JASON A. SMITH

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OBJECTIVE

To expand my experience and knowledge through a career position in the field of mechanical engineering and work to complete the requirements to become a licensed professional engineer.

EDUCATION

Sep 2005 - Sep 2011

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

Master and Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (MSME & BSME)

Degrees Simultaneously Conferred: Dec 2011 Cumulative GPA: 3.85 (MSME) & 3.17 (BSME)

CERTIFICATIONS

Jul 2009

California Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, and Geologists

Engineer in Training (EIT): No. 136943

Mar 2005

Boy Scouts of America

Eagle Scout: Troop 456 Littleton, CO

ENGINEERING PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Jun 2010 - Sep 2011

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

MASTER'S THESIS

Assessed the wind resource on land held by the university to evaluate the feasibility of constructing a wind farm to provide power to the campus.

- Used Ansys FLUENT to compute and visualize the hub height velocity profile
- Fabricated a test fixture for calibrating cup style anemometers in a wind tunnel
- Wrote a MATLAB code to filter and analyze wind data collected from multiple anemometers
- Involved extensive research of past and present CFD studies
- PDF of thesis can be downloaded at http://digitalcommons.calpoly.edu/theses/629

Sep 2009 - Jun 2010

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo SENIOR DESIGN PROJECT

Designed a device to aid veterinarians in diagnosing lameness in the legs of horses based on how the horse is distributing its weight using a custom designed 6 degree of freedom load cell.

- Involved developing engineering requirements based on customer input
- Created detailed part and assembly drawings using SolidWorks software
- Fabricated the load cell using both CNC and manual control tools
- Soldered strain gages into Wheatstone bridge circuits to interface with electronics package
- Maintained the project timeline using Microsoft Project to ensure deadlines were met
- PDF of report can be downloaded at http://digitalcommons.calpoly.edu/mesp/55

WORK EXPERIENCE

Oct 2011 – Present

Premier Security Services, Littleton, CO

LOCKSMITH'S ASSISTANT

- Install and/or repair locks on interior and exterior doors including electrified access control
- Rekey locks for inclusion in master key systems with up to three levels

Jun 2006 - Dec 2006

Ross Dress for Less, San Luis Obispo, CA

CASHIER/SALES ASSOCIATE

- Rung up customer purchases on the cash register
- Maintained the neat and organized appearance of items on the store shelves

Oct 2003 – Sep 2005

Target, Englewood, CO

CASHIER/CART ATTENDANT

- Returned carts from the parking lot to the store and helped guests with large items
- Rung up customer purchases on the cash register