# **Jacob Garcia**

#### SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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## Education

#### **New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology**

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE, GPA: 3.05/4.0

Socorro, NM

May 2020

# Skills \_

Proficient Matlab, C, Python3, Java, Bash, Github, Linux/Unix based environments, Latex, Microsoft Office

**Experience With** Intel x86 assembly, low-level operating system concepts, C++, Javafx, and Cuda

Other Skills Strong people skills, desktop construction, and operating system install and maintenance

# **Experience** \_

STUDENT ENGINEER

#### **Energetic Materials Research and Testing Center**

Socorro, NM

May 2019 - May 2020

• Developed GUI applications in Matlab for engineers to process data gathered from experiments.

- Implemented parallel processing and variable precision to enhance data processing.
- Developed an application using Java/JavaFX to visualize an experiment with data processing features built-in.
- Worked with Python3, Panda3D, and Tkinter to create a simulation program for explosive tests.
- Contributed to a Department of State final report for fragment tracking software.

#### **National Radio Astronomy Observatory**

Socorro, NM

January 2017-August 2018

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- Worked with Redhat 6 and 7 environments.
  Scripted in Bash and some Python.
- Computer building, installation, and maintenance.
- Server maintenance.
- Network troubleshooting.

# **Projects** \_

#### **C** Compiler

- New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology Computer Science capstone project.
- Group of 4 developers
- Written in python3.
- Used rply library for parsing and abstract syntax tree creation.
- Gimple like structure used as intermediate representation.
- Converts C code to x86-64 assembly.

#### **PushProd**

- Clone of the application PushBullet
- Final Project for CSE 324 Software Engineer at New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology.
- Group of 4 developers.
- Allowed users to log in on multiple devices and share notifications between devices.
- Included a Linux and Windows desktop app, along with an Android phone app.
- The desktop app was built using C++ and the QT framework.
- The Android app was built using java.
- The server back-end is written in Java and used TCP/IP to connect to clients.
- The server was also multi-threaded to increase performance.

#### BriansBrian

- Final Project for CSE 389 Parallel Computing at New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology.
- Group of 4 developers.
- Based on Conway's game of life.
- Built using C++ with the Cuda framework for parallel computing.

### **Nrook Problem**

- Final Project for CSE 389 Computational Neuroscience at New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology.
  Trained spiking neural network to solve the Nrooks problem.
  The spiking neural network used a single layer mapped to each square of a chessboard.
  Hebbian learning was used to train and build weights for the network.

- Written in Python3 using the brian2 framework for the spiking neural network.