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SUMMARY

Multilingual graduate electrical engineering student looking for opportunities in **robot sensing**, **distributed robotics** and **robot motion planning**. Open for **Summer 2020**.

EXPERIENCE

Wisconsin Hybrid SAE Vehicle Team, UW-Madison

Controls and Electrical Team Lead

Dec 2016 - May 2018

- Converted a stock 2009 Ford Escape into an electric vehicle with 35-mile range, in under 4 months.
- Developed motor control code for driving and regenerative braking; performed high-voltage wiring, built and troubleshot vehicle wiring-harness, and integrated power electronics.
- · Managed student team to integrate a small ethanol engine into our electric vehicle to achieve a range-extended hybrid.
- Worked with Simulink, MotoHawk, MotoTune, CANoe, CANdb++ and other Woodward and Vector development tools and software.
- Planned, designed, built, wired and wrote code for a dynamometer over summer.

■ Team Member Sep 2014 – May 2018

- Integrated temperature control sensors onto the standard SAE J1939 vehicle bus.
- Assisted in the implementation of a load dump and high-voltage battery.
- · Successfully debugged and resolved issue with battery voltage sags shutting down electric motor.

Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering, UW-Madison

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Sep 2017 – Dec 2017

- Assisted Professor Barry Van Veen in teaching ECE 203 Signals, Information, and Computation.
- Supervised lab assignments. Validated questions.

Division of Information Technology (DoIT), UW-Madison

■ Help Desk Agent

May 2015 - Jul 2016

- Successfully resolved technical issues with 80 university members every week, while working 15 hours/week.
- Recognized by grateful callers for going above and beyond my responsibilities.

EDUCATION

University of California-San Diego, San Diego, California, USA

M.Sc. Electrical Engineering

2019 – Present

Focus: Intelligent Systems, Robotics & Control

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin, USA

B.Sc. Electrical Engineering and Mathematics

2014 - 2018

• Cumulative GPA: 3.4 / 4.0

Awards and Honors

• Dean's Honor List, UW-Madison

2014 - 2017

• AMCHAM-MACEE 2014 Scholarship, American Chamber of Commerce

2014 - 2018

ADVANCED COURSEWORK

UCSD (Expected): Sensing & Estimation, Planning/Learning, Neural Networks, Autonomous Driving Systems

UW-Madison: Robotics, Machine Learning, Image Processing, Optimization, Artificial Intelligence

PROJECTS

- Dancing Robot: Built a dancing robot arm with a robotic arm, programmed in Robot Operating System (ROS) and Python on a Raspberry Pi. Video demo available here.
- MLSP 2014 Schizophrenia Classification Kaggle Challenge: Built a schizophrenia classifier in MATLAB. PCA, LDA and clustering techniques were employed under a serious time-constraint. Code and write-up available here.
- **Brush Stroke Classification:** Wrote a **Mathematica** image processing routine to **classify** Van Gogh's brush strokes in his lesser known sketches that experts have trouble with.
- **Stop Sign Detection:** Coded a **Mathematica** image processing routine that would **detect stop signs** in a class-provided dataset with 98% accuracy. **Placed Silver in class competition.** Code and write-up available **here**.
- **Tesla's Positioning Problem:** Modeled the problem of Tesla's charging infrastructure, and found an **optimal solution** that would **minimize costs** while spreading out the stations according to usage statistics, travel time, and while **minimize waiting times** at the stations. Developed in **Julia**; hosted **here**.
- PCB Business Card: Designed, built, tested and debugged a PCB business card in Altium Designer, programmed a Cortex-M4 in C++ to control LEDs and a buzzer, and read touch input to make the system interactive. Utilized JTAG debuggers.

- MicroMarioBros: Programmed Cortex-M4s in C and ARM assembly to play Super Mario Bros. World 1-1, complete with music. Implemented drivers for SPI, I2C, UART and PWM. Project involved use of PWM, timers, interrupts, EEPROM, and a touchscreen LCD. Code and write-up available here.
- **DIY Guitar Pedal Board:** Programmed a TI DSP+ARM board in **C** to implement **real-time audio signal processing** algorithms. Programmed board with **tremolo, flanging and chorus sound effects**. Also implemented **FIR and IIR digital filters in C**, as well as **frame-based DSP**. Implemented the FFT through **TI's DSPLIB**.

SKILLS

MATLAB/Simulink, C/C++, Robot Operating System (ROS), Python, Git, Altium Designer, Altera Quartus II, SPICE, Bash, Java, ARM Assembly, Julia, Mathematica, Woodward MotoHawk, Woodward MotoTune, Vector CANoe, Vector CANdb++