

# Michael Royal

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**Skills:** Agile development, Linux(10 years experience Ubuntu/Fedora/Debian), dpkg, Vulkan, Wayland, GTK, Qt, AppArmor, Robotics, ZFS, Linux Kernel

**Tools:** Git, Jenkins, Docker, Kubernetes, OpenShift, OpenStack(Nova, Neutron), LXD, Hyper-V, GCE, AWS(S3, EC2, Lambda), Microsoft Azure, Ansible, Ceph, Prometheus, Android Studio, NFV, Visual Studio, LLVM, Windows Subsystem for Linux

**Programming languages:** Java, C/C++, C#, Python, Go, Rust, Ruby, JavaScript

## Experience

March 2020—Present

### Ambassador

Cloud Foundry Foundation California (**Remote**)

- As a Cloud Foundry Ambassador I help influence and advocate for Cloud Foundry by empowering community members to promote cloud native and application centric projects and technology, educate the community on the Cloud Foundry technology, and contribute to core projects such as the Cloud Foundry CLI.

July 2019—Present

### Ambassador

Cloud Native Computing Foundation San Francisco, CA (**Remote**)

- As a Cloud Native Ambassador I help advocate to people interested in the CNCF and its corresponding projects by organizing and hosting local CNCF Users Group meetups. Other responsibilities include helping represent CNCF through [public speaking at conferences](#) and code contributions for CNCF projects such as [Kubernetes](#), [rkt](#), [Rook](#), and [CoreDNS](#).

July 2017—Present

### Senior Software Engineer

Royal Games Monterey, CA

- Working on applications for Machine Learning(TensorFlow), iOS, Android, and Virtual Reality(Oculus Rift and HTC Vive). Some of the tools I use are [Slack](#), [Ubuntu/Fedora](#), [Android Studio](#), [CircleCI](#), [Visual Studio](#), [Xcode](#), [AWS S3](#), [Unity3D](#), and [Unreal Engine 4](#). Currently [managing a team of 3 Engineers and 4 Graphic Designers](#) working on several projects, which will be released for iOS, Android, Windows, macOS, and Linux.

January 2016—May 2017

### Researcher for Game Research Lab & Special Topics

California State University Monterey Bay Seaside, CA

- Worked on the several [Unity3d projects](#) such as the integration of Text to Speech/Speech to Text [Android](#) application that achieved good performance, even with the low-latency constraints. The second project was a [Android VR](#) game where I built a 3D Procedural City Generation through the use of Height Map generation and 3D mapping of terrain. The game ran on the [Samsung Gear VR](#) and [Neuron Motion Capture Suit](#). I also did work in [Vulkan](#) with [HLSL Shader](#) programming, terrain generation with height maps, and Shadow mapping 3D objects and textures.

January 2015—May 2015

### Software Engineer intern

United States Naval Research Laboratory Monterey, CA

- Worked as a software engineer under the mentorship of Dr. Michael Hadjimichael researching different techniques and data models for artificial intelligence, data mining, and neural networks. The research I collected was used in a research paper that would be used to help better predict weather patterns around the world more accurately using artificial intelligence. Some tools I used were [Debian/Ubuntu/RHEL](#), [Visual Studio](#), [Jenkins](#), and [Tensorflow](#).

## Education

**Spring 2020**

*Master of Science, Instructional Design & Technology*  
California State University Monterey Bay, Seaside, CA

**Spring 2017**

*Bachelor of Science, Computer Science w/ Software Engineering Emphasis*  
California State University Monterey Bay, Seaside, CA

**Fall 2015**

*Associate of Science, Computer Science (Graduated with Honors)*  
Monterey Peninsula College, Monterey, CA