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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering, emphasis on Medical Devices
University of California, Davis, Davis, CA | GPA: 3.5

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EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Daisuke Sato, Ph.D. Theoretical Cardiology Lab, Davis, CA

Mar. 2017 – present

- Modeled action potentials with MATLAB and two sets of equations (Hodgkin-Huxley and Fitzhugh-Nagumo).
- Created a Python and Arduino code to model entrainment in fireflies utilizing LED lights, Raspberry Pi, circuit design, and a photosensor. Applied the system to the wheels of a toy car and experimented with motor movement to demonstrate machine synchronization.
- Utilized BioMetal fibers, shape-memory alloys, a Raspberry Pi, 8 channel mechanical relays, Solidworks, 3D printing, and soldering to model muscle contractions, the base of a creative toy car with flexible flooring.
- Managed the lab website and tracked project codes with GitHub. Lab website: <https://dsatolab.github.io/Site/>

Research Assistant, Tingrui Pan, Ph.D. MiNI Lab, Davis, CA

Nov. 2017 – present

- Gathered data from lab fabricated pressure sensors by utilizing a digital manometer and LCR meter, then graphed and analyzed the data to test sensor accuracy.
- Conducted literature review to identify different sensors and their applications on measuring heart rate.
- Experimented on measuring heart rate from the foot by utilizing LabVIEW, National Instruments' NI Elvis Board II, operational amplifiers, and lab fabricated pressure sensors.

Intern, Marjan Philhour for District Supervisor Campaign, San Francisco, CA

Aug. 2016 – Sept. 2016

- Advocated for the election candidate by interacting with district residents in English and Cantonese.
- Uploaded citizen data into an online voter database and filmed an internship training video with a team of two interns.

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

- **Electronic Circuits and Systems** Sept. 2017 – Dec. 2017
Analyzed Wheatstone bridges, operational amplifiers, filters, and digital logic circuits with National Instruments' Virtualbench and a Teensy Arduino. Accumulated this information to create a working photoelectric sensor that outputs a digital number from 1 to 9, each number corresponding to the intensity of light detected.
- **Programming in C Language** June 2017 – Aug. 2017
Learned C programming that culminated in the creation of a mazebuilder program that let the user turn a grid into a maze by breaking user desired grid walls. Codes on GitHub: <https://github.com/priichan/Mazebuilder-Program>
- **Engineering Computing and Visualization Using MATLAB** Oct. 2016 – Dec. 2016
Programmed a MATLAB audio file editor with a team of three students. The program allows a user to upload any audio file and edit the file using different effects. Codes on GitHub: <https://github.com/priichan/Audio-File-Editor>
- **Introduction to Biomedical Engineering** Oct. 2015 – Nov. 2015
Designed a portable device with a team of five students to help hemiplegic children tie their shoes.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Member, Biomedical Engineering Club, Davis, CA

Sept. 2016 – present

- Advertised the 2017 Undergraduate Research Symposium and facilitating registration with the research committee.
- Promoted Biomedical Engineering at Engineering Day by facilitating a water balloon helmet activity with students.
- Mentored a newer member on biomedical engineering classes and career development.

Competition Participant, 2018 UC Davis Make-a-Thon, Davis, CA

Jan. 2018

- Competed for 48 hours in a team of five. Used Autodesk Fusion 360 to design a device that produced custom immunodiffusion plates, which are used in Coccidioidomycosis diagnosis. Won the "Most Creative Team" award.

CORE EXPERIENCE

Software: MATLAB, C, Python, Solidworks, Autodesk Fusion 360, LabVIEW, Raspberry Pi, Arduino, GitHub, HTML, CSS, Microsoft Office (Word, Powerpoint, Excel, Outlook, OneNote)

Languages: English and conversational Cantonese