**Objective**

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**This profile is about a motivated entrepreneurial engineer looking for the next challenging role. Tell me about your project, I am ready to take risks and invest my time and effort. I have been working many years in the semiconductor-ASIC-PC industry as a hardsoft engineer. I am now interested in the web or the mobile technologies with a preference for the open-source environment.**  
  
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**Skills**

* **Software development and hardware bring up**
  + **x86 PC chipset system architecture**
  + **From the lowest level firmware and driver to the highest level Web UI**
  + **UEFI x64 Shell application**
  + **Embedded firmware development for 8051 with Keil**
  + **Scripting with various languages: Perl, Batch, Php**
  + **C/C++/C# Visual Studio**
  + **Windows and LINUX**
* **Web and Network development (**[**showcase**](http://checkthisresume.com/content/efolio/)**)**
  + **Frontend HTML, CSS, Javascript**
  + **Backend server side native CGI, PHP**
  + **Databases: MySQL, SQlite, MSAccess.**
  + **JAVA applet with JNI**
  + **Socket network programming**
  + **WAMP site Administration**
  + **Payment gateway and shopping Cart**
  + **PDF with TCPDF PDFTK**
  + **Imaging with ImageMagick**
  + **Data parsing, BNF, XML, XSLT, RegEx**
* **Specialities**
  + **JTAG**
  + **Test automation**
  + **Debug tools**
  + **Web UI UX**

**Professional background**

**Dec 2012 - Present: Inphi**

* [Inphi](http://www.inphi.com/)- **Santa Clara - Staff Engineer**- Validation Tools. UEFI application and BIOS.

**2000 - 2012: AMD Advanced Micro Devices and ATI**

* [AMD](http://amd.com/) - **Sunnyvale - Staff Engineer**- (Since Oct 2011) Software Design for Hardware Debug Tools. Develop debug tools for CPU Graphics North Bridge and South Bridge on Windows and Linux.
* **Senior Engineer** - (4 years) Web development: Design of Debug and diagnostic tools web applications. Developed front end and back end programs. Created a light localhost web server. Used a wide range of technologies: HTML, CSS, DOM, PHP and fast native CGI in C/C++, Javascript, Java applet with JNI, CMS, AJAX etc. Built hardware and software JTAG tools.
* [**ATI Research Silicon Valley**](http://www.ati.com/)**Santa Clara - Senior Engineer**- (5 years)  Hardware Bring up of PC platforms, worked on HD-audio, AC97, ACPI, APIC, Ethernet, IDE, SATA, PCI bridge. Wrote diagnostic  programs, debug scripts and setup hardware test benches. Identified ASIC flaws, verified bug fixes.
* **Manager, System Engineering -**(1 year) group of 10 engineers and technicians.  
  Designed and developed an innovative architecture enabling Post Silicon Automatic Verification in order to decrease the silicon bring up time. Architected and performed the Design Verification of the ATI Radeon IGP 320 North-Bridge debug features: JTAG and Debug bus. Managed the Design of laptop and Desktop PC motherboards. Responsible of the lab and the equipments.

**1994 - 2000: STMICROELECTRONICS**

* [**STMicroelectronics**](http://www.st.com/)**- 1997-2000 - San Jose**  
  **Manager, System Solution** - (3 years) a group of 4 to 6 engineers.  
  Managed a multi-disciplinary team. Developed hardware and software for a single chip PC & DVD device. Prototyping with FPGA. DVD Playback, decryption, audio, Graphics. Lab setup, equipment purchase and team hiring.
* **Application manager**, providing technical support to key customers.
* Cost Center manager.
* Was a key contributor in establishing an International Strategic Alliance which led to the creation of a new business in the company.

* **STMicroelectronics - 1994-1997 - France**  
  **Application engineer**- (3 years) Support to the CPU business and core logic in Europe, (ST486, 5x86, 6x86) Realization of debug, test, evaluation and demonstration boards. x86 CPU, AT core logic, video MPEG1/2. Customer technical support. Development: solutions & applications for selected customers. Communication: manuals, application notes evaluation kits, presentations, customer visits. Training for sales. Launch of the System on chip program.
* **Achievements**:
  + PRIMA. Design of the set-top box Motherboard with MPEG2 playback capability, Video CD player.
  + Design of the STPC bring-up and evaluation boards.
  + Development of silicon debug software for: CPU, Graphic Engine, PC core logic, PCI and ISA bus, local bus IDE, video port and TV output.

**1990 - 1994: NORMEREL**

* **ADDX-NORMEREL,  BUC-France**  
  **Hardware Design Engineer** - (4 years)  
  Project leader. Design of desktop PC motherboards. Digital electronic systems, microcomputer PC, memory, all the range of Intel microprocessors, video, multimedia, bus ISA, EISA, VL VESA, PCI, Ethernet, SCSI, C language programming, assembler, drivers, PAL, EPLD etc.
* **Achievements:**
  + XENON:  i486 workstation and server PC AT with the VESA bus, production made in March 1992.
  + ZEPHYR:  i486 PCI workstation , low consumption and high performance, production made in April 1994.

**Patents and Awards**

**Patents**

* SLEEP PROCESSOR: [20090313492](http://www.faqs.org/patents/app/20090313492)
* AUTO-SLEEP ARRAY: [20100058089](http://www.faqs.org/patents/app/20100058089)   
  MEMORY DEVICE HAVING A MEMORY SLEEP LOGIC AND METHODS THEREFORE.
* EASY FLASH: [20100146159](http://www.faqs.org/patents/app/20100146159)  
  MEMORY FLASH APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING DEVICE UPGRADES OVER A STANDARD INTERFACE.
* SPEED DEBUG (Pending)

**Awards**

* Spotlight Award on Aug 2010 for the outstanding contribution to the SB900 Bring up effort through the development of Register Explorer.

**Education**

**1987 - 1990: TECHNION**

* **Technion** ([Israel Institute of Technology](http://www.technion.ac.il/)) HAIFA - Israel.
* **BSC** (Bachelor of Science) in **computer engineering**.
* Computer architecture, microcomputers, data processing, logical circuits, electronic circuits, systems of data communication, parallel and distributed Programming.
* Project:  design and realization of a parallel computer, based on a network of four transputers (INMOS), capable to process simultaneously several video images.

**1985 - 1987: IUT OF PARIS**

* **IUT of Paris** ([Institut Universitaire de Paris](http://www.iut.univ-paris5.fr/)) - France.
* **DUT** (Diplome Universitaire de Technology) in **Computer Science**.
* Project at the Observatory of Paris, Astrophysical section of Meudon, spatial research department (DESPA).  Design and realization of a test board for the infrared camera ISOCAM part of the ISO project ([Infrared Space Observatory](http://iso.esac.esa.int/)).

**Languages**

* **French**
* **English**
* **Hebrew**
* **Arabic**

**Web presence**

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* [ManEstate.com](http://manestate.com/)
* [CheckThisResume.com](http://checkthisresume.com/)
* [ntmio.com](http://ntmio.com/flatpress)
* [QuickbooksExport](http://www.opencart.com/index.php?route=extension/extension/info&extension_id=2456)
* [RunWith](https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/runwith/)
* [LinkedIn](http://www.linkedin.com/in/getme)

**Other**

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