**LUIS ANGEL GARCIA**

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**OBJECTIVE**

Observant, analytical, and perceptive computer science student seeking opportunities to grow professionally in challenging, but rewarding working environments.

**EDUCATION**

**The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley**,Edinburg, Texas

*Bachelor of Science in Computer Science* GPA: **3.53**

Minors: English and Music with Focus in Guitar

Anticipated Graduation Date: December 2017

Professional Memberships:

Beta Xi Chi Multicultural Fraternity, Inc., *Secretary* 2014-Present

Achievements:

Meritorious Scholarship Recipient 2014-Present

Dean’s List Spring 2016, Fall 2015, Spring 2015

**South Texas Community College**, McAllen, Texas

*Associate of Science in Computer Science* GPA: **3.50**

Graduation Date: May 2014

**RESEARCH PROJECT**

**The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley**, Edinburg, Texas March 2016-Present

Independent Study | *Dr. Emmett Tomai,* College of Engineering and Computer Science

Description of Project: Development of a survival game on a procedurally generated world space populated by artificial intelligence-controlled agents. The ultimate goal is to observe these agents to evaluate the potential for artificially intelligent life to make meaningful moment-to-moment choices that can make for deep, dynamic storytelling.

* Revive old gaming systems left in their rudimentary forms in the early months of development.
* Develop efficient ways to implement new gameplay systems in a way that allows for both human and computer-controlled players to utilize them.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Buck’s** Pizza, Mission, Texas 2015-Present

* Deliver pizza to clients in timely manner, keeping in mind of natural time constraints such as, food cooling.
* Answer calls from customers in a cordial and friendly manner.
* Keep up general restaurant tidiness by washing dishes, throwing out trash, and wiping down counter and table tops.
* Managed productivity at all times during shift, from the day’s slowest moments to the most intense rush times.

**Garcia HVAC Services**, Mission, Texas 2013-2015

* Assisted technician with installation of air conditioning units and parts.
* Interacted frequently with clients to find troubleshooting solutions.
* Learned the ins and outs of various machinery.

**SKILLS & ABILITIES**

Programming: Fluent in C++, C#, C, Java, Python.

Language: Fluent in English, able to converse and read in Spanish confidently.

Computer Skills: Intermediate level programming, Microsoft Office applications.

Miscellaneous Skills: Quick learner, adapts quickly to new environments, works well independently or in a team.