

# Stephen Wayne

## Experience

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### **Josh.ai** | Software Engineer III | April 2017 - Present

- Re-wrote date and timezone library in C++ to enable Josh to be cross-platform
- Designed and implemented largest device integration (enabled Crestron support)
- Currently building machine learning predictive platform based on user interaction and contextual data
- Engineering/architecture design for multiple complex, wide-spread internal technologies
- Designed and implemented embedded software and REST API for Josh Micro device setup
- Analyzed, designed, and improved hardware components for embedded Linux platform (Josh Micro)

### **SEELab, UCSD** | Graduate Researcher | 2016-17

- Designed and implemented intelligent frequency-hopping to maintain wireless communication in noisy environments
- Created drone-based distributed network, with forest fire response as a primary use case
- Developed distributed drone system to detect anomalous chemical signatures, with fire as a primary use case
- Real-time data processing for behavior planning and data visualization

### **First RF** | Embedded Systems/RF Intern | Summer 2016

- Designed, built, tested and analyzed novel X-Band radar
- Built internal tooling and signal processing software (Python)

### **Lowry Engineering** | Python Developer | Fall 2014 - Summer 2015

- Developed software tools to interface with ArcGIS for data capture and export
- Automated cost analysis for building trails across variable changes

### **NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory** | Engineering Intern | Summer 2013-14

- Developed models and architecture for small satellite communication in deep space
- Designed experiment to characterize Martian atmosphere by Doppler-tracking balloon-borne probes
- Multipath analysis for lunar surface characterization using GRAIL spacecraft

## Projects

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### **showCal** | Easily add TV showtimes to your Google Calendar

- Work in progress. Some of my goals:
- React.js front end - OAuth2, showtime data display, calendar add options
- Golang backend - implement REST API for React.js client
- Hosted on AWS (lambda?) - using this as an opportunity to build familiarity
- Work towards full CI/CD - using this as an opportunity to build familiarity

### **Guided Parafoil System** | A novel small-payload delivery system from planetary orbiters

- Goal: Deliver small payloads to planetary surface with low cost and high accuracy
- Sponsored and mentored by NASA Ames Research Center
- Sponsored to present this project at the IPPW research conference in Cologne, Germany
- Team lead, designed electrical systems architecture, built embedded software
- Wrote C++ on Teensy 3.1 for system control and data acquisition

## Contact

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## Education

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**M.S.**  
**Electrical/Computer Engineering**  
UC San Diego | 3.8 GPA  
CS Research Lab

**B.S.**  
**Electrical/Computer Engineering**  
Univ. of Idaho | 4.0 GPA  
Summa Cum Laude

## Skills

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### **Languages/Frameworks**

Modern C++  
C# (3.0)  
Python 2/3  
Matlab  
Golang (learning)  
React/Node.js (learning)

### **Other Technologies**

SQLite Database  
MySQL Database  
AWS S3 (learning AWS)  
Git/Jira

## Relevant Courses

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Probabilistic Learning  
Machine Learning  
Data  
Structures/Algorithms  
Distributed Control  
Networks  
Computational Simulation  
Digital Logic  
Calculus I/II/III  
Differential Equations  
Linear Algebra  
Digital Signal Processing  
Embedded Security  
RF Circuit Design  
Low Power Circuit Design  
Advanced  
Electromagnetics  
Antenna Theory/Design