# JOÃO CARTUCHO

#### Education

# CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY

Pittsburgh, PA, USA

10/2017 - 12/2017

Visiting Scholar, Machine Learning

- Introduced an algorithm in which robots know how to address their visual perception limitations: they rely on proactively asking for help from humans in the environments for labeling the surrounding objects.

## POLITECNICO DI TORINO

Torino, Italy

09/2015-08/2016

Erasmus Student, Computer Science, GPA: 26.44/30.00

- Able to develop complex data structures and ADTs (linked lists, queues, stacks, heaps, trees, hash tables and graphs) and related algorithms
- Able to evaluate algorithm complexity and improve efficiency in terms of execution time and/or memory use
- Able to solve optimization and network flow problems, using exact methods, heuristics or linear programming
- Able to develop strategies for problem solving with deep learning, pattern recognition or neural networks
- Able to develop computer vision applications

# INSTITUTO SUPERIOR TÉCNICO, LISBON

Lisbon, Portugal

09/2013-now M.S. in Aero-Space Engineering. Expected graduation date: 12, 2017

Current Master's Average (0-20): 17.44

- Able to fully develop all stages of the life-cycle of airplanes, helicopters, robotized aircrafts, spaceships and satellites, from its conception and project, to the operation and maintenance, tests and production.

### UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

PORTUGAL

National Exams (final grade 0-20):

- Mathematics A: 18.1
- Physics and Chemistry: 19.8

#### Experience

## GOOGLE SUMMER OF CODE 2017 05/2017-08/2017

Lisbon, Portugal

OpenCV Documentation Improvement Tools

- HighGui module in Java;
- Python code Tests (using Pylint);
- Java compiling Tests (using Apache Ant);
- Function/Constant/Class signatures in Python and Java;
- 15 updated tutorials (added Java and Python codes).

# GOOGLE SUMMER OF CODE 2016

Torino, Italy

05/2016-08/2016

Multi-language OpenCV Tutorials in Python, C++ and Java

- Choose Your Language Buttons;
- Tools to Enhance Usability;
- Java and Python translation of the code in C++.

# **Project Activities**

Drone Localization using EKF and CV

Lisbon, Portugal

09/2016-01/2017

Course: Autonomous Systems.

Real-time pose estimation (position + orientation) of a Drone merely with its camera. This task was achieved by using an Extended Kalman Filter (EKF) and Computer Vision with data from aerial images.

Final grade 0-20: 19 (best student in 2016/2017)

FINGERPRINT BADGING SYSTEM

Torino, Italy

02/2016-07/2016

Course: Project and Laboratory on Communication Systems.

Developing a Badging System Device using .NET Gadgeteer FEZ Spider Kit from GHI Electronics.

Final grade 0-30: 30L (excellent)

HANDWRITING DIGIT RECOGNITION

Torino, Italy

09/2015-07/2016

Course: Computer Vision.

Developing Software to recognize handwritten digits in a photo.

Final Project grade 0-5: 5 (best)

Skills

Programming Languages: C (grade 19/20), C++, C# (grade 30/30), Java (grade 30/30),

Matlab, Python, HTML, Javascript, jQuery Extra Interests: OpenCV, ROS, Solid Works

Languages: Portuguese (native), English (fluent) - Cambridge ESOL - FCE, Italian (flu-

ent), Spanish (beginner)

Volunteering and Interchanges: Finland, Greece, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal, Romania,

Turkey

#### References

#### Vincent Rabaud

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