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PROFILE

Passionate about software engineering in LabVIEW.
9 years of experience developing Command and Control Ground Software.
11 years of experience in the aerospace industry.
Effective team leader, teacher, and mentor with a genuine concern for people.

EXPERIENCE

Summer 2005-Present

Orbital Sciences Corporation, Gilbert, AZ

Principal Software Engineer

Contributed to the testing and on-orbit checkout of Landsat 8, GeoEye-1, and C/NOFS satellites. Responsibilities included leading a team in the development of Command and Control GSW feature development for I&T and Mission Operations, spacecraft and simulator test scripts, and database engineer for the Command and Telemetry database.

Developing RF functional tests and TVAC chamber software enhancements for Iridium NEXT communication satellites.

Contributing to design decisions for ICESat-2 I&T ground software, database, and test scripts. Mentoring new engineers on the GSW team.

Provided Linux support for Integration & Test of the OCO-2 science satellite.

Spring 2004-Summer 2005

StarVision Technologies, College Station, TX

Software Engineer, Charter Member

Software and hardware development of a robotic mobile platform used in the testing and demonstration of an experimental navigation sensor system designed for Autonomous Aerial Refueling of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles.

Software development of a handheld commercial star identification product based on star tracker technology.

Ported novel surface mapping algorithms written in Matlab into C to support real-time embedded applications.

Fall 2003

Spacecraft Technology Center, College Station, TX

Software Engineer

Software development of a high resolution camera system to be used on the International Space Station. Prototyped all software subsystems and interfaces including the EXPRESS Rack Interface Controller, camera, digital data recorder, crew interface panel, and controller. Created an API to abstract the communication protocol and payload functionality to simplify development of the Ground Support Equipment software.

Summer 2000, 2003

National Instruments (NI), Austin, TX

Internship – Research and Development

Prototyped hardware and software to integrate a DSP into an existing NI FPGA product to add floating point processing capabilities.

Developed a prototype cross compiler from G to Lego Assembly to natively support Lego Mindstorm programming from NI LabVIEW. This has since developed into the software package included in Lego's Mindstorm NXT robotics kit.

Developed an automated testing system used in the production testing of PXI systems and to verify cross-product compatibility between NI's PXI products.

Summer 2001

Advanced Energy Industries, Fort Collins, CO

Internship – Research and Development

Developed the hardware and software for a distributed I/O device used in the automated testing of semiconductor manufacturing power supplies. This device provides Modbus/TCP control of analog I/O, digital I/O, relays, and digital potentiometers.

Spring 2001-Fall 2002

Enable Communications, Bryan, TX

Engineer, Co-Founder

Startup technology company focused on consumer telephony and VOIP peripherals. Awarded support from the Bryan/College Station Economic Development Center's technology incubator.

Fall 1999-Spring 2003

Department of Engineering Technology and Industrial Distribution, Texas A&M *Graduate Assistant Researcher*

Development of a low-cost semiconductor tester designed to run in parallel with large ATEs to improve semiconductor-testing efficiency.
Development of an experimental sobriety tester using an HP iPAQ.

Graduate Assistant Teacher – Introduction to Electronics Technology

Instructor for an introductory electronics course teaching software tools (LabVIEW, Altera Max+Plus II, Cadence OrCAD) and fundamental electronics.

Student Technician II – Automation Laboratory

Developed an electrical arc emulator used in the development of intelligent power supplies for semiconductor manufacturing.
Developed the firmware for a commercial closed-loop pressure control device.

LANGUAGES

LabVIEW, PERL, C++, Java, Visual Basic, Motorola assembly, ASP, HTML, JavaScript, SQL, XML

EDUCATION

Fall 2003

Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

Master of Science in Management Information Systems, Enterprise Development
GPA Overall: 4.0

Fall 2001

Bachelor of Science in Electronics Engineering Technology
GPA Overall: 3.442 GPA in Major: 3.875

HONORS

Fall 2013

SPOT Award, Orbital Sciences – Responsive support for Landsat-8 data analysis

Fall 2011

Special Award, Orbital Sciences – Technical achievement for Landsat-8 hotbench

Spring 2011

Red Box Reward, Orbital Sciences – Exceptional teamwork and innovation

Summer 2009

Star Award, General Dynamics AIS

Spring 2007

Certificate of Excellence, General Dynamics AIS

Fall 2005

Silver Eagle Award, General Dynamics C4S

Fall 2005

Department of the Year, Ground Software, General Dynamics C4S - SASS

Fall 2001

Outstanding Senior Award, Electronics Engineering Technology

Spring 1998-Spring 1999

Texas A&M University Dwight Look College of Engineering Distinguished Student Award

Spring 1997

Valedictorian, Bandera High School

ORGANIZATIONS

Spring 2013-Present

Sonesta Estates HOA Vice President

Spring 2010-Present

Advanced Phoenix LabVIEW User Group (PLUG+), Coordinator

Fall 2004, 2008-2010

First Lego League – Robotics competition, Judge and Mentor

Fall 2001-Fall 2003

Aggie Lutherans – Campus ministry, Vice President 2002

Fall 1999-Fall 2001

Tau Alpha Pi – Engineering Technology National Honor Society, President 2000

Fall 1997-Spring 2005

Young Adult Resource Persons (YARPs) – Youth ministry, Coordinator 2003-2005