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Juan Carlos Hernández

Platform Level Systems Engineer at Rockwell Collins

Merced, California | Aviation & Aerospace

Previous

UC Merced, Cessna Aircraft Company/Raytheon Missile Systems Competition (AIAA), NASA - National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Education

University of California, Merced

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Summary

I am a current Mechanical Engineering undergraduate at the ABET accredited School of Engineering department at the University of California, Merced. My professional goals are to be in the forefront of technological development in the high-tech industry working in fields that combine daring engineering feats, aeronautics design and "smart design" optimization. Currently I am searching...

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# Experience

## Platform Level Systems Engineer

Rockwell Collins

June 2016 – Present (6 months) | Cedar Rapids, Iowa

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## Instructional Laboratory Assistant

UC Merced

March 2013 – June 2016 (3 years 4 months) | UC Merced School of Engineering

- Design, maintain and print a diverse array of 3D printed objects using machines such as the Mcor IRIS HD, Makerbot 5th Generation Replicator, 2X, Z18, Afinia's and Form Labs



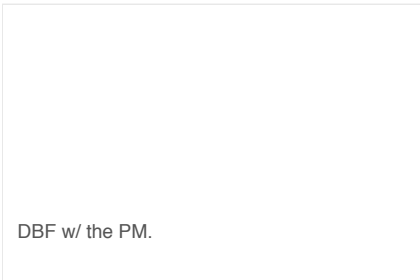
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## Design Build Fly Computer Aided Design Lead

Cessna Aircraft Company/Raytheon Missile Systems Competition (AIAA)

October 2015 – April 2016 (7 months) | Wichita, Kansas Area

- Designed, fabricated, and demonstrated the flight capabilities of an unmanned, electric powered, radio controlled aircraft which can best meet the specified mission profile of this years competition



DBF w/ the PM.

## Chief Financial Officer/Test Engineer

NASA - National Aeronautics and Space Administration

November 2015 – November 2015 (1 month) | Baltimore, Maryland Area

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## Test Engineer

Sandia National Laboratories

October 2015 – October 2015 (1 month) | Pasadena, CA

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## Stress and Strain Researcher

University of California

August 2014 – May 2015 (10 months) | 5200 North Lake Road, Merced CA 95343

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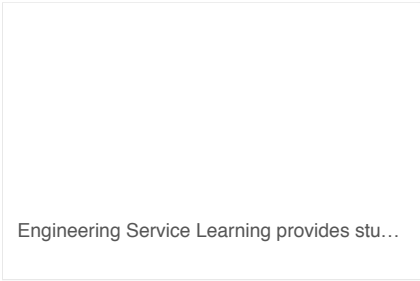
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## Heat Transfer Team Lead

UC Merced

January 2015 – April 2015 (4 months) | UC Merced School of Engineering

• Provided an agenda and set of objectives for the research group and regularly met with the community partner and advising professor to discuss our updates on the project, our short/long term goals, and what to expect in our weekly meetings with the whole research group.



Engineering Service Learning provides stu...

## Design Build Fly Computer Aided Design Lead

Cessna Aircraft Company/Raytheon Missile Systems Competition

November 2014 – February 2015 (4 months) | Tucson, Arizona Area

• Designed, fabricated, and demonstrated the flight capabilities of an unmanned, electric powered, radio controlled aircraft which can best meet the specified mission profile of this years competition

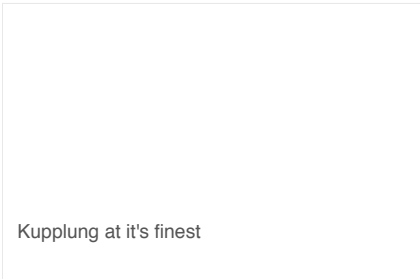
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**Robert Miles**  
Vehicle Test Engineer at Delphi Automotive

Juan Carlos Hernandez is a detail oriented person who goes above and beyond when it comes to working within a team. His passion to work with Design Build Fly at UC Merced showed hard work and dedication by meeting deadlines and communicating with... [View](#)



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## Image Processing Intern

Mechatronics, Embedded System and Automation Laboratory

January 2014 – January 2015 (1 year 1 month) | 4225 N. Hospital Rd., Atwater, CA 95301, USA

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Advanced



- Develop Unmanned Ariel Systems for primarily civil remote sensing applications that can help in a variety of fields, including precision agriculture, water management and environmental development
- Work with UAV's and Quad rotors on obtaining images of plantation fields using remote sensing which are processed using Rawterapee, then stitched using Agisoft Photoscan to create a 3D map which is used to locate water stress of the plants using infrared and a thermal camera

▼ 1 recommendation



**Manuel Zaragoza**  
Designer at Zaragoza Designer Enterprise

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150603 Agisoft PhotoScan Presentation

