

# Frank Liu

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**Technical Skills:** Circuits, Python, R, Java, Linux, GRC software for USRP radios, HTML, CSS, Verilog

**Interests:** Research, Augmented and Virtual Reality, Mobile Health, Hardware engineering, Signal Processing, Project Management

## EDUCATION

<b>Arizona State University</b>   Tempe, Az	<b>2018 – 2023 (Expected)</b>
<b>Degree:</b> <u>Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Engineering</u>	GPA: 4.0
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Dean's Fellowship; awarded to the top 4% of graduate students who display significant leadership and research capabilities</li><li>Ira A. Fulton Fellowship</li></ul>	
<b>University of Washington</b>   Seattle, WA	<b>2014-2018</b>
<b>Degree:</b> <u>Bachelor of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering</u>	Graduated with Honors
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Digital Signal Processing   Embedded Systems</li><li>IEEE HKN Honors Society, Priscilla and Melvin Wilson Endowed Scholarship, Husky Leadership Certificate, Washington Scholar</li></ul>	
<b>UC Berkeley</b>   San Francisco, CA	<b>Summer 2016</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Summer quarter:</b> Classes taken - Python and Big Data, Biostatistics</li></ul>	GPA: 4.0

## EXPERIENCES

INDUSTRY	RESEARCH	PROJECTS
<b>National Taiwan University</b>   Taipei, Taiwan <b>Software Engineer, IoX Center Research Assistant</b> July 2018 – August 2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><u>Award of Excellence:</u> Significant contributions in shipping android application SoberComm, allows alcohol dependent individuals and their family members to monitor alcohol usage</li><li>Extensive version control and debugging</li><li>Advised by Professor Bing You</li></ul>	<b>ASU Meteor Studios</b>   Tempe, Arizona <b>Graduate Research Assistant</b> August 2018 - Present <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Research Direction: Improving Virtual/Augmented reality experience with Spatial Audio and Haptics</li><li>Advised by Professor Robert Likamwa</li></ul> <b>UW UbiComp Lab</b>   Seattle, WA <b>Undergraduate Research Assistant</b> March 2017-June 2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Independent Study: RF2DSense; paper, powerless RFID touch surface</li><li>Working with PhD Hanchuan Li on IDCam: a project to bridge online and real world shopping with AR and RFID: Wrote algorithm for signal mapping of AR headset and RFID tags</li></ul>	<b>IdeaHacks</b> 2016   2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed a smart mat that sent texts if weight was on it at UCLA's hardware hackathon – 2016</li><li>Developed smart trash bin with various sensors, and presented for Finals - 2017</li></ul> <b>Facebook LGBT Hackathon participant</b> 2015 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Contributed and developed a chrome extension that kept people on task when surfing the web: <a href="http://bit.ly/ijgAHbk">http://bit.ly/ijgAHbk</a></li></ul> <b>Seattle Give Camp participant</b> 2015 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Helped revamp nonprofit's website: <a href="http://hungerintervention.org">hungerintervention.org</a></li><li>Old Website: <a href="http://hungerintervention.org/index.html">hungerintervention.org/index.html</a></li></ul> <b>Adventures of Little Cricket and Friends</b> 2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Self-Published Book - <a href="https://tinyurl.com/littlecricket">https://tinyurl.com/littlecricket</a></li></ul>
<b>Roxy Device</b>   Seattle, WA <b>Startup Intern</b> January 2018 – March 2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Lead generation and public outreach for customer acquisition</li><li>Building, assembling, and QA testing of Roxy Device hardware devices</li></ul>	<b>UW Medicine</b>   Seattle, WA <b>Computer Science Research Assistant</b> Nov 2015-Jan 2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Worked with Professor Aaron Lee on a project using twitter data to predict epidemics: Utilized Python, R libraries to visualize and analyze months of twitter data to show frequency of tweets over time</li><li>Leveraged (SQL, Amazon S3 Cloud, Azure Virtual Machine) to manipulate and wrangle data</li></ul>	
<b>Microsoft</b>   Redmond, WA <b>Consultant / Educator</b> Nov 2017 – January 2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Creating labs, lessons and course content for the "Introduction to Device Programming" EDX (MICROSOFT COURSE) [DEV295X] using Microsoft's IOT Pack for Raspberry Pi for audience of thousand+ students</li></ul>	<b>UW Department of EE</b>   Seattle, WA <b>Undergraduate Research Assistant:</b> Mar 2015-Oct 2015 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Created a live transmitter &amp; receiver that plotted, saved data in real time for Professor John Sahr's radar and remote sensing lab</li></ul>	
<b>Verizon Wireless</b>   Bellevue, WA <b>Systems Performance Intern</b> January 2017 – March 2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Supported Systems Performance/Radio Frequency engineers in evaluating and improving areas of poor coverage using internal SP / RF tools</li><li>Collected service measurement data to optimize the network, reduce lost calls, and ineffective attempts</li></ul>		
<b>UW Hyperloop Team</b>   Seattle, WA <b>Power Electronics Team Member</b> Nov 2016-Jan 2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Hands-on experience in building Hyperloop Pod</li><li>Team placed 4<sup>th</sup> in United States, 6<sup>th</sup> in the World at International SpaceX Hyperloop Competition</li></ul>		

## LEADERSHIP

<b>SunHacks Organizing Team - Marketing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Lead marketing campaigns selling out tickets for 300+ participants; Organized the largest hackathon in Phoenix Area; SunHacks, ASU's 36 hour hackathon</li></ul>	August 2018 – November 2018
<b>UW Advanced Robotics</b>   Seattle, WA <b>Executive Board Member   Team Member</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Annotate Meetings/ weekly sprints, Coordinate 90 members, Raised over 18,000 in funding through philanthropy efforts and sponsorships</li><li>Refiller Robot Lead; Design and CAD reviews; wrote embedded software (C, C++, Arduino) for Robot control systems</li><li>Summer 2018 Placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in International Regionals  Summer 2017 Placed 31<sup>st</sup> out of 241 at International DJI Robomasters competition in Shenzhen, China</li></ul>	July 2017 – July 2018   March 2017 – July 2017
<b>Violinist in the University Washington Symphony Orchestra:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Served as Second Principal, played in both first violin and second violin sections</li><li>Performed in a sold-out show in Meany Hall</li></ul>	2014-2015 seasons
<b>Youngest violinist in the Seattle Philharmonic:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Aired on King Fm Radio 98.1: August 26<sup>th</sup> 9pm to 10:30pm</li><li>Performed in Benaroya hall</li></ul>	2015-2016 season

## TEACHING

<b>Arizona State University</b>   TA for Introduction of Augmented & Virtual Reality <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Established curriculum with Professor Likamwa to teach unity fundamentals</li></ul>	January 2019 – May 2019
<b>University of Washington</b>   Grader/TA for Introduction to Circuits Class (EE 215) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Established curriculum with Professor Tai-Cheng Chen/ Gordon Farquharson/ Karl Bohinger to teach entry level circuit design</li></ul>	October 2016-March 2017   March 2018 – June 2018
<b>Coding with Kids</b>   Classroom Instructor <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Taught coding course curriculum for scratch at local elementary schools, Managed classroom of 8-14 elementary students</li></ul>	March 2017- June 2017