Jing-Chen Peng

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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN

STUDYING COMPUTER SCIENCE AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

BS May 2022 | Urbana, IL Grainger College of Engineering Dean's List GPA: 4.0 / 4.0

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING

Python C++ C Java Bash Matlab

CAD/CAE

Solidworks Autodesk Inventor Creo ANSYS

COURSEWORK

UNDERGRADUATE

Data Structures Computer Architecture Linear Algebra Numerical Methods Multivariable Calculus Introductory Differential Equations

AWARDS

Tau Beta Pi - Illinois Alpha chapter

Dean's List - Fall 2019, Spring 2019

Illinois Engineering Achievement Scholarship

UIUC PULSE coding competition - 2nd place

EXPERIENCE

IBM | BACKEND DEVELOPER INTERN

Summer 2020 - Current

- Work with Jenkins pipelines and shell script to automate performance tests
- Wrote and updated scripts in Python, Groovy, and shell script
- Worked with the OpenShift container platform

UNDERGRADUATE COURSE ASSISTANT

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Spring 2020 - Current

- Help students learn basic computer architecture concepts in office hours
- Work on developing the course final project

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Winter 2020 - Spring 2020 | Python

- Wrote code to generate Burger's equation problems and solve them
- Used a neural network (PyTorch) to predict if the solver would crash

FINISAR | MECHANICAL DESIGN INTERN

Summer 2019 | Fremont, CA

- Used ANSYS Mechanical to perform analyses of fiber optic transciever modules under static, dynamic, and thermal loads
- Wrote python scripts to improve automation and result post-processing

PROJECTS

MINI MIPS COMPILER

Fall 2019 | Python/MIPS assembly

- Wrote a script to help generate MIPS assembly from "pseudo-MIPS"
- Implemented features: array syntax, saved register handling, arithmetic, imports, #define
- Used recursive descent to parse arbitrary math expressions.

AUTO COURSE PLANNER

Fall 2018 | Java

- Command-line tool for generating course schedules
- Implemented a smart brute force algorithm inspired by simulated annealing to find the local minimum of a highly nonlinear and discontinuous function
- Helped me make my four-year plan to fill all requirements from CS and ME

EXTRACURRICULARS

ILLINI FORMULA ELECTRIC | TEAM MEMBER

August 2018 to Spring 2020

- Led experiments in using latch clamping force to waterproof containers
- Optimized 4-bar linkage design by using Matlab code to find optimal pivot placements and lever lengths
- Designed new differential mount with improved adjustability