# **Preston Peranich**

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## **Education**

Mississippi State University, Mississippi State, MS

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering. Overall GPA: 4.0

Anticipated Graduation: May 2019

- Study Abroad in France: Summer 2016
- President's List Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, and Spring 2018

Pensacola State College, Pensacola, FL General Studies. Overall GPA: 4.0 Attended Fall 2013-Spring 2015

#### **Experience**

System Test Intern. FreeWave Technologies. (Boulder, CO): May 2018-August 2018

- Developed and executed device network and system testing for radio products.
- Automated tests with Python scripts and unit test framework.
- Contributed to Continuous Integration pipeline, allowing for fast feedback on firmware releases.
- Visualized test data with Splunk to enhance comprehension of results.

## Avionics Intern (G500/G600 Program). Gulfstream Aerospace.

(Savannah, GA): May 2017-August 2017

- Performed Integrated Test Procedures and resolved problem reports.
- Released documents to reach team milestones, e.g., integrated test procedures, compliance reports, system requirements documents, etc.
- Wrote Kinds of Operations reports for many avionic systems. Coordinated with engineers and test pilots to ensure compliance was met.

# **Undergraduate Research Assistant**. Center for Advanced Vehicular Systems (CAVS)

(Mississippi State, MS): Fall 2016-current

- Researched a platform to produce signals for a high-power density three phase voltage source inverter with grid-tie capability. Worked with colleagues to create robust switching algorithm and GUI interface for Ti MCU.
- Programmed remote control commands for semi-autonomous/collision avoidant vehicle via controller and python script.

# Assistant/Shop Technician. IBS/HAWK SCADA (Starkville, MS): February 2016-May 2016

- Assisted the front office with customer support and parts ordering.
- Soldered and quality tested circuit boards to be deployed for field use.

**Skills** 

Python, C, C++, Microcontrollers, Test Development, MATLAB, Embedded Systems, Soldering

## **Activities**

House Attendant at Kappa Delta Sorority (Starkville, MS): January 2018-current

• Maintained responsibility for assisting House Cooks with daily duties on weekday meals.

Vice Chair of Service of Honors Council at Mississippi State: Fall 2016-Spring 2018

- Lead subcommittee and plan service events for Honors College Students
- Planned Spring 2017 joint service event between MSU and UA honors colleges

Member of Ecocar 3 team at Mississippi State: Spring 2016-Fall 2016

Assisted Controls sub-team with code review/additions