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## Academic Experience

2014-Present Informatics PhD, University of Edinburgh, School of Informatics, Edinburgh, UK.

Supervisors: Mark Steedman (Primary), and Simon King (Assistant)

Topic: Automatic Music Transcription using NLP Language Modeling Techniques

2013–2014 Research Associate, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, USA.

Working with James Lu

Topic: Patchwriting and general NLP

2009–2013 Math/CS joint BS/MS, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, USA.

Advisor: Li Xiong

Thesis: Automatic Transcription of Polyphonic Musical Signals with Linear Matching Pursuit. https://etd.library.emory.edu/view/record/pid/emory:d70pn Honors:

- o Dean's List in Fall 2009, Spring 2010, Spring 2011, Fall 2011, and Spring 2012.
- 2012 Deborah Jackson Award winner for outstanding performance by an undergraduate student.
- o 2013 Trevor Evans Award winner for outstanding performance by a Math/CS major.
- Selected to participate in Microsoft's "Golden Ticket" program (one of 50 students from around the US).
- Placed 132nd out of 1515 teams in IEEE's IEEExtreme 5.0 24 hour programming competition.

## Industry Experience

2013–2014 **Technical Assistant**, *Math/CS Department*, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, USA.

- Developed programs and tools in PHP to assist admin and IT staff members.
- Developed a M68000 emulator in C and a backend to allow remote GDB debugging.

Summer 2012 **Technical Intern**, Suntrust Banks, Inc., Atlanta, GA, USA.

- Designed and implemented strategy for knowledge gathering and knowledge management of testing data.
- Assisted in the updating of EIS Solutions Framework terms.
- Coded an excel macro to aid in the tracking of training courses.

2010–2012 **Technical Intern**, Career Center, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, USA.

- Assisted in redesign of Center website providing insight in user functionality and site aesthetics.
- Maintain website features including the development of interactive PowerPoint downloads, integration of career development instructional videos, and general content management.

## **Publications**

Andrew McLeod and Mark Steedman. Hmm-based voice separation of midi performance. *Journal of New Music Research (to be published)*, 2016.

Andrew McLeod. Meter identification of midi using pattern detection. Poster at the Late-Breaking Demo Session of the ISMIR 2015 Conference, 2015.