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Experience

- Robotist**, The AI Institute *September 2024 to present*
Motion control engineer for cutting-edge manipulators.
- Electrical and firmware engineer**, Markforged *February 2016 to September 2024*
Architected and implemented full-stack embedded control systems for Markforged 3D printers.
- Electrical engineer**, Formlabs *January 2014 to January 2015*
Designed and implemented PCBs and firmware for high-bandwidth galvanometer control.
- Software intern**, Google *May to August 2011, June to August 2012*
Implemented large-scale text indexing algorithms and distributed caching algorithms.
- Consultant**, Brookhaven National Laboratory *June 2008 to August 2010*
Developed novel techniques to characterize image sensors for the Vera Rubin Observatory.

Skills

- Mathematics:** linear algebra, Fourier analysis, multivariable calculus, signal processing, modern and classical feedback control, kinematics
- Electrical engineering:** mixed-signal circuits, power electronics, PCB layout (Altium), electromagnetic compatibility, laboratory diagnostic and test equipment, mechatronics
- Computer science:** algorithms, operating systems, embedded systems (ARM Cortex-M), C/Rust/Python programming languages, version control (Git)
- Scientific computing:** GNU/Linux environment and tools, NumPy and SciPy libraries, Matplotlib data visualization
- Hobbies:** airplane flying, mountaineering, jazz piano

Education

- Massachusetts Institute of Technology** *September 2014 to January 2016*
Master of engineering in electrical engineering and computer science, working in the MIT Research Laboratory of Electronics under the direction of Professor Steven Leeb.
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology** *September 2010 to June 2014*
Bachelor of science in electrical engineering and computer science and in mathematics, with a cumulative GPA of 5.0 out of 5.0.