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## EDUCATION

- **UC SAN DIEGO (UCSD):** 2018 - Present
  - **B.S. in Computer Science** - Academic GPA: 3.5
- **COURSEWORK FOCUS:**
  - Math:** - Statistical Methods - Honors Linear Algebra
  - Calculus and Analytic Geometry for Science and Engineering
  - Computer Science:**
    - Mathematics for Algorithms and Systems - Discrete Mathematics
    - Design and Analysis of Algorithms - Theory of Computability
    - Programming Languages: Principles and Paradigms - Computer Organization and Systems Programming
    - Components and Design Techniques for Digital Systems - Digital Systems Laboratory

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**VOLUNTEER INTERNSHIP** (JUNE 2018 – AUG 2018): FutureWei Technologies, San Diego, CA

- Evaluate see-in-dark DL network for dark scene image processing
- Generate new datasets with a smartphone camera. re-train network
- Assemble DL workstation from parts; setup Linux/DL environment

**PAID INTERNSHIP** (June 2020 - September 2020): Genvira Biosciences Inc., Ottawa, Canada

- Build the company website
- Setup IT infrastructure
- Configure firewalls to protect the company's data
- Develop machine learning software from bio. database to predict tumor antigens for personalized tumor vaccine

## AWARDS & HONORS

### CYBERSECURITY

- **CyberPatriot National finalist (2018):** 6th place among 3,500 registered high school teams
- **Receive all-expenses** to compete at the National Finals Competition at Baltimore, MD.

### ROBOTICS

- **FIRST Tech Challenge** (2015 – 2017): San Diego regional **2<sup>nd</sup> place** in 60+ teams, **Control Award** winner

## FUN PROJECTS

**SORTING SIMULATION (2019):**

- Java programs that compares and visualizes the speed of 14 sorting methods

**BOID SIMULATION (2019):**

- Java programs that simulates a flock of generic creatures such birds or fish
- Each individual boid follows some rules to create a flocking behavior
  - Separation: [steer](#) to avoid crowding local flockmates
  - Alignment: steer towards the average heading of local flockmates
  - Cohesion: steer to move towards the average position (center of mass) of local flockmates
- Attempts to avoid obstacles
- Often used in computer graphics, providing realistic-looking of flocks of birds and other creatures

**FRACTAL GENERATION(2020):**

- Java programs that generates the Mandelbrot set and the Julia sets images
- Arts produced by the mathematics

**PYRAMID BASED IMAGE FUSION (2021):**

- Generates Laplacian pyramids for two images, merges each layer, then reconstructs a merged image
- Interactive UI made using Qt
- Image input/output using OpenCV

## SKILLS

**PROGRAM LANGUAGE:** Java, C, C++, Python, Haskell, Kotlin

**OPERATING SYSTEM:** Windows, Linux/Installed Arch Linux

**LIBRARIES:** LWJGL, OpenCV