# Matthew Roddy | CV

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#### **Education**

<b>Trinity College Dublin</b> <i>PhD. in Electrical Engineering</i>	<b>Dublin, Ireland</b> 09/2015 – 01/2020
<b>Dublin City University</b> <i>MEng. in Electrical Engineering</i>	<b>Dublin, Ireland</b> 09/2014 – 08/2015
University of Limerick MSc. in Music Technology	<b>Limerick, Ireland</b> 09/2012 – 08/2013
<b>Trinity College Dublin</b> <i>BA. in Music</i>	<b>Dublin, Ireland</b> 09/2006 – 06/2010

## Experience

Trinity College Dublin Post-Doctoral Research Fellow	<b>Dublin, Ireland</b> 02/2020 – Present
KTH University Visiting Researcher	<b>Stockholm, Sweden</b> 02/2018 – 03/2018
Trinity College Dublin Teaching Assistant	<b>Dublin, Ireland</b> 09/2015 – 01/2020
<b>Visilit, Event Production Startup</b> <i>Freelance Web Developer</i>	<b>Dublin, Ireland</b> 10/2013 – 09/2014

#### PhD Thesis

o **Matthew Roddy**, "Neural Turn-Taking Models for Spoken Dialogue Systems," *Trinity College Dublin*, 2020. (submitted, awaiting viva)

#### Refereed Conference Publications

- **Matthew Roddy**, Naomi Harte, "Predictive Turn-Taking Decisions with POMDPs," in *SigDial (Late-Breaking Results)*, 2019.
- o **Matthew Roddy**, Gabriel Skantze, Naomi Harte, "Investigating Speech Features for Continuous Turn-Taking Prediction Using LSTMs," in *Proceedings of Interspeech*, 2018.
- **Matthew Roddy**, Gabriel Skantze, Naomi Harte "Multimodal Continuous Turn-Taking Prediction Using Multiscale RNNs," in *Proceedings of International Conference on Multimodal Interaction (ICMI)*, 2018.
- Matthew Roddy, Naomi Harte, "Detecting Conversational Gaze Aversion Using Unsupervised Learning," in *Proceedings of European Signal Processing Conference (EUSIPCO)*, 2017.
- **Matthew Roddy**, Jacqueline Walker, "A Method of Morphing Spectral Envelopes of the Singing Voice for Use with Backing Vocals," in *Proceedings of International Conference on Digital Audio Effects (DAFx14)*, 2014.

### Refereed Symposium Publications.....

• **Matthew Roddy**, Naomi Harte, "Towards predicting dialog acts from previous speakers non-verbal cues", in *Symposium on Multimodal Communication (MMSYM)*, 2017.

#### Invited Talks

o Machine Learning Meetup, Dublin, September 2018.

## **Languages and Technologies**

Main Language: Python

Secondary Languages: C/C++, Matlab, LATEX, R, Bash

**Technologies**: Linux, Git, PyTorch, Kaldi, SciPy, NumPy, scikit-learn, NLTK, SpaCy