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EDUCATION

Instituto Tecnológico de Monterrey

High School Graduate with Honors. GPA 4.0 out of 4.0

University of California San Diego

Aerospace Engineering and Computer Science. GPA 3.6 out of 4.0

Guadalajara, Mexico

Aug. 2019 - May 2022

San Diego, CA

Sep. 2022 - present

EXPERIENCE

Hack at UCI Best Beginner Hack

2024

University of California Irvine

Irvine, CA

- Developed a website hosted in Google Cloud that simplifies the process of splitting bills with multiple people.
- Implemented a Django framework and SQLite database for the website.
- Led a team of two software engineers in the back-end development of the website.

HackDavis Participant

2023

 $University\ of\ California\ Davis$

Davis, CA

- Developed a website that generates a cooking recipe based on the ingredients available.
- Implemented a React framework and Open AI's API
- Led a team of three software engineers for the back-end development of the website.

FIRST Robotics Competition

2020 and 2022

Instituto Tecnológico de Monterrey

Monterrey, Mexico

- Developed the mechanical aspects of a robot capable of multi-directional movement, picking up and throwing 15cm-diameter balls, and climbing parallel bars up to 2.5m.
- Guided new team members to enhance their understanding of robotics.
- Contributed to team organization and management to have the robot ready for competition before the deadline.

Coding, Chemistry, Math, and Physics Tutor

2019 - 2022 & 2024 - Present

University of California San Diego & Instituto Tecnológico de Monterrey

Guadaljara, Mexico; San Diego, CA

- Taught class subjects to individual students and small groups.
- Prepared students for school exams and college admission tests.
- Organized study and homework sessions for multiple students.
- Greatly increased the students' proficiency at school and helped them obtain college admission.

'Split It' Co-founder and CS Lead

2024

University of California San Diego

San Diego, CA

• Co-founder and Software Engineering lead of 'Split it', a web/app application that facilitates splitting restaurant bills between multiple customers.

PROJECTS

Radio Communication Protocol | Micropython

• Developed a 433Mhz radio receiver algorithm to handle data reception through high and low electrical signals. The algorithm is based on the Manchester code, a data transfer protocol.

Radio Receiver Micropython Library

• Developed a Micropython library that handles 433Mhz high and low electrical signals, intended for use on a Raspberry Pi Pico with a receiver module.

RaspberryPi Robot | Python

• Developed a remote-controlled robot with infrared camera using a RaspberryPi 4 microprocessor.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, C/C++, Java, JavaScript, MATLAB, Arm Assembly, HTML/CSS

Microcontrollers & Microprocessors: Raspberry Pi, Raspberry Pi Pico, Arduino

Frameworks: Django, React, React Native, SQL/MySQL, Node

Developer Tools: Linux, Git, Github, Google Cloud Platform, Visual Studio Code

Other Skills: Algorithms, Troubleshooting, Test Automation, Full Stack Development, Database, Data Visualization and Analysis, Research, Documentation, Leadership, Interpersonal Skills, Matplotlib, Pandas