# Mark Edmonds

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# **EDUCATION**

# UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

MS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE Spring 2017 Cum. GPA: N/A

# **UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON**

BS IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING Grad. May 2015, Magna Cum Laude Dean's List (7/8 Semesters) Cum. GPA: 3.87 Major GPA: 3.93

### SHAWNEE MISSION EAST HIGH

Grad. May 2011

# LINKS

Github://mjedmonds LinkedIn://mjedmonds

# COURSEWORK

#### **GRADUATE**

Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning

Teaching Assistant

Introduction to Computer Science

#### **UNDERGRADUATE**

Artificial Intelligence Operating Systems Automata Theory UNIX/Linux Programming

Teaching Assistant

Electronic Devices Lab Engineering Innovations

# SKILLS

### **PROGRAMMING**

Over 5000 lines:

C++ • C • Python • Shell • LATEX

Over 1000 lines:
Java • Matlab • CUDA

Familiar: Assembly

# RESEARCH

## CENTER FOR VISION, COGNITION, LEARNING, AND AUTONOMY

GRADUATE RESEARCHER

Los Angeles, CA | Sept 2015 - Present

Recently joined the lab and currently exploring research projects.

#### **DECLARATIVE MEMORY**

HEAD UNDERGRADATE RESEARCHER Dayton, OH | May 2014 – Sept 2015 Worked with Dr. Scott Douglass and Prof Tarek Taha to accelerate the declarative memory module of the CECEP cognitive architecture (based on ACT-R). The research focused on leveraging the parallel computing abilities of the CUDA programming platform. One publication published, another publication in writing.

#### ROBOTIC ARM BRAIN MACHINE INTERFACE

Undergradate Researcher

Dayton, OH | Aug 2014 - May 2015

Worked in a team of peers to expand the capability of a brain machine interface through EEG signals and a robotic arm. The team implemented additional gestures and improved the universality of the interface. Publication published.

# **EXPERIENCE**

#### AIR FORCE RESEARCH LAB

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHER Dayton, OH | May 2014 - Sept 2015

 Conducted Declarative Memory research in a cutting-edge research environment.

#### **GARMIN**

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN Olathe, KS | May 2013 – Aug 2013

- Interned as a member of the Datalink team in the Aviation department of Garmin.
- Contributed to the ACARS protocol for Garmin Avionics software.
- Reduced verification testing time by 40%.
- All code was reviewed and pushed to vendor testing facilities.

### **CRISTO REY KANSAS CITY**

**TUTOR AND TEACHER** 

Kansas City, MO | May 2011 - Aug 2012

• Pre-calculus and chemistry tutor and teacher at an inner city high school.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

2015 In Writing Hardware Accelerated Declarative Memory Systems

through CUDA

2015 SNPD 2015 High Performance Declarative Memory Systems through

MapReduce

2015 NAECON 2015 Brain machine interface using Emotiv EPOC for controlling

a robotic arm

# SOCIETIES

2014	National	Eta Kappa Nu IEEE Honor Society
2014	National	Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society

2011 Boy Scouts Eagle Scout with over 200 hours of community service