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OBJECTIVE

Motivated college sophomore with a track record of academic excellence as well as a strong background in teamwork. Open to all sorts of opportunities regarding internships and/or part-time work experience. Intending to develop professional experience utilizing efficient and excellent communication, organization, and team-building skills.

EDUCATION

Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical/Astronautical Engineering

May 2028

GPA: 3.70

SKILLS: CAD (Fusion/NX), CAM (Fusion), CNC Machining, 3D-Printing, PDM (Siemens Teamcenter), Bilingual (Mandarin), Team building, Collaboration, Quick Learner

EXTRA CURRICULARS

Purdue Undergraduate Rocket Propulsion Lab (PURPL) ~ Turbopump, Purdue University

January 2025 – Present

- Utilized Fusion360 to perform CAM mill operations for LOx and Kerosene inducers
- Manufactured aluminum and 304 stainless inducers via a HAAS 5-axis CNC machine
- Utilized Fusion360 to do lathe (HAAS ST20-Y) and mill (HAAS VF4) CAD/CAM for a personalized torch igniter
- Optimized turbopump shaft CAD/CAM for the purpose of testing keyway and pin torque values regarding different materials such as 304 stainless or Inconel 718
- Explored GD&T and its applications for the manufacturing of a turbopump rotor and stator out of materials such as Inconel 718, 304 stainless steel, A286 stainless steel, and 6061 aluminums
- Investigated thermal properties and gap clearances for manufacturing and shrink-fit procedures on a turbopump shaft

Vertical Flight Systems (VFS) | GoAero, Purdue University

August 2024 – Present

- Employed NX to design and CAD early-stage motor mounts for composite and mill manufacturing
- Identified manufacturing methods with composite materials (carbon fiber layups) for the use of creating a strong and lightweight drone framework
- Operated Fusion360 to formulate mill and lathe CAM for aluminum drone motor mounts

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

MFET 163 Graphic Communication & Spatial Analysis

January 2025-May 2025

- Worked with a Product Data Management (PDM) system (Siemens Teamcenter) to support design, collaboration and geometry re-use to simulate an industry PLM setting

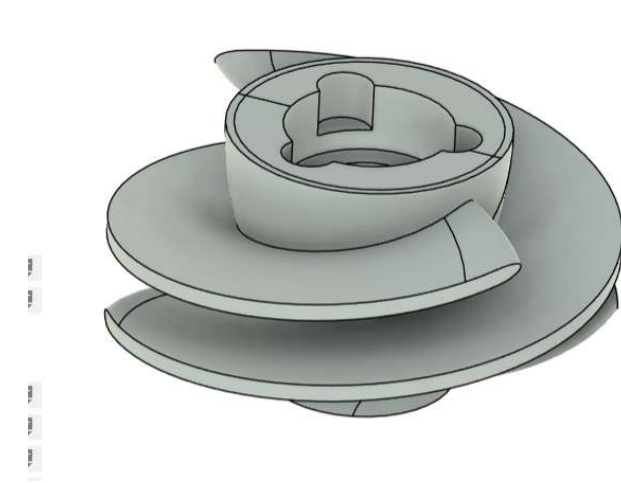
RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Engineering Projects in Community Service (EPICS), Purdue University

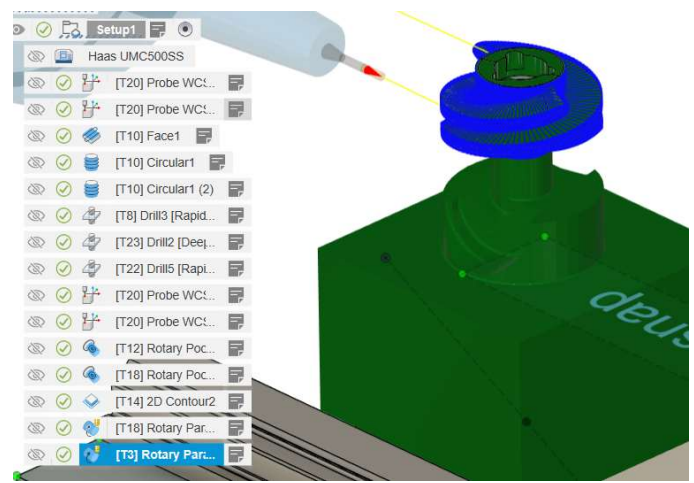
August 2024-May 2025

- Redesigned a model hydraulic arm for the purpose of educating children on Purdue Space Day about the use of hydraulics
- Operated Fusion360 to CAD opening mechanisms for a passive-close claw and rack/pinion for a swiveling base to add more range of motion to the arm
- Performed as Financial Officer for the Wind Tunnel Museum project and handled financial communications between team members and leaders regarding purchases
- Experimented with SLS printing via a Formlabs Fuse 1 printer to produce precise and durable fan blades for a model wind tunnel

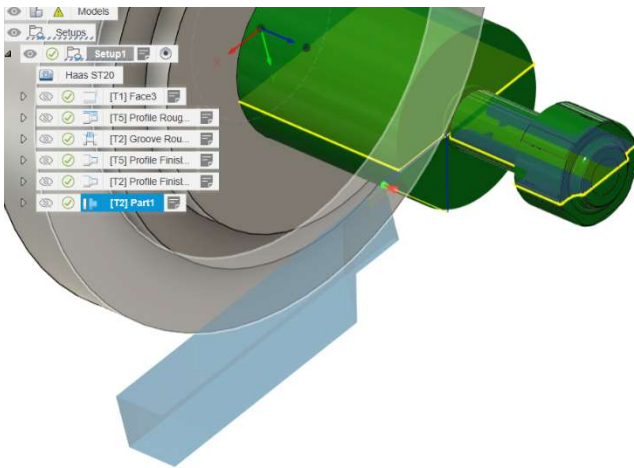
PURPL MANUFACTURING:



Lox Inducer CAD Model in Fusion360



Using Fusion360 to CAM out a Lox inducer on a UMC 5-axis



Using Fusion360 to CAM out a torch ignitor on a ST20-Y



5-axis machining of a Kerosene inducer on a UMC 5-axis

EPICS:



Used Fusion360 to model and Bambu printers to manufacture hydraulic arms for children to learn about hydraulics



Final product: Kerosene Inducer for a turbopump