# **JOHN MORRISON**

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#### EMPLOYMENT

#### The MITRE Corporation Bedford, MA

Software Engineer

- Worked on C++ structure from motion software in support of an Air Force UAV program
- Improved team's software development practices and led transition to CMake and Git
- Developed software to improve streaming and degraded UAV telemetry
- Worked extensively on video processing and network communication in a multithreaded application

#### EDUCATION

The George Washington University Washington, DC PhD, August 2013 – Present Research: Realtime robotic perception in challenging environments

Bowdoin College Brunswick, ME Bachelor of Arts, May 2011 Major: Computer Science Minor: German Computer Science GPA: 3.78 Relevant Coursework: AI, Algorithms, Cognitive Architecture, GIS, Robotics Cumulative GPA: 3.56

#### Technische Universität Berlin, Germany Spring 2010 **GPA:** 4.00 Courses: Database Systems, Computer Organization

**PUBLICATIONS** 

• John Morrison, Eric Chown, and Bill Silver. 2013. "Implementing a Real-Time Hough Transform on a Mobile Robot." In RoboCup 2012: Robot Soccer World Cup XVI, edited by Xiaoping Chen et al., 7500:322–331. Lecture Notes in Computer Science. Springer Berlin Heidelberg

## **COLLEGE EXPERIENCE**

#### Bowdoin College Northern Bites RoboCup Team Fall 2007 – Spring 2011 Captain, World-Class Robotics Team • Implemented vision algorithms (C++), developed autonomous robotic soccer player behaviors (Python), and built offline debugging tools (Java)

- Captained team of 10 undergraduate students during 2010 2011 year
- Presented Senior Honors thesis at 2012 RoboCup Symposium
- **Bowdoin College Computer Science Department**

#### Teaching Assistant

- Ran study group for CS 210 Data Structures
- Tutored students in intermediate CS concepts
- Helped students with programming assignments

### HONORS AND AWARDS

- Bowdoin College Computer Science Senior-Year Prize, 2011
- Senior Honors Project in Computer Science, 2010-2011
- Freedman Summer Research Fellowship in Computer Science, 2010
- Maine Space Grant Consortium Summer Fellowship, 2009
- Sarah and James Bowdoin Scholar (Dean's List), 2007-2008
- Vigil Honor, Order of the Arrow, Boy Scouts of America, 2007
- Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America, 2006

### **Relevant Skills**

- Assembly
- Bash scripting
- C/C++

- CMake
- Git
- Java

July 2011 - June 2013

Fall 2010 – Spring 2011

• MATLAB

• Python

• R