Software Engineer, Linux System Programmer Vienna, Austria

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Experience

Software Engineer

LOYTEC electronics GmbH

Jan 2024 - Present

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- Maintenance and expansion of an existing Buildroot/Linux environment.
- Development of new functions and modules at the operating system level.
- Software-side support for the hardware department in evaluating and commissioning new hardware.

Software Engineer, Intern

Google Summer of Code

June 2022 - Oct 2022

Link: GitHub | Read More: Portfolio

- Added ≈10,000 lines of production-ready code written in C language and bash script.
- Ported 12 **eBPF** performance tools to the PCP framework.
- Built a framework to extend Htop columns by 75%, allowing for seamless integration of various performance metrics by implementing a feature called *Dynamic Screens*.

Open-Source Contributor

Linux Kernel | Htop | PCP

Feb 2021 - Present

Links: *Linux Kernel* | *Htop* | *PCP*

- Contributed to the Linux kernel development by submitting patches to **the kernel** to resolve memory leaks.
- Designed several successful new features requiring in-depth **research** on unfamiliar topics before coding.
- Implementing the *Dynamic Columns* and *Dynamic Meters* features resulted in an 80% improvement in overall *pcp-htop* system efficiency.

Projects

Linux kernel modules

Nov 2021 – Jun 2021

Link: GitHub | Read More: Portfolio

- 80+ Linux kernel modules written while working through the *LKMC* repository and the *LDD3* book.
- Learning how to use kernel APIs helped me acquire practical **operating system** and **low-level** knowledge.

Skills: linux kernel API and subsystems; System programming; C; GNU Make

SimOS Mar 2020 - Jan 2021

Link: GitHub | Read More: Portfolio

- Tiny operating system was written using pure **assembly** code only while working through osdev.org.
- Gained a deep knowledge of computer system architecture and design.

Skills: assembly language; system architecture; kernel development; low-level programming

Education

Giza, EG Misr University

Oct 2019 – Aug 2022

B.S. in Computer Science. Misr University for Science and Technology – CGPA 2.75 / 4 – major GPA: 3 / 4

Awards

- Added as a Maintainer for *Performance Co-Pilot* Organization: because of the proven track record of past open-source contributions: https://github.com/performancecopilot.
- Recognized as a Top "Tested-by" Contributor to Linux Kernel 5.16: https://lwn.net/Articles/880699.

Skills

C language (Advanced); Python; Linux; Docker; Git; Linux kernel; System programming;