

Michael Tecce - Software Engineer

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Summary

My name is Michael Tecce. I am a programmer specializing in software development, specifically web development. Outside of programming I am an avid lifelong musician. My primary instrument is guitar and have started, joined, and aided multiple music projects along the Eastern Seaboard. I am also a hobbyist audio electronics technician where I focus on the development of embedded systems, analog audio circuits, and the repair of such circuits.

Languages

JavaScript

- NodeJS - ReactJS - jQuery
- AR.js - Three.js - JSANOV

Python

- Numpy - Matplotlib - Librosa
- Scikit-learn - Pandas

- Java - Arduino - C++

- HTML - CSS

Relevant Work/Experience

08/21- Independent Academic Software Development: Augmented Reality Web Application

05/22 *Independent Project advised by Dr. Christopher Tralie at Ursinus College.*

Built an augmented reality program to be used as a counterpoint music theory pedagogical tool. User navigates through printed camera tracking markers, traverses music staff.

- Responsibilities Included: Implementing program elements, debugging, testing, coordinating desired features with client (Dr. Rosa Abrahams).
- Accomplishments Included: Implementing an AR environment, real-time audio playback, global position tracking and formatting, recording user voice and modular musical note input (1st species counterpoint).

06/20- Sonification Research Internship

08/20 *Research advised by Dr. Christopher Tralie during Summer Fellows 2020 at Ursinus College.*

Explored manipulation of time series datasets and represented results through audio.

- Responsibilities/Accomplishments Included: Becoming proficient in Python and Numpy, studied pre-existing sonification techniques.
- Accomplishments Include: Implemented numerous sonification algorithms, bridged music theory concepts with sonification techniques.
- Found possible usage of sinusoids to teach derivatives in Calculus.

05/19- Digital Guitar Channel Switching Pedal

03/21 Designed, programmed and built a 'loop switcher' guitar pedal from scratch, powered by an Arduino Nano.

- Designed electrical circuit (interconnection of transistor switches, relays, and Arduino Nano).
- Created/Implemented/Debugged Arduino Program to fulfil functionality of audio channel switching seamlessly.
- Created PCB circuit layout, assembled circuit board, designed casing layout of components, assembled pedal.
- Used by multiple musicians in the Philadelphia area.

Education

08/19- Ursinus College, B.Sc. Computer Science

- 05/22
- Major GPA: 3.57
 - GPA: 3.33
 - Deans List (Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021)
 - Area of Focus: Software Engineering & Algorithms

08/17- University of the Arts, B.Sc. Music, Business, Entrepreneurship and Technology

- 05/19
- GPA: 3.73
 - Minor: Woodcraft Studies
 - Area of Focus: Digital Audio Programming, Audio Electronics

Relevant Coursework

Software Engineering

Object-Oriented Programming

Data Structures

Computer Networks

Digital Music Processing

Operating Systems