# Francisco Machado

Resume

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# Education

## 2013–2016 Massachusetts Institute of Technology,

Candidate for Bachelor of Science Degree in Physics,

Cambridge, MA,

GPA - 5.0/5.0.

#### 2012–2013 Universidade de Coimbra,

Candidate for Bachelor of Science Degree in Physics,

Coimbra, Portugal,

GPA - 5.0/5.0.

# Experience - Research

2015—Present Undergraduate Research, MIT CENTER FOR MATERIAL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Research in transport properties of electrons in low-dimensional materials.

- Fabrication of devices which includes selection of proper material flakes, their charecterization and assembly in final device to be used in measurements.
- Developing new device configurations to allow the better measurement of transport properties.
- 2014 Undergraduate Research, MIT KAVLI INSTITUTE FOR ASTROPHYSICS AND SPACE RESEARCH, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Research in spectral data from galaxies from a simulation of the galaxy

- Analyzing how to make use of the simulated galaxies informations to better understand the properties of observable galaxies.
- Developing tools that allow the matching between simulated and observed galaxies.
- 2014 Undergraduate Research, MIT AEROSPACE COMPUTATIONAL DESIGN LAB, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Research in optimization of a numerical simulation of a stationary fluid flow

- Analyzed and discovered the source of the major slow down in the program's run time.
- 2012–2013 Undergraduate Research, Universidade de Coimbra Physics Department, Coimbra, Portugal.

Research in the topic of the dynamics of proteins and their protein reporter using computer simulations and stochastic models.

- Developed the simulation code used to run the simulations in the project.
- Compiled and analyzed the data, presenting it at two conferences
- Presented results in poster format at the International Conference on Stem Cells for Drug Screening and Regenerative Medicine (2013)

# Experience - Work

- 2014 **Summer Intern**, MEMSQL, San Francisco, US.
  - Worked directly on their C++ codebase
  - Developed and implemented features that were shipped to customers promptly.
- 2013 **Senior Developer**, JEKNOWLEDGE, Coimbra, Portugal.

### 2012–2013 Junior Developer, JEKNOWLEDGE, Coimbra, Portugal.

Active Member of the Technology Department.

- Helped on the development of a human body detection software to analyze the correct movement of the body in various exercises.
- Developed a glove prototype of a new product using Arduino technology.
- Helped in the development of the data aquisition software for a new product in a start-up.

# Summer Schools

2015 Novos Talentos Em Matemática Dynamical Systems Summer School

#### Awards

- 2012 Bronze Medal at the International Physics Olympiads
- 2012 Bronze Medal at the International Olympiads of Informatics
- 2013 Bronze Medal at the ACM SouthWestern Regional Contest
- 2012 Gold Medal at the Portuguese University Programming Marathon
- 2011 Honorable Mention at the IberoAmerican Mathematics Olympiads
- 2011, 2012 Silver Medal at the Portuguese Mathematics Olympiads
  - 2012 Third Place in the Portuguese Olympiads of Informatics

# Languages

Portuguese Mothertongue

English Fluent

Spanish Basic

French Basic

German Basic