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#### **Education**

August 2020 - June 2024

Bachelor of Science in Robotics and Digital Systems Engineering, Tecnologico de Monterrey

GPA: 96.62/100

Academic Merit Scholarship Academic Merit Award

- Design of Advanced Embedded Systems project: Self-Regulating Air Pressure System for John Deere ⊗
- Design of on-Chip Systems project: Infotainment System with Raspberry Pi and STM32F103C8T6 for Intel &
- Design with Programmable Logic project: Tic-Tac-Toe-FPGA for Intel ⊗
- Puzzlebot Autonomus Driving challenge: Puzzlebot challenge for Manchester Robotics ℰ

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms, Computational Architectures, Internet of Things, Object-Oriented Programming, Secure Networks, Robotics.

### **Professional Experience**

August 2023 – present West Lafayette, Indiana, USA

Computer Science Research Intern, Purdue University &

- Worked on developing a novel voice-based interface for Virtual Reality (VR), leveraging Large Language Models.
- Developed the virtual environment for Meta Quest 2 and 3 using Unity and C#.
- Designed and conducted a user study with 22 participants.

February 2023 — July 2023 Monterrey, Mexico Software Engineer Intern, AirDX Technologies &

- Achieved the implementation of a simulated quadrotor with a Velodyne VLP-16 Lidar and a ZED2 Stereo Camera in Gazebo, which allowed the simulation of an inspection for damage detection on an A321 aircraft using Robot Operating System (ROS), Python and Docker.
- Implemented hdl\_graph\_slam for a simulated UAV in Gazebo, using ROS Noetic, which allowed the localization and mapping of the quadrotor in relation to the aircraft.
- Instructed 2 team members in ROS, Python and Docker in 2 weeks.

## Projects

August 2022 - present

VantTec Student Group, Software Engineer and Team Leader for the Unmanned Underwater Vehicle Team &

- Coordinated a team of 7 people to design, document, and implement a state machine for a simulated Unmanned Underwater Vehicle (UUV) for the RoboSub competition, using Python, Docker, and Robot Operating System (ROS).
- Developed a 3D position estimation system in real time ℰ using OpenCV, Linear Algebra, Python, YOLOv7 & ROS to identify the 3D position of different objects recognized by a neural network.
- Implemented the aforementioned system in a Self Driving Vehicle for the identification and location of obstacles and pedestrians in real time.

June 2022 - present

SOMCIS Research Project, Working as a Project Leader and Software Engineer for the Computer Vision Team

- Reorganized the project by focusing on Social Robotics therapy and coordinated 3 teams toward the development of a prototype app.
- Led a team of 5 people to the development of an emotion recognition system using Python, OpenCV,
   Flask, and the Deepface library.

August 2020 – June 2021

**VEX U Robotics Team,** Worked as a Software Engineer for the ITESM2 Team  $\,\mathscr{D}$ 

- Developed the remote control of the robot and the autonomous routine using PID control in C++, resulting in movements with a precision of 95%.
- Instructed 10 new team members on Python & C++ programming in a month for Vex U.
- Competed in a competitive programming tournament in the Mexican Pre-national Robotics Championship 2021, achieving 1st place in the Programming Championship and the Award of Excellence.
- Reached 23rd place in the 1st Division on the Vex U In-Person Championship 2021, in Greenville, Texas.

### Skills

**Technical Skills** 

HTML, CSS, Express, Docker, ROS, ROS2, Unity, VR development, OpenCV, Pandas, Flask, Linux, Object Oriented Programming, Gazebo, SQL, Firebase, Bootstrap, Git, Embedded Systems, RTOS, Jira, NumPy, Parallel Programming, OpenMP, APIs, Communication Protocols (SPI, Serial, CAN, I2C), TensorFlow, PyTorch.

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Soft Skills

Leadership, Teamwork, Communication, Problem-Solving, Patience, Adaptability

MATLAB

JavaScript

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Python

C/C++

C#

Courses