

# Milo Knowles

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## EXPERIENCE

### **Kespry Inc., Menlo Park CA — Software Engineering Intern**

May 2017 - August 2017

Built a web application in Node.js that allows users to annotate training data for image classification models, analyze and debug the output of models, and augment the training set of a model using its own output. Trained a convolutional neural network to estimate the size of hail damage on rooftops for insurance customers.

### **Robust Robotics Lab, MIT CSAIL — Research Assistant**

August 2016 - Present

Tested and analyzed the performance of Visual Inertial Odometry packages in ROS. Currently working on a smoothing-based state estimator.

## EDUCATION

### **Massachusetts Institute of Technology**

Computer Science (6-3) and Aeronautical Engineering (16ENG)

August 2015 - June 2019

GPA: 4.6 / 5

## PROJECTS

### **MIT Mobile Autonomous Systems Lab 2017 — 1st Place**

Designed, built, and programmed an autonomous robot to navigate through an unknown environment, collect, sort, and stack blocks. Used ROS and OpenCV with nodes in Python and C++.

### **Algorithmic Trading**

Trained an agent to buy and sell cryptocurrencies through reinforcement learning with a deep Q-network. Also implemented stock trading models based on Kalman filtering and news sentiment analysis.

### **HACKMIT 2016 - Top 10 Team**

Built a multiplayer iOS virtual reality game that is controlled by pedalling and steering a stationary bike in real time.

### **MIT Pokerbots 2016 - 1st Place Newbie Tournament**

## SKILLS

**Languages:** Python, C++, MATLAB, Javascript, HTML, CSS, R

**Robotics:** ROS, OpenCV

**Machine Learning:** PyTorch, Tensorflow, Keras

## RELEVANT CLASSES

### **Current**

- Underactuated Robotics
- Robotics Science and Systems
- Machine Learning and Data Science in Politics
- Computer System Design

### **Past**

- Advances in Computer Vision
- Principles of Autonomy and Decision Making
- Applied Machine Learning
- Intermediate Algorithms
- Introduction to Algorithms
- Computation Structures
- Signals and Systems
- Materials and Structures
- Fluids
- Thermodynamics
- Introduction to Astronomy
- Physics I & II
- Calculus I & II
- Differential Equations

## LANGUAGES

Mandarin  
English