE802.11n protocol
- Member of ATLAS Summer Intern Program at JHUAPL

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

CENTER FOR AEROSPACE AND EXPLORATION TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH (cSETR)
Robotic Arm 3U CubeSat Payload

El Paso, TX
Aug 2021-Present

- Design, develop, implement, and test custom firmware in real-time (FreeRTOS) for ARM Cortex M4F microcontrollers for a 3U CubeSat payload
- Assist in a custom Hardware Abstraction Layer (HAL) driver API to reduce development effort for other CubeSat teams
- Assembled custom four-layer print circuit boards (PCB) designed in Eagle, utilizing proper testing procedures to verify functionality
- Implement payload communication between various protocols (CAN, I2C, and UART) to communicate to other CubeSats payloads

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO
Intelligent Portable Infrasound Array (IPIA)

El Paso, TX
Jan-Dec 2020

- Designed, developed, implemented, and tested custom embedded software in real-time (FreeRTOS) to meet latency constraints
- Read pressure sensor (DS-0091) at 100Hz, to avoid aliasing
- Built short-distance wireless communication via Bluetooth (HC-05 Module) to send data through UART; increased mobility for testing
- Designed custom GPS (SIM33EAU module) API by parsing serial data with NMEA protocol

SKILLS

Computer

- Programming: C, C++, Java and Python
- Software: Multisim, EasyEDA, KiCad, EagleCAD, Git, and Docker
- Operating Systems: FreeRTOS, Windows, MacOS, Ubuntu 18.04, and Ubuntu 20.04
- IDE: Code Blocks, Code Composer Studio, Eclipse, Visual Studio Code
- Microcontrollers: MSP430G2553, MSP432P401R, TIVA C and ESP32

Instruments

- Oscilloscope, Function Generator, and Multimeter

Language

- Bilingual: Fluent in English and Spanish