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CAREER SUMMARY

Junior Electrical Engineer with valuable experience working in industrial environments, primarily focused on implementation of communications systems and R&D. Excellent interpersonal and communication abilities, and possess a wide range of technical skills. Enjoys being part of a team, and thrives in high pressure and challenging working environments.

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS AND CORE COMPETENCIES

- Knowledgeable in AC (single and three phase) and DC electronic circuit theory
- Insightful in control theory, and industrial control system design (Siemens PLC and DeltaV DCS)
- Experience with control valve sizing, sensor selection, and instrumentation signalling (ISA 5.1)

Modeling and Analysis	AutoCad, SolidWorks, Fusion 360, MATLAB, LTSpice, git
Software & Tools	Altium Designer, Quartus, Python, C++, JavaScript, Verilog, MS Office

EDUCATION

British Columbia Institute of Technology, Burnaby	<i>September 2015 - May 2019</i>
Bachelor in Engineering, Electrical	Overall GPA: 85%
<i>Graduated with Distinction</i>	

WORK EXPERIENCE

British Columbia Institute of Technology, Burnaby	<i>May 2018 - August 2018</i>
<i>Research Intern</i>	

- Created a working prototype of a cross-platform mobile application (iOS Android) for use in Haiti on concrete bricks
- Carried out peak-finding algorithm development associated with concrete testing
- Implemented and debugged time-domain impulse detection algorithm for mobile devices
- Learned the React-Native extension of JavaScript, and basic Java

Wireless Technical Services Inc., Coquitlam	<i>April 2017 - August 2017</i>
<i>Co-op Student</i>	

- Worked on the Fortis BC Radio Network (FBCRN) project, including helping point out a possible vulnerability using software defined radio (SDR) technology
- Designed and implemented software in python for network device convenience and maintenance
- Carried out Rack Acceptance Tests (RATs) for quality assurance purposes
- Worked with various hand and power tools when manufacturing a communications rack

BKS Cablecom Ltd., Burnaby	<i>May 2016 - August 2016</i>
<i>Jr. Technician</i>	

- Installed, and tested data cabling for data and voice systems
- Labeled and assembled patch panel assemblies, and upgraded wireless networking equipment
- Terminated AMP and Belden shielded/unshielded category cables with proprietary tools
- Worked along side Sr Technicians, Electricians and UBC IT services on various projects
- Learned and applied de-facto standards in the telecommunications installation industry

PROJECTS

Autonomous Vineyard Harvesting

Our senior engineering capstone group aimed to improve on current grape picking systems by developing a robotic vehicle that can harvest grape crops autonomously and selectively. It was required to navigate a vineyard without the need for human intervention, work during all times of the day, and successfully detect and harvest wine grape crops using cutting-edge vision technologies, robotics, and various engineering methods we've acquired at BCIT.

Heat Exchanger Modeling and Controller Design

As part of the Industrial Control Systems course at BCIT, I was tasked with designing a temperature-flow cascade control strategy to regulate the outlet water temperature of a particular gas-liquid heat exchanger, incorporating disturbances such as steam header pressure, inlet water temperature, and water flow-rate. A model of the heat exchanger was also created in a DeltaV virtual machine.

Automated Writing Utensil

For my embedded systems term project, I designed and implemented a simple P-D controller for two Quanser SRV02 motors using a real-time embedded system (*TMS320F28027*). Parts were fabricated (PLA printing) to allow a pen to draw anywhere within a 36in^2 square. This project involved interfacing the RTES to external hardware including power amplifiers and quadrature encoders, through the use of various communications standards (SPI & SCI for example).

Self Driving Maze Navigation Car

In a group of 2, my partner and I were able to design and implement a self driving car that was able to solve a maze. The maze included colored markers to indicate turning directions, requiring the use of computer vision. A custom PCB was assembled to hold components needed for the vehicle.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2019 BCIT Student Innovation Challenge: 2nd place
- 2018 NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award (USRA) recipient
- 2017 APEGBC Scholarship recipient
- 2015 Burnaby Central Alumni Scholarship, Top student Electronics 10 and PE 12
- 2014 Vancouver High School Science Olympics Eastern league event: 1st place

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Guru Nanak's Free Kitchen, East Vancouver

September 2013 - Present

Dishwasher

- Serving lunch to residents of Vancouver's downtown east side
- Assisting with washing and cleanup before and after lunch
- Working along side church and community center staff

EXTRA-CURRICULAR INTERESTS

- Snowboarding
- Playing and watching soccer & basketball
- 3D printing knick-knacks
- Participating in the Sun Run
- Road and mountain biking enthusiast