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EDUCATION

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO

B.S. PHYSICS

2019 | Chicago, Illinois

Minor in Computer Science

Minor in Math

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING

Python • Labview • Matlab

C++ • Mathematica • Javascript •

HTML/CSS • \LaTeX

APPLICATIONS

Comsol Multiphysics • Solidworks • Matlab •

LTspice • Labview • AutoDesk Eagle •

Anaconda Spyder • Onshape • Front Panel

Express

Familiar with:

• Git • Tableau • OriginLab • Trello • Excel •

Github

HARDWARE

DAQs • Source Meter • Oscilloscope

Function Generators • Lasers • PXI • NI

FGEN • Position Detectors • Spectrometer •

MKS flowmeter • Raspberry Pi • ESP32

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Object Oriented Programming • Data

Structures • Electronics • E&M • Optics •

ODE's • Physical Design and

Fabrication • Multi-variable Calc. • Quantum

Mechanics

INTERESTS/HOBBIES

Drones • Raspberry Pi • Front-End Web

Design • Hiking • Machine Learning •

Biking • 3D printing • Embedded Systems •

Pizza Making

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

CONTROLS ENGINEER | [Materials Development Inc](#)

2020-Present | Evanston, IL

- Designed an acoustic control algorithm for a multi-I/O system that utilizes frequency modulation and phase tracking to dampen sample motion using labview and c code.
- Refactored legacy code by using an object oriented design pattern driven by a custom consumer demand.
- Created python scripts to expedite data analysis using pandas, numpy, and scipy libraries. Used digital signal processing libraries to compare gain of control variables.
- Designed custom PCB boards and tested/debugged passive circuits using oscilloscopes and multimeters
- Experience with various measurement and control devices such as CO2/YAG Lasers, mks gas controllers, vaccum pumps, and servo motors. Familiar with RS232, TCP, serial communication, and National Instruments DAQs.
- Implemented iterative development model and provided on-going customer service with software updates.
- Used Git command line and Github for version control of software.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT | [Materials Development Inc](#)

2019-2020 | Evanston, IL

- Automated electrical testing of high voltage ultrasonic transducers using usb oscilloscope and labview. Used fourier analysis to determine optimal transducers for commercial use.
- Ran molecular dynamics simulations to compare against experimental data. Made bash shell scripts to automate simulation and data collection.

TEST ENGINEER INTERN | [Knowles Electronics and Audio](#)

2018 | Itasca, IL

- Created and designed acoustical cavities to test physical properties of microphones using Comsol and Solidworks. Analyzed data and gave analysis using python scripts.
- Measured acoustical and electrical properties of receivers(microphones) relative to reference microphone. Created a spice model to compare against. .

TEACHING ASSISTANT | LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO

2018 | Chicago, IL

- Assisted Students in developing and executing programs /code in Labview, Matlab, Solidworks, and LaTeX.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT | LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO

2016 – 2019 | Chicago, IL

- Developed introductory physics laboratory experiment to determine Young's Modulus of music wire using a guitar and a cellular phone. Method presented at national AAPT conference and published in the *Physics Teacher*.

RESEARCH | FIRST YEAR RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2016 – 2017 | Chicago, IL

- Student researcher for the REAL project(Renewable Energy At Loyola), a project to find the feasibility of having a wind turbine on campus.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY

2019 Regis Dougherty Memorial Award for Excellence in Research

2019 Sigma Pi Sigma (physics honors)

2019 Loyola Darkwing Ultimate Frisbee

2015-18 Physics Club

2016-17 Volunteer Tutor, Immanuel Lutheran Church