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EDUCATION

Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA

Master in Science in Computational Science and Engineering (in Civil) (GPA 3.80/4.00)

Expected May. 2025

University of Michigan at Ann Arbor

Ann Arbor, MI

Master in Science in Civil Engineering (GPA 3.89/4.00)

Jul. 2023

- Specialization in Construction Engineering and Management.
- Receipient of Tishman Fellowship, awarded to students with dedication to advancing construction technology.

University of Edinburgh

Edinburgh, United Kingdom

BEng (Hons) Civil Engineering, First-class Honours

May. 2021

KEY SKILLS

Tools: ArcGIS, AutoCAD, AutoDesk Revit, Bluebeam, Civil 3D, C++, C#, Dynamo, LiDAR, MATLAB, Navisworks, Primavera P6, ProModel, Prota, Python, SketchUp, Stroboscope, Tekla Structure, Microsoft Office Suite Certifications: Passed Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) - Civil (Jan 2025, EIT certification pending)

Relevant Experience

Full Stack Developer Intern, HackCMP, Remote

Sep. 2024 – Present

- Designed and created a crisis management platform with a responsive **Next.js** UI and **PostgreSQL** backend, enabling real-time monitoring and rapid emergency response.
- Integrated the Revit API to leverage VDC knowledge for automating structural analysis and damage assessment, creating visualizations to identify and address building component issues.

Teaching Assistant, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA

Sep. 2024 – Dec. 2024

• Taught C++ problem-solving strategies in weekly workshops for 70 students, offering individual guidance and support.

Graduate Research Assistant, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

Aug. 2022 – May 2023

- Researched the use of **smart contracts** for compliance checking in **BIM**, demonstrating a 40% reduction in compliance-related delays, with applications in the integration of phone-based **LiDAR**.
- Created and implemented five advanced simulation models to leverage the coordination of human-robot collaboration, improving productivity and worker safety in varying working models.
- Analyzed construction progress and coordination of masonry projects using simulation models, ensuring optimal safety and productivity.

Project Engineer, Panflex Sdn Bhd, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

May 2021 – May 2022

- Reviewed models and shop drawings in **Revit** and **AutoCAD**, validated designs, responded to RFIs, and performed field investigations to address construction challenges.
- Managed construction projects, ensuring on-time, on-budget completion through document control and stakeholder coordination.
- Collaborated with multidisciplinary teams to produce and review construction documents in **Revit**, ensuring seamless integration of structural, mechanical, and electrical systems.

Civil Engineer Intern, Brunsfield International Group, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

May 2020 – Aug. 2020

- Conducted structural design calculations for beams, slabs, and columns using **Microsoft Excel**, **Tekla**, and **Prota Structure**, ensuring adherence to safety and performance standards.
- Developed and reviewed detailed 2D and 3D structural drawings using AutoCAD, Revit, and Naviswork.
- Performed site investigations to evaluate existing structures and prepared engineering reports documenting findings and recommendations.

Selected Projects

Revit API Project - Automated Sheet

• Automated sheet generation and layout standardization within **Revit**, enhancing construction documentation efficiency and ensuring compliance with industry standards.

Sustainable Precast Bridge Design - IDEAS Competition Committee

• Designed a sustainable precast concrete bridge using Civil 3D and Autodesk Revit, optimizing workflow and developing a custom toll system to reduce wait times by 40%, showcasing innovative infrastructure solutions.