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EDUCATION

Duke University - Durham, NC

Class of 2017

- · Majors in Electrical & Computer Engineering, Computer Science
- · Overall GPA: 3.981
- · Dean's List with Distinction: Fall 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015

University College London - London, United Kingdom

Fall 2015

· Affiliate student in Computer Science

Fairfield Ludlowe High School - Fairfield, CT

Class of 2013

- · Overall GPA: 4.5934
- · Valedictorian

EXPERIENCE

Cisco Systems

May 2015-July 2015

Software Engineering Intern

Raleigh, NC

· Worked with Unified Communication Manager team, especially on the build pipeline. Wrote automated test scripts, created tool to better integrate Jenkins CI and Gerrit code review, made scripts for Cisco's Spark APIs, and developed custom Jenkins plugins including an original one for Spark messaging.

Duke University

August 2014-May 2015

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Durham, NC

Laboratory/recitation leader and grader for EGR 103L: Computational Methods in Engineering (Fall 2014), CS 250: Computer Architecture (Spring 2015), and ECE 110L: Introduction to ECE (Spring 2015).

Duke Center for Metamaterials and Integrated Plasmonics

March 2014 - December 2014

Programmer and Research Assistant

Durham, NC

· Researched metamaterial apertures and compressive imaging for use in security scanners under Professor David Smith. Designed MATLAB-Arduino communication system to power RF transmitter.

Boston University Department of Physics

Summer 2012

Research Intern

Boston, MA

· Performed research in X-Ray Diffraction Laboratory, which included studying stress development and nanostructure formation during ion bombardment of silicon.

ACTIVITIES & PROJECTS

Duke Electric Vehicles

2013-Present

Battery/Electronics Team Member

Help design and test motorcontroller and battery management system to run a brushless DC motor for Duke's allelectric car team and Shell Eco-marathon race in May. Won 2nd place in the 2015 competition.

Delta Tau Delta Fraternity

2014-Present

Webmaster, Academic Chair

Designed and developed new chapter website, www.dukedelts.com, with backend support for a brothers-only page and with a homepage customizable by the executive board. Also in charge of advancing the academic success of the chapter through educational programming.

Duke Engineers for International Development

2013-2014

El Salvador Team

· Part of design team of clean water system for La Estancia, El Salvador. Traveled with team in Summer 2014 to install water tank, piping and filtration system to provide the community with clean, running water.

SKILLS

Programming Languages

Java, C, Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, MATLAB, Verilog

Technical Skills Spoken Languages ETFX, microcontrollers, web development (Django), Jenkins CI, agile methodology

English (native), Spanish (advanced proficiency)

PERSONAL