

Embedded Developer

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After 3 Years as a Sys/Net Admin Self-Teaching Embedded Firmware Development

Practical

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French (5/5), English (4/5), Spanish (1/5)

Car licence, no car, can commute anywhere

Can move abroad to live close to work

Born in 1994 in Brittany, likes ASCII art

Centers of Interest


Software:

System software (daemons) 

System Libraries 

Operating System Kernel 


Driver 


RTOS, Embedded Application 

Firmware, SDK 

Hardware:


FPGAs, programmable I/O 

ASICs, making of integrated chips 

PCBs, KiCAD, reflow, soldering 

Analog:

VLSI production process 

Analog behavior of Digital Systems 

Signal Processing 

Other:

Easy to read Documentation 

Organising Team Communication 

Continuing education

2021 - now Embedded and FPGA training

Finally some time to learn! Reading books, trying on real hardware, inspired by zipcpu.com, ganssle.com, eevblog.com, libopencm3.org, avrs.fi, skarnet.org, antikernel.net...

- Building SDKs for AVR, ARM, RISC-V, 8051 and Xtensa controllers
- Driving I2C sensors, PWM servo motoros, SPI Ethernet and Radio
- Sending the code to the chips with DFU, OpenOCD, SWD/JTAG...
- Experimenting Wishbone-based circuits in Verilog and SymbiYosys
- Reading technical documentation for hardware, protocols, C standard
- PCB design and manufacturing: masking, etching, inspection, soldering

Professional experience

2018 - 2021 System and Net Admin at DIS

Small company (20 pers) with a high pace and passionated coworkers

- Maintenance of web servers and other production systems, mostly Debian
- Debugging, Diagnosing, seeking problems origin
- Linux / Web / Routers / User Infrastructure and Networks
- Communication with clients, making sure their deadlines are met
- Documentation with precious help of teammates

2017 - 2017 Short internship at Gandi.net, operating system team

Trying to understand everything they do, and not break anything as I try.

- Kanban and Agile methodologies, code reviews, technical discussions.
- Discovering operating system internals: FreeBSD+ZFS, booting process

Initial Studies

2017 - 2018 Epitech School of IT

I enjoyed a lot but not enough system programming

- C and a few x86 assembly programming
- network protocols parsing

2016 - 2017 Computer Science - University of Rennes 1

Very interesting Mathematics but quite no computer science at all

- Linear algebra, Arithmetics, Physics, Function analysis, Statistics
- Learning programming at home: shell scripts, hello world in C

2013 - 2016 Molecular Biology - University of Rennes 1

Unfinished, but interesting biology and bioinformatics studies:

- Genetics, Cell / Plant / Population / Ecosystem Biology...
- Atomistics, Statistics, BioChemistry, Laboratory practice
- Scientific methodologies: searching information, publishing research