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Profile

Passionate electronics engineer with expertise in embedded systems, PCB design, and hardware development. Adept at designing custom Arduino-based solutions, wireless communication systems. Skilled in KiCad, circuit debugging, and IoT solutions. Certified Drone Service Technician under NSQF, with hands-on experience in FPV and surveillance drones. Open-source contributor and mentor, committed to innovation and knowledge sharing.

Experience

INDEPENDENT ELECTRONICS ENGINEER & EMBEDDED SYSTEMS DEVELOPER (FREELANCE & OPEN-SOURCE CONTRIBUTOR)

- Designed and developed **Schrödinger Watch**, a compact ESP32-S3-based PCB smartwatch with RTC, buzzer, I2C display, and battery management, open-sourced on GitHub.
- Created an inverter that can convert 12v dc to 220v ac.
- Developed **MiniVieNO**, a custom Arduino board featuring multiple power breakouts and a USB-C connector.
- Built **HydroSense**, a water level indicator with OLED display and animated water representation.
- Designed an NFC-enabled PCB business card with an LED status indicator

Mentor & Instructor | PCB Design & Embedded Systems

(College of Engineering Chengannur – IEEE PES Workshop, Aug 2024)

- Conducted a **hands-on 18-hour workshop** on PCB design, circuit debugging, and fabrication.
- Guided students through circuit etching and troubleshooting with real-world applications.

Drone Service Technician | NSQF Certified

(Government of India – Skill Development Centre, 2025)

- Trained in **FPV**, **surveillance**, **and special category drones** for various applications.
- Skilled in **board-level repair**, **assembly**, **and flight operations** of nano to medium-sized drones.

Education

B. TECH IN ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION (COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING CHENGANNUR)

ADVANCED PG/DIPLOMA IN EMBEDDED SYSTEM AND HARDWARE DESIGN (SMEC, ERNAKULAM)

PROJECTS

- **Schrödinger Watch** A custom **ESP32-S3-based PCB smartwatch** with RTC, buzzer, OLED display, battery management, and open-source firmware.
- **MiniVieNO** A **custom Arduino-compatible development board** with a USB-C connector, multiple power breakouts, and optimized for prototyping.
- **HydroSense** A **smart water level indicator** with an OLED display, animated water level visualization, and real-time percentage tracking.
- NFC-Enabled PCB Business Card A custom PCB business card with an LED status indicator and an integrated NFC antenna for digital interactions.
- **ESP32 Desktop Pet Kilo-Byte** (*In Progress*) A **portable AI-driven robotic pet** that interacts with users and runs on an ESP32.
- **12V to 220V DC-AC Inverter** A **400W compact inverter** using an NE555 and dual integrator for sine wave conversion.
- Magnetic Levitator (in progress) A contactless levitation system using electromagnetic fields for floating objects in mid-air.
- Wireless Communication Demo using Coherer Effect A historical experiment-based project demonstrating early wireless signal reception for educational purposes.

Skills & Abilities

Technical Skills

Embedded Systems & Microcontrollers – ESP32, Arduino, ATmega, STM32.

PCB Design & Circuit Debugging – KiCad, EasyEDA (previously), Altium (familiar).

IoT & Wireless Communication – Wi-Fi, NFC, GPS, RF modules, Coherer effect experiments.

Hardware Development – SMD soldering, circuit prototyping, power electronics.

Drone Technology – NSQF-certified; FPV, surveillance, and special-category drones.

Power Electronics – DC-AC inverters, battery management systems, MOSFET switching.

3D Printing & Enclosure Design – CAD modelling for electronic enclosures.

Soft Skills

Problem-Solving & Debugging – Efficient troubleshooting of circuits & embedded systems **Technical Documentation** – Creating open-source documentation & project repositories **Public Speaking & Mentoring** – Conducted IEEE PES workshops on PCB design & wireless communication

Project Management – Designing, planning, and executing hardware & embedded projects **Creativity & Innovation** – Passionate about assistive tech & experimental engineering

Achievements

- Mini project got selected as a hardware project exhibit for Keraleeyam 2023 for KTU university stall
- Secured silver prize under best hardware project in IIT PALAKKAD, Techfest organized by KSCSTE

Languages Known

- Malayalam (native)
- English (Professional Proficiency)
- Hindi(beginner)

Links

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GitHub: nithinmathewjoji (Nithin Mathew Joji)

Portfolio: https://nithinmathewjoji.github.io/portfolio-new/