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# HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Graduated McMaster University Electrical Engineering.
- Excellent communication, and leadership skills demonstrated through projects, work experience, and extracurricular involvements.
- Proficient in reading and designing electrical schematics and wiring diagrams.
- Excellent at troubleshooting and isolating problems using troubleshooting techniques like drawing analysis.
- Experience with Tele-protection equipment gained through engineering internship.
- Experience with circuitry and logic systems gained through academic course and lab work.
- Experience with various coding languages learned through academic course work, and individual learning.
- Experience in internet communications gained through academic work.
- Experience with controllers and multiple communication protocols (CAN Bus, UART, SSI, I2C) gained through academic and work assembly, in addition to solid understanding of machine language (assembly).

## EXPERIENCE

## **Electrical Product Development & Control Engineer.**

May 2020 – Present

July 2020 – August 2021

#### Skyjack, Guelph, ON

- Worked on transitioning scissor lifts from hydraulic motors to electric motors.
- Prepared electrical drawings and schematics for internal wirings of various scissor lift models.
- Developed an application to aid in tuning the load sense system of the scissor lifts.
- Gathered sensor readings from multiple machines in a database and developed a tool to analyze all readings and predict machine behaviour using a machine learning model in python.
- Tuned and verified scissor lift CAN Bus controller by analyzing CAN Bus signals.

## **Tele-protection Engineering Intern**

Hydro one, Toronto, ON

- Prepared drawing markups and schematics for various tele protection equipment.
- Coordinated outages for stations to facilitate in servicing and out servicing equipment by ensuring redundancy and back up connections using power line schematics for area in scope (Eastern Ontario).
- Prepared equipment and station to station schematics and wiring diagrams for field workers to apply.
- Created settings for tele protection equipment, according to relevant drawings and requirements.
- Upgraded and repaired defective aspects of the company's software (cable ordering software, and circuit tracking database) using VBA.
- Worked with PLC (Power Line Carrier) systems, copper mediums (S4T4 circuits) and fiber optics to communicate protection protocols between stations.
- Conducted site visits to assess and test pre-existing and potential equipment.

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## EDUCATION

### **Bachelor of Engineering, Electrical Engineering**

September 2017- May 2022

Autodesk Inventor, AutoCAD, HMI 570,

Oscilloscopes, function generators, and

Meridian, Microsoft Visio, Arduino,

Pspice, Solid Works

multimeters

McMaster university, Hamilton, ON

- Enrolled in the 5-year Engineering with Co-op program at McMaster University.
- Relevant courses: Energy Conversion, Communication systems, Power systems, Image processing, Advanced Internet Communications and Machine Learning.

Software:

## SKILLS

#### Programming:

• Java, JavaScript, C, MATLAB, Python, VBA, Assembly, Bash

#### Laboratory:

- Soldering and wiring circuits using PCBs, breadboards, and jumpers.
- WHMIS trained

## **TECHNICAL PROJECTS**

# **3D Printed Bionic Arm (capstone)**

### Fall 2021-Winter 2022

- Awarded first place out of 200 groups for a robotic design university wide.
- Awarded first place for best use of additive manufacturing out of 50 groups faculty wide.
- Worked in a team of five members to fully design and build a prosthetic arm using (type of) technology, for trans radial amputees (amputated from elbow down).
- Designed a hand model that mimics the geometry of a real hand to give the users a real hand-like experience.
- Isolated and solved multiple problems faced during the design process leveraging troubleshooting skills.
- Used microprocessors to program the circuitry driving the arm to enable movement in the prosthetic hand.

## **Covid Detection in CT Scans Software.**

- Used python to apply image processing and machine learning models on CT scans to predict if the CT scan is Covid positive or negative.
- Used feature extraction methods to extract CT features that could indicate Covid infection.
- Used the extracted data in machine learning models, polynomial regression, and neural network.
- Achieved test accuracy of 75% and 79% for each model respectively

### Winter 2022