

# NOAH HATHOUT

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## EDUCATION

**M.S. in Robotics & Autonomous Systems (R&AS)**, Boston University | GPA: 4.00 / 4.00

Expected Jan 2027

**B.S. in Computer Engineering**, Boston University | GPA: 3.73 / 4.00 | Cum laude

May 2025

Concentration: Machine Learning

## RELEVANT COURSES

Intro to R&AS | Vision, Robotics, & Planning | Image & Video Computing | Smart/Embedded Systems | ML / DL / RL

## SKILLS

**Languages:** Python, C, C++, C#, Java, JavaScript, MATLAB/Simulink, SQL

**Robotics / Embedded:** ROS 2, Linux, ESP32, Raspberry Pi, BeagleBone Black, Jetson AGX Orin, UR5e/UR10e

**ML / Perception:** PyTorch, TensorFlow, YOLOv8, Visual SLAM, depth cameras (Intel RealSense, Orbbec), Isaac Sim

**Engineering Tools:** Git, GitHub, Docker, GitHub Actions, pytest, SQL/SQLite, FastAPI, OnShape

## EXPERIENCE

### Lead Software Engineer

*UMG Technologies, Inc.*

Danvers, MA · Hybrid

June 2025 - Present

- Modernizing a legacy C# industrial automation platform into a maintainable 64-bit codebase.
- Revamped operator UX to reduce mistakes and speed up common workflows.
- Migrated the repository to GitHub with structured versioning and releases, protected branches, and led rapid debugging of production machines under tight deadlines.
- Building and deploying the next-gen corporate website (full-stack).

### R&D Intern, Innovation Lab

*Universal Robots* 

Odense, Denmark · On-site

May 2024 - Sep 2024

- Led a high-impact computer vision project in the Innovation Lab integrating depth-sensing cameras.
- Developed real-time, containerized, robotics software using ROS 2, C++/Python, NVIDIA libraries, and Docker.
- Collaborated daily in an agile environment (Bitbucket/JIRA): merged code, documented tasks, and debugged.
- Delivered a final demo showcasing future product capabilities and advanced vision-based robotic applications.

### Teaching Assistant (EK131)

*Boston University, College of Engineering*

Boston, MA · On-site

Jan 2023 - May 2023

- Supported students via office hours; maintained Ender-3 V2 3D printers and managed on-demand print requests.

## PROJECTS

### BROS2 (Block ROS2) - EC601 Product Design in ECE

| Electron/TypeScript, Docker, ROS 2

Sep 2025 - Present

- Building a cross-platform desktop IDE to compose ROS 2 graphs via drag-and-drop block interface.
- Implemented a Docker-based ROS runner to create workspaces and execute ROS 2 commands, enabling repeatable environments across macOS/Linux.

### Pollux - EC463/464 Senior Design

| ROS 2, PPO, Raspberry Pi

Sep 2024 - May 2025

- Designed a ROS 2 mobile robot that disinfects surfaces with UV-C LEDs while avoiding obstacles and cliffs.
- Crafted a custom PPO reinforcement learning reward structure achieving 60%+ coverage without edge violations.
- Integrated ultrasonic and IMU sensors into a real-time perception stack; deployed fully on a Raspberry Pi 4B.

### TiltGolf - EC535 Embedded Systems

| BeagleBone, kernel driver, Qt

Sep 2025 - Dec 2025

- Built a tilt-controlled golf game on BeagleBone with an LCD.
- Wrote a kernel-space IMU driver to stream filtered tilt angles into a Qt UI.
- Implemented physics-based ball motion and level system; created a host-side Box2D test environment for tuning.

### Trashformer - EK505 Intro to Robotics & Autonomous Systems

| YOLOv8, OpenCV

Sep 2025 - Dec 2025

- Built a real-time waste perception pipeline using YOLOv8 (COCO) mapped into 4 bins (organic/paper/plastics/landfill) for downstream robot behavior.
- Streamed per-frame JSON outputs (class, confidence, etc.) and visual overlays designed for control integration.

## Additional Projects:

*Smart Home API Core* (FastAPI) · *ChatSheetsAI* (CSV/NL→SQLite/SQL) · *PIRA* (ESP32 RTOS + multi-robot logging) ·

*SuperTuxSmart* (RL reward shaping) · *PyP2PChat* (encrypted P2P)

## AFFILIATION:

IEEE (Student Member)