Leo Jaeeun Kim

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EDUCATION

University of Michigan College of Engineering Graduate School – Ann Arbor

- Master of Engineering in Electrical & Computer Engineering: Control and Autonomous System concentrate
- Research: Monocular 3D Objection Detection Using Open-Source Monocon Neural Network

Michigan State University

- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering, Minor in Computer Science
- Research: Reactive Power Support for Microgrids by Grid connected EV 52nd North American Power Symposium

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

General Motors

Control System and Software Engineer in ADAS Mission Planning group

- Led front and rear impact mitigation ring for collision avoidance systems, covering 97% of 3 million MY25 & 26 vehicles with pedestrian, collision imminent, and intersection components in a CI/CD pipeline.
- Developed vehicle trajectory estimation and object selection algorithms using MATLAB and C, reducing false braking events by 71% and improving system performance.
- Analyzed vehicle data to improve component robustness against sensor inaccuracies, using MATLAB and Python.
- Led virtual design simulation including HiL/MiL/SiL and performed system calibration and optimization.
- Integrated Camera, Radar, and Ultrasonic sensor data using Kalman Filtering, optimizing object integrity estimation.
- Created CppU regression tests and a Python-based playback tool, ensuring data consistency across core systems..
- Built data visualization tools for open-loop analysis of target selection and braking systems.
- Led ADAS Object Selection DFMEA that handle federal regulation – FMVSS and NCAP

Controller Integration Engineer in Autonomous Vehicle Control group

- Developed and optimized lane map fusion algorithms for blue line path generation and path confidence.
- Validated HIL for Advanced Driving Integration Module of Cruise robotaxi and mange issue resolution and tracking.
- Led design for the cruise enable engine control algorithm, optimizing vehicle control and performance.
- Utilized INCA and ECU software to calibrate and optimize control parameters, ensuring system reliability and performance under dynamic driving conditions. Implemented patch builds to support validation testing and rapid iteration.

Innovation Vehicle Electrical Engineer in Advanced Vehicle Development group

- Led the development of the Autonomous Innovation Vehicle door project, managing hardware integration, software development, and validation across all subcategories while leveraging DFSS methodologies to ensure robust design.
- Developed embedded systems in C for door control, incorporating auto-stop functionality, hardware failure detection, and noise reduction using MPLAB X and PIC microcontrollers.

Advanced Propulsion System Engineer in Electrification and Battery Systems group

- Responsible for BEV Prime DFMEA process to identify and mitigate potential risks in the electrified vehicle development of new electrified vehicle designs
- Designed the schematic for a Switchable Battery Disconnect Unit (SBDU) within a High Voltage (HV) architecture.

DENSO International America Inc Apprentice Engineer II in Body Electronics System group

- Developed electrical structure of 2nd generation of Body Control Module simulator and achieved 30% of cost and lead-time.
- Validated Thermal Testing of Exterior Light Module and analyzed through Vector CANalyzer.

Control System: Object Fusion, Trajectory Estimation & Testing & Simulation: HiL, MiL, SiL, CppU regression Optimization, Collision Avoidance, Vehicle Dynamics test, system calibration Software: MATLAB, Simulink, Python, C, C++ Network Protocols: CAN, LIN, Ethernet, System I/O Tools: GitHub, Git, Jenkins, JIRA, CI/CD pipelines System Engineering: DFMEA, DOORS, FIT

SKILLS

08.2022 - 02.2023

08.2022 - 05.2024

08.2017 - 05.2021

GPA 4.0

02 2023 - Present

07.2021 - 02.2022

02.2022 - 08.2022

05.2019 - 08.2019 / 01.2021 - 05.2021