## Heat Transfer Deputy Leader

UC Merced

August 2014 – December 2014 (5 months) | UC Merced School of Engineering

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Instructional Lab 2 Poster



## Dormitory Maintenance Student Worker

Allen & O'Hara Development

March 2014 – July 2014 (5 months) | 305 Campus View Dr, San Marcos, CA 92078

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## Dormitory Maintenance Student Worker

Allen & O'Hara Development

June 2013 – August 2013 (3 months) | 305 Campus View Dr, San Marcos, CA 92078

- Painted 50+ apartments over the course of the summer



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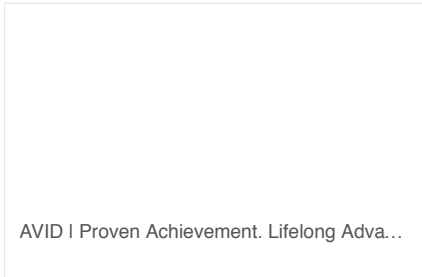
### AVID President

San Diego Unified School District



August 2007 – June 2013 (5 years 11 months) | San Marcos, CA

- Increased the club's budget by 300%
- Received the AVID Student of the Year Award
- Created a mentorship program between upperclassman and underclassman



Add position

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## Organizations

### The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA)

President

April 2015 – June 2016

- Organizing, planning and spearheading events for our chapter while expanding into our local community

### Aerospace Association of UC Merced (AIAA)

Finance Chair

August 2014 – April 2015

- Participated and aided the treasurer with monetary functions related to the organization

### The Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers - Ingenieros Unidos Chapter

Treasurer

May 2013 – April 2014

- Keep track of club dues and assist the ICC board member with school funding
- Lead the finance committee geared towards providing funding for all activities within the club
- Planning the financial logistics of RLDC (Regional Leadership Development Conference) that the University of California, Merced will be hold this year

### The Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers - Ingenieros Unidos Chapter

Outreach Chair

August 2013 – May 2014

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Advanced



- Successfully managed several conference geared towards STEM awareness such as the "Expanding Your Horizons Conference"
- Promoted the advancement of female engineers by specifically focusing workshops and conferences for females
- Outreached towards the community of Merced to increase STEM awareness, research and scholarship opportunities

### Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA)

Official Member  
Starting May 2015  
<http://www.modelaircraft.org>

### Vanguard

AIAA President  
Starting May 2015  
In Vanguard, student leaders are able to be a part of the development process at UC Merced and the School of Engineering. They have: access to academic information and Vanguard resources, exposure to cutting-edge research, involvement in academic projects and outreach initiatives, and potential employment opportunities.

Add organization

## Honors & Awards

### Advanced Via Individual Determination Student of the Year Award, Leadership Award

AVID Organization  
April 2013  
Leadership and accomplishment award offered to the single most influential AVID member on campus

### Frances M. Benton Scholarship, Academic Achievement Award

Frances M. Benton Foundation  
2014  
Two time recipient of this academic achievement award

### Jessie Klicka Foundation, Academic Achievement Scholarship

Jessie Klicka Foundation  
2013  
Two time recipient of this academic achievement scholarship

### 2015 Spring Semester Flash Talk Competition Winner

Robert Goodman; Lead STEM Career Specialist  
April 2015

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### Collaborative Program of the Year Award

University of California, Merced

April 2015

Presented to The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) in collaboration with the following organizations specifically for our collaboration during engineering week:

Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE)  
Society of Women Engineers (SWE)  
National Society of Black Engineers

### New Organization of the Year Award

University of California, Merced

April 2014

Awarded to The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) for being the single most new influential and impactfulness organization on campus

### Community Outreach Award

University of California, Merced

April 2015

Awarded to the Society of Hispanic of Engineers (SHPE) for our involvement with the community

### AP Scholar

CollegeBoard Inc.

March 2012

Granted to students who receive scores of 3 or higher on three or more AP Exams

### Renewable Energy Scholarship

University of California, Merced

July 2015

Renewable Energy Scholarship based on my academic performance, financial need and expressed interest in the field of renewable energy

Add honors & awards

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## Volunteer

### Restoration Hanger Volunteer

Castle Air Force Base

March 2015 – June 2016 (1 year 4 months)

- Restored aircraft such as the B-47, B-17, C-47, B-29, B-52, F-16A and F-4E to their fully functional condition
- Maintain all of the 63 aircraft on site alongside highly experienced air force, navy, and former air force one personnel by conducting paint jobs, body reconstruction, parts machining/swapping etc.
- Clock in at over 75+ hours of working in the air...

August 2011 – Present (5 years 4 months) | Health

Volunteered in this event that focuses on finding a cure multiple sclerosis.

## Innovate to Grow Volunteer



UC Merced

May 2015 | Education

Two time volunteer in this event that encompasses the following three signature threads:

Innovation Design Clinic (IDC) : graduating engineers work on design projects identified by community partners

Engineering Service Learning (ESL) : cornerstone experience to deliver real-world solutions with non-profit partners

Mobile App Challenge (MAC) : cross-disciplinary teams...

