# Christopher Liow

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# **EDUCATION**

#### **PURDUE UNIVERSITY**

COMPUTER ENGINEERING West Lafayette, IN

#### BS IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

College of Engineering First Year Engineering Honors Program

### **CENTRAL BUCKS EAST HS**

Doylestown, PA Graduated Summa Cum Laude SAT: 2270/2400

## COURSEWORK

#### **SOFTWARE**

Object Oriented Programming Software Engineering Tools Lab Data Structures Programming in Python Advanced C Programming Compilers and Translation Systems

## **HARDWARE**

ASIC Design

Microcontroller Design/Interfacing Digital Computer Design & Prototyping Electronic Circuit Analysis & Design ECE Senior Design

# **SKILLS**

#### **PROGRAMMING**

Experienced:

Python • Java • C# • C • Verilog • Oracle SQL • HTML/CSS/JavaScript Familiar:

BASH • C++ • JQuery • AngularJS •

#### **TOOLS/APPLICATIONS**

Visual Studio • SQL Developer • Eclipse • ModelSIM • MATLAB

#### **DATABASE**

PL/SQL • MySQL • Oracle

#### **OPERATING SYSTEMS**

Windows • Unix/Linux

# LINKS

Github: github.com/purdoo HackerRank: hackerrank.com/chrisliow LinkedIn: linkedin.com/in/cliow

## WORK FXPFRIFNCE

## **CLARITY PARTNERS LLC.** | Associate Software Engineer

May 2015 - present | Chicago, IL

- Develop public-facing applications for access and use of police resources.
- Create and deploy custom Nuget packages containing custom Bootstrap, WebGrid, and Form Validation extension methods for company use.
- Participate in the development of internal applications (in C#) for clients
- Write scheduled scripts that compare/merge/edit databases.
- Use ASP.NET MVC with EF, work with C#, HTML/CSS/JS, and Oracle SQL.

#### **DELPHI** | SOFTWARE ENGINEERING AND DESIGN INTERN

May 2014 - Mar. 2015 | Kokomo, IN

- Implemented new features for data logging applications in C# and Python
- Developed original message tracking/logging algorithm, drastically improved speed and increased message rate 10x
- Wrote extensions to allow users to open/edit databases in variety of formats
- Organize and handle bugs and issues reported from users, continuously update software to meet client needs.

## PURDUE LIBRARIES | WORKSTATION SUPPORT TECHNICIAN

May 2013 - Jan. 2014 | West Lafayette, IN

- Provided technical support for staff and faculty of Purdue Libraries
- Co-authored internal and external customer knowledgebase, as well as composing and editing operational documentation of processes and networks
- Worked independently and on small teams to solve technical issues that arise

## DESIGN/PROJECT EXPERIENCE

## TRADING INDICATOR MODELING PROJECT

Python library that calculates and models popular trading indicators

- Determines indicators such as RSI, MACD, Bollinger Bands, etc.
- Provides flexible plotting/graphing functionality of data for users
- Uses pandas and NumPy for data management, matplotlib for modeling, and Quandl's API for retrieving data

#### **MULTICORE PROCESSOR**

Designed a multicore processor capable of handling the MIPS instruction set

- Pipelined to handle hazards from instructions, components, and memory as well as the ability to handle up to 5 instructions 'in flight'.
- Utilizes cache coherence to operate efficiently with multiple processors
- Written with Verilog, created custom testing environment with Python

#### **DVI IMAGE PROCESSING ASIC**

Dynamic image-adjustment ASIC capable of color correction

- ASIC design of Daltonization color-correction for color blind users
- Interfaces a Xilinx TMDS Decoder(DVI), Encoder logic included in design

# HONORS/AWARDS

- 2015 Barrett Robinson Design Award
- 2012 Purdue First Year Engineering Honors Program
- 2012 Recipient of AT&T Foundation Scholarship
- 2011 Recipient of Purdue Presidential Scholarship (4 year scholarship)