# Josue N. Rivera

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#### **EDUCATION**

Master of Science | University of Massachusetts Dartmouth - Dartmouth, MA

May 2020

- o Concentration: Computer Science
- o Courses Taken or Taking: Algorithms and Complexity;
- o Courses Expected: Theoretical Computer Science; Advanced Computer Systems; Advance Data Mining.

## Bachelor | University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

December 2019

- o Major: Computer Science | GPA: 3.95
- Honors, Leaderships and Awards: Endeavor Scholar; Newman Fellow; Chancellor's list; Commonwealth Honors Student; 29 Who Shine Award Recipient; University Civic Engagement Award;
- Courses Taken or Taking: Object-Oriented Programming; Procedural Programming; Computer System;
   Computer Organization and Design; Software Specification and Design; Algorithm and Data Structures;
   Design of Operating System; Empirical Methods for Computer Science; Model of Computation; Social and Ethical Aspects of Computer Science; Database Systems; Parallel & Distributed Computing;
   Calculus; Discrete Structures; Probability; Linear Algebra;

Lawrence High School Diploma | Math, Science and Technology High School

June 2016

o Honors, Leaderships and Awards: Valedictorian; L'Pin award recipient;

#### TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

## Senior Design Project | 3D Geometry Foot

 Designed an algorithm that can reconstruct 3D models of people feet from images and find their measurements

**Research** | Convolutional Neural Network and its Ability to Reproduce 3D Models

o Researching ways of applying CNN in the reconstruction of 3D models

## Research | Hopfield Neural Network Implementation for Recovering Bitmaps

o Developed a web application that can be used to test the capacity of bitmaps recovery by HNNs

## Video Game Development | Runner-Z

o Designed a video game for the Intellivision console of 1979

## Python Library Development | CleverAI

o Currently constructing a python Neural Network library

## PerkinsHack "Privacy, Please!" Winning Project | EZForm

O A text reader for images with textual context that allows blind individuals to fill out forms in private **Portfolio Site** | https://josuenrivera.site

o Built a personal website to showcase my current and past projects

#### TECHINICAL SKILL

## Programming Languages, Libraries and Frameworks:

- Fluent: Python; C; Java; HTML; CSS; JavaScript; Node.js; Basic; SQL; Git; JSON; XML; OpenCV; TensorFlow; Keras;
- o Familiar: C++; PHP; jQuery; Bootstrap; Tizen;

## Software:

- o Fluent: Blender 3D; Arduino; Photoshop; Microsoft Office 365;
- o Familiar: Android Studio; Tizen Studio; Unity 3D; Resolve; SolidWorks;

## Languages:

o Fluent: Spanish; English;

## Others:

o Fluent: Scrum; Agile Development; UML; Unit Testing;

o Familiar: Integration Testing;

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Researcher** | University of Texas at Dallas

May 2019 - Present

o Conduct research on software safety and reliability

Research Assistant | UMass Dartmouth

September 2017 – Present

o Work as a research assistant for professor Dr. Maoyuan Sun

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Treasurer | UMass Dartmouth Big Data Club

September 2018 – Present

o The club focuses on building models to understand trends in large amount of data

President | UMass Dartmouth Animation Club

September 2017 – Present

o In charge of leading the club and bringing out the best of animation

**Delegate** | UMass Dartmouth Model United Nations

September 2017 - Present

o Discuss global issues and possible solutions at the NMUN conference in New York City

UMass Dartmouth Representative | Leduc Center for Civic Engagement

September 2017 – Present

o Member of the Community Advisory Board

Chair | UMass Dartmouth Gaming Society

January 2018 - May 2019

o Chair of the Anime Club

Member of the executive board

**Senator** | UMass Dartmouth Student Government Association

September 2017 – May 2019

o Civic Engagement Committee Chair (2017 - Present)

o Senator for Class of 2020 (2017-2018), Senator for the College of Engineering (2018-2019)

## CIVIC ENGAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

CIS Mentor | CIS Dept. UMass Dartmouth – Dartmouth, MA

January 2019 - Present

o Mentor various computer science courses at the university

Leduc Leader | Leduc Center for Civic Engagement

September 2016 – Present

o Conduct and lead community service events that gets college students involve in their community

Volunteer | Food Pantry: Arnie's Cupboard

September 2016 – Present

o Help provide food to students, staff, faculty and community members in need of the university

STEM Teacher Volunteer | Fall River YMCA

November 2016 - May 2019

o Taught the STEM class that involved Computer Programming, Physics, Engineering and Robotics

## **HOBBIES**

Painting/Drawing 3D modeling Cooking Exploring other cultures
Anime Game design Watching movies Robotics/Electronics
Golf Web design Pool/Billiard Learning