

# MARTIN RODRIGUEZ



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## ENGINEERING/TECH EXPERIENCE

### Quality Assurance Lead, Quality Assurance Tester Plus QA

Jun. 2018 – Mar. 2022 Portland, OR

- Worked with clients to develop comprehensive testing strategies and provide assistance to existing QA teams
- Performed quality assurance testing for mobile and web apps on a variety of platforms

### Electrical Engineering Intern

#### Lam Research

Mar. – Dec. 2017 Tualatin, OR

- Researched and developed methods of manufacturing and characterizing atomic force microscope probes using an electron microscope, leading to improved tool sensitivity and efficiency

### Undergraduate Researcher

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Jun. – Sep. 2016 Portland, OR

- Optimized neural network (reservoir computation) techniques in Python and MATLAB and applied a novel filtering algorithm to the output layer in reservoir simulations, increasing accuracy and reducing simulation runtime

### Summer Intern

#### NASA Goddard Space Flight Center

Jun. – Aug. 2011 Greenbelt, MD

- Designed orbit simulations in MATLAB, aiding in the nascent stages of the CubeSat modular satellite systems for use in education program

## PROJECTS

### Real-Time Tempo Detection with Harmonic-Percussive Source Separation via Median Filtering

EE 522: Discrete Time Processing Final Project,  
Portland State University

2022

## SEEKING

A full-time research or engineering role in the signal processing and machine learning space

## ACHIEVEMENTS

Lam Research Core Values Scholarship Recipient, 2017  
Lam Research

Multiple Engineering Cooperative Program (MECOP) Intern, 2017  
Portland State University

Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Student, 2016  
Portland State University

Ronald E. McNair Scholar, 2011  
PSU McNair Scholars Program

Oregon Space Grant Recipient, 2011  
Oregon NASA Space Grant Consortium

## STRENGTHS

Writing Research Sound Design  
Statistical Analysis Embedded Systems  
General Hacking

Python NumPy scikit-learn  
OpenCV librosa Matplotlib  
PyTorch TensorFlow  
C/C++ Julia MATLAB  
bash ARM/MIPS Assembly  
LaTeX Git Jira

Ableton Live TouchDesigner

## EDUCATION

M.Sc in Electrical Engineering (Signal Processing and Machine Learning)

Portland State University

Jan. 2021 – Jan. 2024

Image Sorting and Sequencing using Canny Edge Detection and Hough Transforms

**EE 513: Intro to Image Processing Final Project,**  
**Portland State University**

📅 2022

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Early Detection of Forest Fires with Environmental Sensors, Computer Vision, and Deep Learning Techniques in Python and TensorFlow

**Capstone Project,**  
**Portland State University/Intel**

📅 2019

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## **SERVICE INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE**

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Prep Cook/Line Cook (Salads and Desserts)

**Gumba**

📅 Jul. 2022 – Current

📍 Portland, OR

- Prepare food before service and during service on the cold side station
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Dishwasher/Prep Cook

**Gado Gado**

📅 Aug. – Oct. 2019

📍 Portland, OR

- Washed dishes and performed light prep work
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Dishwasher/Prep Cook

**Clyde Common**

📅 Dec. 2017 – Jun. 2018

📍 Portland, OR

- Washed dishes and performed light prep work and maintenance for the restaurant
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Host/Server/Bartender/Dishwasher

**Ned Ludd**

📅 Oct. 2014 – Mar. 2016

📍 Portland, OR

- Began washing dishes, transitioned into performing host duties in the restaurant and serving and tending bar for the event space
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Server/Bartender

**El Sapo**

📅 Sep. 2013 – Aug. 2014

📍 Austin, TX

- Began serving in the restaurant, moved to serving and bartending

Thesis title: Applying positive unlabeled learning techniques and using the KL divergence to improve geothermal surveying assessments

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**B.Sc. in Electrical Engineering (Embedded Systems)**

**Portland State University**

📅 Sept. 2015 – Sept. 2019