

Francisco Machado

Resume

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Education

2013–Present **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

2014–Present **Undergraduate Research**, MIT AEROSPACE COMPUTATIONAL DESIGN LAB, Cambridge, Portugal.
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.
- Currently working on solutions to overcome the problems encountered.

2012–Present **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
- Currently working on broadening the search parameters of the simulation and implementing different protein behaviors in order to analyze different outcomes and later compare them with experimental data.

Experience - Work

2013–2013 **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 acquisition software for a new product in a start-up.

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

Skills

Advanced C, C++, PYTHON, Basic Algorithms
Intermediate L^AT_EX, EMACS, Basic Data Analysis
Basic JAVA, OCTAVE

Relevant Classes

2013 **Physics Laboratory** *Introduction to experimental physics with data analysis emphasis*
2013 **Quantum Mechanics and Quantum Computation - edX** *Introductory class*
2013 **Differential Equations** *Solutions for ODE systems and introduction to nonlinear systems*
Currently **Introduction to Numerical Analysis**

Languages

Portuguese Mothertongue
English Fluent
Spanish Conversational