

# CHET CORCOS

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## EDUCATION

### **University of Southern California**

*Phd in Computer Science*

Cumulative GPA: 3.5

Robotic Embedded Systems Lab (RESL)

**Los Angeles, CA**

*Fall 2013 - Present*

### **Harvey Mudd College**

*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*

Cumulative GPA: 3.7

Dean's List: Spring 2010 – Spring 2012

Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society Member

Norin Memorial Scholarship Recipient for *Communications Engineering and Related Fields* (SP 2012)

**Claremont, CA**

*Graduated May 2013*

### **Relevant Coursework:**

Analysis of Algorithms | Probabilistic Graphical Models | Machine Learning | Mobile Robotics  
Control Systems Engineering | Microprocessor Design and Application | Communication Systems

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **SpaceX - Avionics Intern**

Hawthorne, CA - **Summer 2013**

- Designed pan-tilt control system for custom laser scanning infrared range finder (LiDAR).
- Designed calibration and simulation rigs in CAD along with engineering drawings for machining and 3D printing.

### **One Aura - Software Developer and Bio-signal Analyst**

Tustin, CA - **Summer 2012**

- Developed an iPhone App involving Bluetooth communication and GPS tracking.
- Used frequency domain tools for heart beat detection from an infrared sensor.

### **Corcos Tech - Software Developer**

**Fall 2011 - Present**

- Websites, Mobile apps, CAD, 3D printing, Data visualization

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### **USC Robotic Embedded Systems Lab - Phd Student**

Los Angeles, CA - **Fall 2013 - Present**

- Smoothing and Mapping (SAM) simulations with heterogeneous multi-robot teams
- Probabilistic graphical model for robotic interactive object recognition

### **UC Davis Center for Neuroscience - Intern**

Davis, CA - **Summer 2011**

- Wrote MATLAB scripts using EEGLab toolbox for analyzing inter-cranial brain signals from rats and humans.

## PROJECT EXPERIENCE

### **Eaton Aerospace Engineering Clinic**

Harvey Mudd College, CA - **Fall 2012**

- Designed modular, nonlinear control systems for various types of hydraulic aircraft nose-wheel steering systems.
- Implemented sliding mode and adaptive control.

### **Electric Truck**

Fair Oaks, CA - **Summer 2008**

- Built an electric truck using the body, chassis and manual transmission of a 1999 S-10 with a blown engine.
- Installed power brakes, power steering, welded battery trays, designed 12V and 120V circuits.

### **High Power Rockets**

Harvey Mudd College, CA - **Fall 2010**

- Built and flew high-powered rockets (I-motors) with custom sensor payload.
- Designed and built a protoboard with a data-logger, 3-directional gyroscopes, and 3-directional accelerometers.
- Developed a 6 DOF model in MATLAB for determining the rocket's 3D position and orientation throughout flight.

## **OTHER PROJECTS:**

D3 Network Visualization | RSA Encryption Demo | Password Rhythm Authentication | OpenCV Eye Tracking  
MIPS multi-cycle processor implementation | One-handed Keyboard | Wide-band Antenna design | Classic car restoration

## SKILLS

### **Programming:**

Python | JavaScript (Meteor.js, Node.js, d3.js) | MATLAB | C | C++  
CAD (NX 7.5, OpenSCAD) | Objective-C | System Verilog | Prolog | Racket | Java