**Add volunteer experience**

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Yes

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## Courses

### University of California, Merced

- Thermodynamics (ENGR 130)
- Fluid Mechanics (ENGR 120)
- Statics & Dynamics (ENGR 057)
- Computer Aided Engineering (ME 137)
- Introduction to Materials (ENGR 045)
- Circuit Theory (ENGR 065)
- Calculus I, II & III (MATH 022/023)
- Chemistry I & II (008)
- Physics I & II (PHYS 08/09)
- Engineering Computing (ME 021)
- Probability and Statistics (MATH 032)
- MATLAB Programming (MATH 050)
- Numerical Analysis (MATH 131)
- Machine Shop (ME 188)
- Writing for Engineers (WRI 119)
- Strength of Materials (ENGR 151)
- Mechatronics (ME 142)
- Continuum Mechanics (ME 220)

### University of California, Los Angeles

- Latin American History

### Palomar College

- Cuban and Brazilian Drumming
- Drum/Dance Ensemble
- Spanish

**Add course**



English

Full professional proficiency

Spanish

Full professional proficiency

Add language

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Skills & Endorsements

Top Skills

41 Leadership

28 Microsoft Word

30 PowerPoint

15 Critical Thinking

18 Time Management

22 Research

26 Microsoft Excel

11 AutoCAD

16 Event Planning

13 Matlab

Juan Carlos also knows about...

8 3D Printing

13 Mechanical Engineering

7 Facebook

11 Community Outreach

6 Heat Transfer

5 Calculus

6 Spanish-speaking

6 Team Building

4 Pianist

9 Team Leadership

4 Matlab

5 Team Management

10 Social Networking

8 Spanish

5 Fundraising

1 LabVIEW

1 SolidWorks

1 Arduino

1 AgiSoft PhotoScan

1 Mission Planner

1 Soldering

1 RawTherapee

1 PTC Pro Engineer

1 Microsoft Office

1 Systems Engineering

1 Pro Line Fusion

Add skill

Education


University of California, Merced

Bachelor of Science (B.S.), Mechanical Engineering

2013 – 2018

Activities and Societies:

The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA); The Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE)

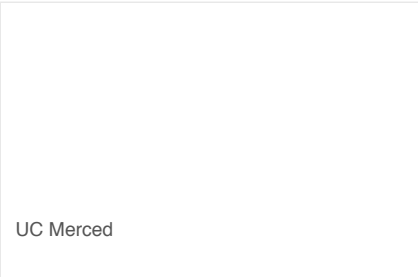


- 6 organizations
- 4 honors and awards
- 18 courses, including:
- ▼ 1 recommendation



**Eduardo Rojas-Flores**  
Student Receptionist/Assistant at Office of Undergraduate Education at UC Merced

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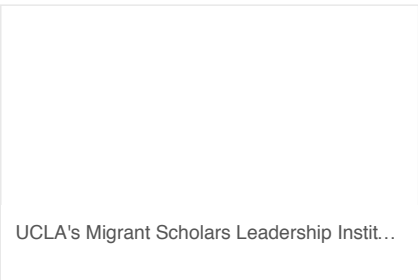
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University of California, Los Angeles

2012 – 2013

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- 1 course



UCLA's Migrant Scholars Leadership Institut...

San Marcos High School

General High School Diploma

2009 – 2013

- [Add Field of Study](#) ?
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- 2 honors and awards

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Additional Info

Interests

Aerospace, Engineering, Building Cool Things, Playing the Piano, and always learning

Advice for Contacting Juan Carlos

If you would be interested in contacting me please send me an email or a quick phone call to my contact info below and I will answer as soon as possible.

Email: [jhernandez98@ucmerced.edu](mailto:jhernandez98@ucmerced.edu)  
Phone: 1 (209) 600 1973

Certifications

**Fire Safety Laboratory Training Certification**  
University of California  
Starting April 2014

**Laboratory Safety Fundamentals Training Certification**  
University of California  
Starting May 2014

**Laser Cutters Level I Certification**  
University of California  
Starting March 2015

**Compressed Gas Safety Certification**  
University of California  
Starting March 2015



## Recommendations

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March 31, 2015, Robert worked directly with Juan Carlos at Cessna Aircraft Company/Raytheon Missile Systems Competition

### Image Processing Intern

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**Manuel Zaragoza**

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March 29, 2015, Manuel worked directly with Juan Carlos at Mechatronics, Embedded System and Automation Laboratory

### Bachelor of Science (B.S.)

University of California, Merced

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March 16, 2016, Eduardo studied with Juan Carlos at University of California, Merced

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**The American Ins...**

15,013 members

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**Mechanical Engin...**

189,486 members

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**UC Merced**

1,241 members

Unlisted Group

**MESA Labs Mem...**

20 members

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**The Society of Hi...**

11,174 members

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