

Howard Ding

About Me

Hello everyone, I am Howard Ding. I was born in Nanjing, China, and moved to San Jose, California, during middle school. I attended Valley Christian High School and am excited to begin this new journey at UCLA with the ECE department. In my free time, I enjoy spending time with my friends, whether that's hanging out at the mall or playing badminton. I also appreciate my alone time, which I spend driving in my car, listening to music, or queuing up a few rounds of Valorant.



Why UCLA ECE?

Since high school, I have enjoyed robotics and participated in a variety of competitions, such as FTC and MATE ROV. I enjoy the process of finding solutions to modern problems through engineering and innovation, and I decided to pursue this passion at UCLA's ECE department. I chose UCLA because of the programs and opportunities available for me to explore my interests and gain experience, whether through research or internships.

Career Goals

In terms of my career, I plan on getting my master's and potentially a Ph.D. as well. I hope to first go into industry to gain experience and establish a clear direction for my career path. Eventually, I would like to return to academia, where I can pursue research at a higher level.