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#### **Education**

# Bachelor of Engineering, Computer Engineering, Minor: Biomedical Engineering McGill University, Montreal, QC

Sept13 - Dec17 (Expected)

GPA: 3.62/4

Member of the Golden Key International Honour Society (Top 15% of my class)

#### **Awards**

- Top 10 hacks & Best Application of Analytics Award by Mnubo (Drive Safe project, Wearhacks 2015)
- 4<sup>th</sup> place Microsoft coding competition (Algorithms) (McGill University, 2015)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place European Rover Challenge Competition (McGill Robotics, 2015)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place static judging & Best Branding Award AUVSI competition (McGill Robotics, 2014)

### **Internships**

# Avionics Systems Intern, Engineering Vehicle Simulation Team

May16 – Present

# CAE (Canadian Aviation Electronics), Ville St-Laurent, QC

- Worked on debugging the virtual simulators of 2 business jets (Embraer's Phenom 100 and Phenom 300)
- Used several tools like Wireshark to trace packets sent via HSDB and other internal tools which monitor the several layers linking the content of the packets to the common database. Modifying the C++ code accordingly.
- Working in a fast paced Agile Scrum environment to deliver the project on time.

# Software Developer Intern, High Performance Computing Lab George Washington University, Washington D.C., USA

July15 - Aug15

- Ported and optimized benchmarks from C and openMP to Chapel (Sorting and NQueens)
- Tested the time performance of the program in these 2 languages on one of their Linux servers via SSH

### Software Developer Intern, Shared Reality Lab

## McGill University, Montreal, QC

May14 – July14

- Worked with a team of researchers on a sociology project to connect 2 rooms auditorily.
- Designed a simple GUI in Java that allows the users to have certain control over the quality of information conveyed to the other end by analyzing and manipulating real time audio data from the microphone.

### **Projects**

# SONO, BIAPT Lab

Sept16 - Present

#### McGill University, Montreal, QC

- Building an iOS application that collects, displays and uploads physiological signals from a wristband to a server.
- Using this data to classify emotions through machine learning.
- Transforming the physiological signals to music (biomusic) in real time.

# Software Division Member, Mars Rover, McGill Robotics McGill University, Montreal, QC

**Sept**14 – **Dec**15

- 2014: Established the RS485 communications protocol using C and Arduino. The system governs communication over the driver system, arm, servo, battery controllers and end effectors
- 2015: Member of the arm section. Creating the arm's model using URDF and SRDF files
- Using ROS and C++ to provide functionality to the arm by computing FK and IK equations using Movelt Library

### **Drive Safe project (Team of 4)**

#### WearHacks competition, Montreal, QC

**Oct**15

- Designed a product that uses the Muse headband, pebble watch and android phone to monitor the brain activity
  of truck drivers (through EEG signals and Muse's accelerometer data) and alert them in times of sleepiness.
- The data collected is stored in a database to build a complete profile of each driver.

# Project Manager, Design Project Team McGill University, Montreal, QC

Feb15 - Apr15

- Managed and participated in constructing and autonomous robot using Java and Lego Mindstorms.
- Designed and implemented the algorithms for the light sensor localization and odometry correction.
- Gave weekly presentations to clients (professors) and produced highly valuable and descriptive documentation.
- The robot was capable of navigating while avoiding obstacles and shooting ping pong balls on several targets.

Skills

Technical Skills: Java, C, Swift, LabVIEW, VHDL, Chapel, HTML, CSS, JavaScript and Assembly

Spoken Languages: English, French, Arabic, Spanish