# JACOB SAYONO



### **EDUCATION**

#### University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

Bachelor of Science (B.S.), Mechanical Engineering

Los Angeles, CA Expected Jun 2024

- Cumulative GPA: 3.9
- Statics, Materials, Kinematics, Dynamics, Control Theory, Circuits, Mechanisms, Fluid Mechanics, Thermodynamics, Heat Transfer

#### **Udacity: School of Autonomous Systems**

**Private Online** 

Self-Driving Car Nanodegree Program

Present

• Bayesian Inference, Kalman Filtering for Localization, C++ Performance Optimization, Data Structures and Algorithms, Trajectory Visualization in Python, Image Classification for Computer Vision, Model Training for Machine Learning

## RESEARCH

## Human-Centered Computing & Intelligent Sensing Research Laboratory (HiLab at UCLA)

Los Angeles, CA

Human-Computer Interaction Undergraduate Researcher | Internship

Jan 2022 - Present

- Published research paper as 2<sup>nd</sup> author to IMWUT with proven understanding of integrated circuit and deployment for user study
- Designed 12 unique mechanisms to transform objects into self-powering automation by harvesting energy from daily user input

## Verifiable & Control-Theoretic Robotics Research Laboratory (VECTR at UCLA)

Los Angeles, CA

Autonomous Aerial and Multi-Robot Systems Undergraduate Researcher | Internship

Jun 2022 - Present

- · Performed environment scan using LiDAR and odometry to localize and build 3D model dense point clouds of UCLA campus
- Implemented ROS2 for multi-agent robot communication to utilize autonomous ground and air units for cave/mine exploration

## **EXPERIENCE**

## **DevX Moonshot (Autonomous Rover)**

Los Angeles, CA

Product Manager and Autonomy Engineering Manager | Part-time

Dec 2021 - Present

- Rallied 5 cross-functional teams to plan each timeline & iteration for all aspects of BruinBot: mobile app, server, rover hardware
- Trained software team to specialize in localization, path planning, and vision algorithms in simulated configuration workspace

## The American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)

Los Angeles, CA

Computer Vision and Robotics Software Engineer | Underwater Autonomous Vehicle Project

Sep 2021 – May 2022

- Established image processing and object detection using MATLAB to identify lattice points and boundaries of underwater path
- Built robotic controls architecture and motion planning using simulations in ROS for tasks determined by RoboSub competition

Control Systems Engineer | Robotics Project

Oct 2019 - June 2020

- Proven intermediate programming skills in C++/Python and familiarity in Linux OS environment via Raspberry Pi and Arduino IDE
- Created DIY high-power H-Bridge solution to avoid expenses in buying additional controllers for drivetrain and arm motors

# Bruin Racing (SAE Supermileage) at UCLA

Los Angeles, CA

Powertrain Engineer | Electrical Vehicle Project

Sep 2021 – Apr 2022

• Developed Hall effect encoder sensor for RPM detection and PID throttle control system on embedded system with C++

## **ROBOTIS** (Robot is ...)

Lake Forest, CA

Mechatronics Engineer | Internship

May 2019 – Aug 2019

- Demonstrated control in servos with microcontrollers, programming sets of movements (dancing, waving, bowing) on RoboPlus
- · Assisted beginner customers to control servos without complex code by creating compatible software (EZ-Builder) in application

Technical Skills Practitioner | Training

Jan 2019 - Apr 2019

- Created stress analysis machine for company's office under a \$300 budget, avoiding unnecessary big expenses on testing
- Abstracted different final print outcomes based on various settings for future interns to reference to in their own 3D printing

#### **SKILLS**

## Mechanical • Electrical • Software

- 3D Printing SolidWorks (Certified Associate) Mechanism Product Design SolidCam CAD Fusion 360 Manufacturing
- Arduino Raspberry Pi Circuits Embedded Systems Microcontrollers Sensors Servo Motor Control Soldering Altium
- Python C++ Linux MATLAB Computer Vision Machine Learning ROS/ROS2 Perception Motion Planning Algorithms