# José Octavio MOLINA NAVA

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#### **EDUCATION**

Tsinghua University

Graduating in july 2024

Bachelor of Science in **Physics**, minor in **Computer Science** Chinese Government Scholarship for Academic Excellence, BBVA Scholarship

GPA 3.05/4.00

Capital Normal University, Beijing

Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

Chinese Language intensive training program

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# Institute of Space Instrumentation (LINX), Institute of Nuclear Sciences, UNAM

Mexico City, Mexico

October 2018 - November 2018

Electronic Instrumentation Research Intern

Collaborated with graduate students on the testing and research of new cosmic particle detectors;

- Learnt awk for the displaying of data from the Pierre Auger cosmic particle observatory in Argentina;
- Heavily improved my problem-solving and communication skills.

### **MAJOR PROJECTS**

# **Extremely Reduced Instruction Set** (ERISC)

2017 - 2018

Led a team of international students developing a prototype of the ERISC

- Developed a program in C++ for interpreting and displaying instructions sets in less than 4MB of memory;
  - The data display was implemented using Qt framework, applying good practices of OOP;
  - The program was tested by the Department of Computer Science of Tsinghua University.

CallTheGuy! 2020

Developed a job-searching app for home professional and personal services for iOS devices

- Mostly written in Swift and Objective-C, using Xcode Autolayout, including SQLite as database;
- Implemented Alamofire for simple networking tasks, among many other cocoapods.

Posts App 2017-2019

Developed an iOS social network app for fun

Used Swift, Objective-C, Mapskit, Xcode AutoLayout, Firebase from Google, simple networking libraries.

Metasapions initiative 2017 - 2018

Founded and led the biotechnology project aiming to reduce the pollution levels in the two main rivers in my hometown

- Engineered natural synthesized soaps of multiple categories, using cooking oil from local businesses;
- Decreased the levels of eutrophication of the water in the rivers Atoyac and Zahuapan in Tlaxcala City.

# **SKILLS**

### PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

3 years: Python, awk

2 years: C/C++, Javascript, Swift, C#

4 months: Matlab, Java, Dart

# **TECHNOLOGIES**

iOS SDK, HTML, CSS, SQL, MongoDB (NoSQL), Django, React.js, Git, Amazon Web Services (AWS), VirtualBox, Firebase, Flask, Unix/Bash, Pandas, Numpy, Arduino.

#### LANGUAGES:

Spanish (Native), English (TOEFL iBT 91, 2017), Chinese (HSK 4, 2020)

#### **AWARDS**

Bronze Medal at Mexican Mathematics Olympiad (2017)

Gold Medal at Exposciences Mexico (member of national selection team) (2017)

Gold Medal at Gauss National Mathematics Competition (2018)

Finalist at Tec de Monterrey International Science Contest (2018)

<u>Finalist</u> at Mexican Space Agency Space Bootcamp (2017)

Honorable Mention at National Chemistry Academic Contest (2016, 2017)

High School Valedictorian GPA: 98/100

# OTHER LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

Speaker at iGEM Competition UAM Congress (2021); Nibiru Astronomical Society, UNAM (2020 and 2021); Space Academy of Mexico (2020).

<u>Lecturer</u> at The House of the Student, a center for socioeconomically disadvantaged students coming from the Sierra Norte coming to study at my hometown local college (2020)