

Fernando D. Espinosa Iñiguez

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: Python, Go, Java, C, R, MATLAB, SQL, Prolog, HTML, CSS, PHP

Frameworks/Libraries: Pandas, TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, Numpy, Matplotlib, OpenCV, SKLearn, SciPy, Networkx

Materials: Woodworking, Soldering, Circuits, Arduino, Raspberry Pi, Robotics, 3D Printing

Software: Git, Office, SOLIDWORKS, ArcGIS, WAMP, MySQL, MongoDB, Spark, Tableau, Jupyter

Theory: Data Structures & Algorithms, Signal Processing, Neural Networks (FFNN/RNN/CNN), Machine Learning, Reinforcement Learning, Computer Vision, Calculus, Linear Algebra, Differential Equations, Topology, Mechanics

Spoken Languages: Spanish (native, fluent), English (native, fluent), French (intermediate)

Project Experience (top 6 of >30)

SB Hacks 2017 (UCSB) - Modelrithm - github.com/ferdavid1/Modelrithm/ - Open-source Python library for finding the best Machine Learning algorithm for your data. Winner: Lockheed-Martin Aerospace Prize.

UChicago Midwest Trading Competition (team of 4) - Represented UC Davis and won Case 1 of the prestigious algorithmic trading competition, for making \$2 Million in simulated trading.

NASA Space Apps 2017 - Sensei (team of 2) - github.com/ferdavid1/Sensei - Raspberry Pi-powered sensory (audio and blinking light) visualization of global population density data.

DubHacks 2017 (University of Washington) - LinkOCR - github.com/ferdavid1/LinkOCR/ - Recognizing URLs from images and returning site data. Convolutional Recurrent Neural Net in PyTorch.

QuantumBlackBox - github.com/ferdavid1/QuantumBlackBox - Graphical simulation of recording of quantum spin by probability, using an Arduino-based gyroscope and Python via serial connection.

ArduPi-ECG - github.com/ferdavid1/ArduPi-ECG - Predictive Analysis (Chaotic, Regression, Wavelet, Fourier, Neural Net) of Arduino sensor heart rate signal. Includes real-time graphical display of pulse rate.

Work Experience

UC Davis Medical School, Department of Pharmacology

January 2017 – Present

Key research areas within the Department include cardiovascular and neural physiology/pharmacology.

Sato Theoretical Cardiology Lab – Robotics & Computer Modeling Intern

C++, Python models of nonlinear cardiac dynamics, run on Raspberry Pi-based circuits.

Computer Vision for calcium spark detection from myocyte images (Tensorflow).

UC Davis Center for Mind and Brain

December 2015 - Present

The CMB is a UC Davis research lab focused on various neuroscience fields and psychology.

Miller Auditory Neuroscience Lab – Software Engineering & Data Science Intern (Current)

Machine Learning for EEG & Speech Recognition (Tensorflow); Android Dev. in C, Java; Audio Analysis in Python.

Guyer Human Development Lab - Data Science Intern & Research Assistant (Alumnus)

R, Python scripting for analysis of ECG, fMRI data; Machine Learning for Speech Recognition (Google Cloud S.R.).

Janata Music and Memories Lab - Research Assistant (Alumnus)

Excel Data Analysis, Audio Engineer for studio; Recorded a singer for study tracks, mixed and mastered audio.

Education

University of California, Davis

2014-2018

Cognitive Science (Neuroscience Emphasis) - B.S.

Relevant Courses: Statistics, Neuroscience, A.I., Biology, Physics, Linear Algebra, Calculus, Diff. Equations.

Graduate-level courses: Physics (Econophysics), Deep Learning for Neuroscience with Tensorflow, Comparative Literature

Leadership and Published Papers

Programming Lead: Davis Robotics Team - Autonomous Drone, 3D Printer, MicroMouse project leads

2015 – Present

Founding Officer (Technical Director): UC Davis Data Science Association

January 2017 - Present

--Espinosa Iñiguez, F., Ko, Y. C., Bers, M. D., Sato, D., (2018, April). Machine Learning-based Detection and Analysis of Calcium Sparks. UC Davis Undergraduate Research Conference Poster. Full manuscript for journals in development.

--Anderson, M., Yazel, B., Stickle, M., Espinosa Iñiguez, F., Gutierrez, N.S., Slaney, M., Joshi, S., Miller, L. (2018, July). Towards mobile gaze-directed beamforming: a novel neuro-technology for hearing loss. 40th IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society.

--Miller, L., Kessler, A., Yazel, B., Backer, K., Anderson, M., Espinosa Iñiguez, F., Joshi, S., Corina, D. (2018, February). Rapid, Simultaneous EEG Assay of the Speech Processing Hierarchy, from Brainstem to Cognition: New Approaches to Improve Real-World Comprehension. ARO 41st Midwinter Meeting.