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## OBJECTIVE

To obtain a Master's Degree in Software Engineering enter the industrial computer science field.

## EDUCATION

Elizabeth City State University 2013-Present  
Elizabeth City, North Carolina  
Expected Graduation Date: 2017  
Major: Computer Information Science  
Minor: Mathematics  
Current GPA: 3.85

## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Adobe Dreamweaver	Java	Macintosh OSX
Adobe Photoshop	Python	Google Drive
Microsoft Word	Django Web Framework	Google Earth
Microsoft Excel	HTML	TeraScan
Microsoft PowerPoint	CSS	Github
C++	Linux	GPS

## RESEARCH

**Design and Installation of a Video Conference Solution at the Center of Excellence in Remote Sensing Education and Research at Elizabeth City State University** Spring 2016

Mentor: Mr. Carlton Lamb

Identified, Evaluated, and Implemented a video conference solution in four different locations across ECSU's campus, in order for CERSER participants to hold a conference with those across the country. The application that was found suitable was Google hangout, among skype and join.me.

### **Change Impact Analysis for Android Applications**

Summer 2015

Texas State University

Mentor: Dr. Guowei Yang

Tasked with gathering android applications that had "bugs"(errors in application that cause issues for the user's android smartphone) invoked by a specific "change" within the applications. Change could be related to the code of the application and/or library change. Two applications were picked for a case study to understand the impact of the application as a whole.

### **Documentation of Site Preparation for Installation of SeaSpace Ground Stations at ECSU**

Spring 2015

Elizabeth City State University

Mentor: Andrew Brumfield and Michael Osterhouse

Documented the installation requirements and internal processes at ECSU for SeaSpace Hardware and Software Equipment addressing; the location of engineering findings, location of installation requirements, repositioning and securing current ground stations, and proper training center needs.

**A Project Management Framework for Cloud and HPC Resource Providers** Summer 2014  
Indiana University  
Project Leaders: Gregor von Laszewski and Fugang Wang  
Explored Django Web Development Framework Platform and implementing its components such as models, views, templates, URL configuration files, using python programming language with MongoDB as a backend to the project.

**Update of CERSER TeraScan Cataloguing System TeraScan** Spring 2014  
**Image Processing Scripts**  
Elizabeth City State University  
Mentor: Jeff Wood  
Investigated updating the CERSER TeraScan Cataloguing System and the TeraScan Image Processing Script by using languages such as PHP, MySQL, HTML, Adobe Dreamweaver and using TeraScan software.

**Analyzing Charles's Law and Avogadro's Law** Summer 2013  
Elizabeth City State University  
Mentor: Mrs. Shanta Outlaw  
Conducted and presented research on two gas laws (Charles and Avogadro's laws) and showed the relationship between the laws and hydrogen fueled vehicles.

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS / AWARDS**

Center of Excellence in Remote Sensing Education and Research Scholarship(CERSER) 2013-2015  
University of North Carolina Campus Scholarship 2013-2015  
NASA Minority University Research and Education Project Scholarship(MUREP) 2015-2015  
Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation Scholar Summer 2013

#### **CONFERENCES (\*Presented)**

Association of Computer and Information Science Engineering Departments\*  
At Minority Institutions (ADMI) Conference  
G. Herb Stout Award Recipient – NC Geographic Information System (GIS) Conference\* 2015  
Co-Author IGARSS 2015 Paper Publication Summer 2015  
Black Engineer of the Year Awards (BEYA) Conference Spring 2015  
NSF Change the World Conference Fall 2013

#### **PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE**

Center of Excellence in Remote Sensing Education and Research 2014-2015  
Computer Lab Manager/Office Assistant  
Helped with aiding students in understanding of Computer software programs such as Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Dreamweaver

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Math Tutor at H.L. Trigg Alternative High School 2014

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers Geoscience and Remote Sensing Society 2014-2015