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Education

UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO, RIO PIEDRAS CAMPUS

B.S. COMPUTER SCIENCE & MATHEMATICS

Expected Graduation Date May 2019

Selected Coursework: Computer Vision, Algorithms, Data Structure, Linear Algebra, Calculus 1-3, Probability, Statistics, Parallel Programming, Software Engineering, Databases, Operating Systems.

Experience

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHER | UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO, RIO PIEDRAS

Applying computer vision and machine learning for the automatization of the detection, identification and tracking of bees to analyze their behavior. I work developing a technique to identifying untagged bee in videos using unsupervised learning and Siamese network.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHER | UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ

Improved a module that predicts the probability of being wrong of mapping read into a variation graph called vg. I work building and benchmarks models to improve the predictions the probabilities of being wrong of mapping reads into the vg.

FULL-STACK DEVELOPER INTERN | VESO

Automatizing the company's booking system getting a speed improvement. I design and implement the logistics to manage users and services, making faster the offered services by a factor of four and saving hours of data entries.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHER | UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO, RIO PIEDRAS

Built a real-time web interface to investigate better ways to improve architectural planning critics workflow. Redesigning an interface for the creation of architectural planning critics and making real-time, resulting in a three times faster interface and more intuitive UI.

RESEARCH INTERN | iGenApps

Built an augmented reality interface to investigate how to improve mobiles apps creation workflows. Develop a real-time API for creation of a new method of designing mobile apps with the Microsoft Hololens.

Presentations

JTM/PRISM 2018 at University of Turabo

Chan, J., Megret, R., et al. *Fingerprint Extraction for Bee Identification*. University of Turabo, PR, 2018. Research presentation at the Junior Technical Meeting and the Puerto Rico Interdisciplinary Scientific Meeting.

Professional Memberships

•	Member of the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)	2016 — PRESENT
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Member of the IEEE Computer Society
2017 — PRESENT

 Member of the Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science (SACNAS) 2018 - PRESENT

SEPT '17 - PRESENT

JUNE '18 - AUG '18

MAY '16 - SEPT '16

NOV '16 - JULY '17

SEPT '16 - DEC '16

Honors & Awards

• Claude Shannon Scholarship 2017 — PRESENT

President of ACM Chapter at University of Puerto Rico Rio Piedras Campus
2017 – 2018

Activities

ACM International Collegiate Programming Contest

Reach Caribbean finals two years in a row, passing through Puerto Rico regionals and local university competitions.

Machine Learning Interest Group

Founder of Machine Learning Interest Group at the University of Puerto Rico. This group meets every week to practice and discuss machine learning approaches.

HackPR | Hackathon

Second place in Institute of Statistic of Puerto Rico Challenge developing a webpage displaying data of Puerto Rico in an intuitive and organized style.

Skills

Languages: C/C++, Python, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, SQL

Frameworks: Keras, TensorFlow, CUDA, OpenCV, Flask, Node JS, AngularJS

Others: Linux, Git, Anaconda, Numpy, Pandas, Jupyter Notebook