

# Jonathan Mash

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## education

### Queen's University

2009 – 2013

**M.Sc.** in Electrical Eng.  
*Queen's Centre for  
Energy and Power  
Electronics Research*  
Thesis: Advanced  
Nonlinear Control  
Techniques for Wind  
Energy Conversions  
Systems  
Course Avg: 92%

2004 – 2009

**B.Sc.** in Electrical Eng.  
*2<sup>nd</sup>/45 in Elec. Eng.  
5<sup>th</sup>/576 in Eng.*  
Final Year Avg: 93%

## programming

★NodeJS, Python, PHP  
Javascript, HTML5,  
CSS3, C/C++, C#,  
TCP/IP, HTTP, Zigbee,  
MySQL, DB2,  
CouchDB, RTOS,  
★Linux, Windows, ★Git,

## design tools

★Altium, Matlab, PSIM,  
★Notepad++, Keil, IAR,  
Sketchup, Eclipse,  
Visual Studio, ★GitHub

## interests

electronics, robotics,  
★multi-rotors, drones,  
solar power systems,  
★micro-controllers,  
single-board  
computers, IoT,  
★embedded systems,  
linux, 3d printing

## skills

**core:** problem solving, project management, product development, effective communication.

**electronics:** system design, embedded systems, prototyping, manufacturing.

**hardware:** specifications, pcb design, assembly & rework, testing & debugging, production.

**software:** specifications, design, programming, testing, deployment.

## experience

2010 **SPARQ Systems**

Kingston, Ontario, Canada

▼ *Lead Product Developer*

- present*
- Given complete control over the design and implementation of an all-new monitoring platform developed using all new microinverter technology.
  - Developed an in-home **embedded Linux** device utilizing advanced **Zigbee** communication, USB, 802.11 **WiFi**, and a **Websocket** API to connect to cloud servers.
  - Built an Amazon **Cloud** based monitoring and control solution based on **NodeJS**, CouchDB **NoSQL** database, and a modern **HTML5** web front end.
  - Actively involved in high-level market research, feature requirements derivation, and product requirements specifications.
  - Component selection, **PCB** design, aided mechanical design, produced & tested **prototypes**, and oversaw the entire process from **design** through to **manufacturing**.
  - Led and supported the deployment of field trials at sites across North America.
  - Recruited and trained new employees to grow the group from just myself to a team of over six highly talented developers and engineers.
  - Coordinated multiple teams and external contractors working on key projects.

*Product Developer*

- Designed, prototyped, and manufactured an in-home embedded device for solar panel and inverter monitoring.
- Developed a novel Power Line Communication protocol using Forward Error Correcting codes for robust communication the microinverters.
- Developed the manufacturing, assembly, and testing procedures to ensure only high quality products are delivered to customers.
- Trusted by senior management to provide independent engineering support to customers due to in-depth knowledge of the entire product line.

2009 **Centre for Energy and Power Electronics Research**

Kingston, Ontario, Canada

▼ *Engineering Research Assistant*

- 2013
- Researched and designed a medium-power front-end converter for telecommunications equipment using simulation tools.
  - Developed a wind turbine emulator using an induction motor connected to a permanent magnet synchronous generator for use in research activities.
  - Derived novel non-linear control schemes for a PMSG-connected wind turbine.

2008 **Ontario Power Generation**

Pickering, Ontario, Canada

*Student - Computers and Controls Division*

- Developed and deployed an online portal to aid in knowledge retention.
- Identified project requirements, researched possible solutions, and implemented the chosen solution: Microsoft's Sharepoint and custom workflows.

2004 **Queen's University Solar Vehicle Team**

Kingston, Ontario, Canada

▼ *Project Manager*

2008 Competitions: **Panasonic World Solar Challenge & North American Solar Challenge**

- Oversaw all aspects of a semi-professional racing team.
- Supervised the design, fabrication and testing of the vehicle.
- Directed efforts in marketing, sponsorship, event planning, and PR.
- Managed all financial planning, purchasing, cash flow, and budgeting.
- Led fund-raising efforts, raising over \$500,000 in cash and in-kind donations.
- Knowledge of all vehicle design including electrical, mechanical, and software.
- Team's expert on power systems, lithium-based batteries, and solar cells.