Francisco Rois

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SUMMARY

Engineer with knowledge in software, networks, wireless communications, electronics, management and entrepreneurship. Ability to adapt and to creatively solve complex problems proven through my extensive training and experience in different professional and cultural environments.

EDUCATION

2016 - present MASTER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT (GPA 4.0/4.0)

Chicago, IL

Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT)

Specialization in IT Management and Entrepreneurship

Recognized with Outstanding Student Award

Indoor Location Project (NG911) at the IIT Real-Time Communications (RTC) Lab. Active collaboration.

Volunteer at TEDxIIT and IIT RTC Conference & Expo 2016

Courses: Business Innovation, IT Entrepreneurship, Java, Android, Telecoms Over Data Networks.

2015 - present MASTER IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS ENGINEERING (MET)

Barcelona, Spain

Telecom BCN (ETSETB Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, UPC)

Intensification in Networks
Dual Degree program with IIT

Member of BCN IEEE Student Branch

Courses: Telecommunications Systems, Communication Networks, Overlay Networks, Advanced

Communications for Wireless Systems, Electronic Systems Design for Communications, Management of

Telecommunications Projects, Innovation Based Service Management.

2014 - 2015 ERASMUS+ EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Vienna, Austria

University of Applied Sciences Technikum Wien

Courses of Master's Degree in Telecommunications and Internet Technologies

Bachelor Thesis of Bachelor's Degree in Electronics and Business

2010 - 2015 ENGINEERING DEGREE IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGIES

Vigo, Spain

University of Vigo

Specialty in Electronic Systems

SKILLS

Languages: Spanish (native), Galician (native), English (proficiency).

Programming Languages: Java, Android, Arduino, JavaScript.

Software: Eclipse, Android Studio, Wireshark.

EXPERIENCE

2017 - present RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Chicago, IL

IIT Real-Time Communications Lab. NG911 Indoor Location Project.

- Created platform to enable application developers to access data and use system's functionalities.
- Maintained Android Application and performed enhancements.

2017 - present

RTC LABORATORY INTERN

Chicago, IL

IIT Real-Time Communications Lab.

• Maintenance of the networking infrastructure of the RTC Lab facilities.

2015 ENGINEER INTERN

Santiago de Compostela, Spain

MoonOff - Blusens. Hardware and Lightning Solutions.

- Development of projects and quality control, methods and times in technical departments and R&D.
- Designed and implemented detailed process reports for light systems and electronics set up, which were used as model for assembly line.
- Collaborated in the department of product testing and validation, elaborating reports that determined exclusion or inclusion of products in the company's catalogue.
- Solved problems related to the automation in the elaboration of validation reports, which implied a huge improvement in the department in terms of process efficiency.

PROJECTS

2016 - present

NG911 PROJECT (NEXT GENERATION 911) @ IIT RTC LAB

Chicago, IL

Bluetooth Indoor Location for mobile phones calling for Emergency Services.

- Android User Application and Platform for external developers.
- Skills: Node.js, Sails.js, JavaScript, RESTful APIs, MySQL, GitHub, Android, AWS, Heroku presentations.

2017 - present **KEEPMOVING PROJECT**

Chicago, IL

System for gamification of physical activity (run and walk) and encouraging healthy habits.

- APP for mobile devices.
- Currently consolidating the Business Plan and in first stages of development.
- Skills: leadership, product management, business planning, teamwork, presentations.

2017 CAMPUS 1871

Chicago, IL

Entrepreneurship Hackathon hosted by 1871.

- Weekend-long event including crash courses, keynote speakers, mentorship and pitches.
- Created with a team a viable business model for a potential startup company.
- Skills: entrepreneurship, business planning, coaching, design, teamwork.

2016 ORDER APP PROJECT

Chicago, IL

System to order in bars and restaurants from mobile devices.

- Two complementary Android applications: Client APP and Bar APP.
- Skills: leadership, project management, teamwork, Android programming.

2015 MTP TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROJECT

Barcelona, Spain

Engineering competition in the framework of the course Management of Telecoms Projects.

- Designed from scratch and implemented two identical TX/RX modules able to transmit and receive a data file in a limited time.
- Team of seven engineers awarded with the second prize in the competition.
- Skills: teamwork, project planning, electronics design and manufacturing.

2015 OACC PLATFORM: ONLINE ACADEMIC CATALAN COMMUNITY

Barcelona, Spain

European BEST Engineering Competition.

- Case Study organized by the Board of European Students of Technology.
- Designed the concept for a unified platform used by the Universities in Catalonia.
- Team awarded with the third prize in the competition.
- Skills: teamwork, efficient problem solving, presentation in front of a jury and audience.

2015 DRONE TRICOPTER: DESIGN, BUILD AND TEST

Barcelona, Spain

IEEE Students Branch BCN.

- Multidisciplinary project, including electronics, robotics and software development.
- Collaborated in all the phases of the project, from the design to the final successful test.
- Skills: interdisciplinary collaboration, teamwork, understanding of unpredictable project inconveniences, time managing and planning in engineering projects.

2014 - 2015 RFID SYSTEM FOR ASSETS MONITORING

Vienna, Austria

Bachelor Thesis in Electronics and Business Department.

- Designed and implemented a completely operating RFID tags reading system.
- Tools and technologies: Arduino and RaspberryPi platforms, analog and digital electronic components.
- Skills: Python and Arduino programming, RaspberryPi, research project development, project time planning, technical report elaboration, presentation in front of a jury and audience.