

# Will Terry

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## Personal Statement

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I am pursuing an MSc in Robotics and AI at UCL, specializing in sensing, estimation and control systems, and neural networks. Building on the skills I developed during my studies, I combine electronics, programming, and design expertise to work on creative side projects. From customizing a Raspberry Pi to designing a sustainably sourced outdoor canopy, I enjoy applying my education to explore exciting, hands-on solutions.

I document these projects on my website, which I continuously update with new ideas. My passion for blending technical expertise with creative thinking drives my aspiration to work in product development, where I can contribute to designing accessible and impactful creations. I am eager to bring my skills and innovative mindset into the professional world, tackling real-world challenges and enhancing user experiences.

## Education

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**University of Leeds**, BEng Robotics and Mechatronics Sept 2020 – June 2023

- Grade: Upper Second Class
- **Modules:** Intelligent Systems and Robotics, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Embedded Systems, Microprocessors and Programmable Logic, Electric Machines, Electronic Circuit Design, Sensors - Actuators and Mechanisms, Additive Manufacturing

**Deeplearning.ai | Stanford Online**, Machine Learning Specialization April 2024 – June 2024

- Grade: Passed
- **Modules:** Supervised Machine Learning: Regression and Classification, Advanced Learning Algorithms, Unsupervised Learning, Recommenders and Reinforcement Learning

**University College London**, MSc Robotics and AI Sept 2024 – Sept 2025

- Grade: TBA
- **Modules:** Computer Vision, Estimation and Control, Modeling and Motion Planning, Introduction to Machine Learning, Aerial Robotics, Object Detection and Classification, Robot Vision and Navigation, Robotic Sensing Manipulation and Interaction

## Experience

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**Product Management Intern**, Edwards Vacuum June 2024 – Sept 2024

- Created a company wide product configurator which reached global branches.
- Helped develop graduate on boarding process with management.
- President of Vacuum Chamber Solutions acknowledged my contributions. Contract extended by 2 weeks based on performance.

## Notable Projects

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I'd like to preface this section with by saying that it will only include notable projects throughout the course of my time at university. Have a look at my website for more information on these projects and more.

### TurtleBot Navigation and Picture Recognition

- Programmed a TurtleBot using ROS1 to autonomously navigate a maze, identify colored doors using the OpenCV library, and identify a specific Cluedo character using Harris Corner Detection.
- Gained foundational experience in ROS1, which enabled further exploration and mastery of ROS2 for advanced robotics projects.
- Tools Used: ROS1, OpenCV, Harris Corner Detection, Python

### **Interactive Stability Training Game for Elderly Fall Prevention**

- Developed a game using Unreal Engine 4 and Xbox Kinect to map a player's in-game character to their real-life movements, promoting daily engagement to strengthen stability muscles and reduce fall risk in elderly individuals.
- Conducted accuracy testing with a Vicon motion capture system to evaluate and validate movement mapping and system reliability.
- Tools Used: Unreal Engine 4, Xbox Kinect, Vicon Motion Capture, C++

### **Raspberry Pi Retro Gaming Console**

- Designed and built a retro gaming console using a Raspberry Pi and a modified RetroPie OS, adding classic games like Pokémon Red and Pokémon Emerald for a nostalgic user experience.
- Constructed a custom case with cooling features, a USB slot for controllers, and GPIO-connected buttons for volume control, power, and reset functionality.
- Enhanced Linux proficiency by configuring the system via the command line, modifying system files, and setting up the gaming environment manually.
- Tools Used: Raspberry Pi, RetroPie OS, GPIO, Python, Linux Command Line

### **Skills**

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**Languages:** C++, C, Python

**Technologies:** Linux, Embedded Systems, Arduino, ROS2, Fusion360

**Soft Skills:** Positive Attitude, Hard Working, Time Management, Relationship Builder, Self Motivation