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EDUCATION

George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

M.Sci. Mechanical Engineering

Sept. 2010 – Dec. 2012

B.Sci. Mechanical Engineering

Sept. 2005 - May 2010

Professional Experience George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

Post-Grad Researcher

Jan. 2013 - Present

- Led design and management of mechanical assemblies, fabricated parts, dealt with outside vendors for products that could not be manufactured in house, tested and integrated final robotic subsystems. Subsystems are related to the Parkour Cars project and miniature actuation solutions.
- Led design, fabrication, and integration of mechanical subsystems related to the Autonomous Lexus project.
- Managed multiple projects procurement supply chains.
- Built lab infrastructure including set up of Dense Motion Capture lab and Autonomous Car lab.

Dean's Fellow

Sept. 2010 - Aug. 2012

- Leveraged relationships with foreign institutions to create robust, complete study abroad programs for undergraduate engineers with excellent support at GW and the foreign institution.
- Expanded first two partnerships at University College Dublin and Korea University, 37% and 18% respectively, in both population and scope.
- Create partnerships at Boğaziçi University and University of Nicosia.
- Maintained study abroad participation despite nearly 25% drop in eligible population.
- Led logistics backbone team for the 2011 New Student Getaway.

Orbital Science Corporation, Greenbelt, MD

Intern

May 2008 - Sept. 2008

- Liaised between the design, QA, integration, and fabrication to effectively prepare the MULE carrier for flight on STS 125.
- Responsible for traceability of flight material and hardware.
- Integrated various GSE and flight hardware and systems, specific to M.U.L.E. Carrier.
- Led exploratory testing on a subsystem, recommended changes, and integrated changes into the final flight configuration.

RESEARCH & TEACHING EXPERIENCE

George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

Adjunct Professor

Jan. 2013 - May 2013, Jan. 2014 - May 2014

- Lectured on CAD and CAE topics ranging from design intent, beginner, intermediate, and advanced modeling, FEA techniques, and DFMA.
- Lectured for eight credit hours comprised of 90+ students.

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Sept. 2010 – May 2011, Sept. 2012 – Dec. 2012

- Led lab sections for undergraduate courses in introduction to mechanical engineering.
- Average class size of 20.

Research Assistant

May 2009 - Oct. 2009, May 2010 - Aug. 2010

- Investigated nanoscale drug delivery via cold plasma treatment, specific to fibroblast cells. (2010)
 Investigated controlling synthesis of carbon paragraphy plasma means in are discharge.
- Investigated controlling synthesis of carbon nanostructures by plasma means in arc discharge. Published APS, Abstract ID: BAPS.2009.DPP.BP8.109 (2009)

National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD

Laboratory Technician

May 2005 – Aug. 2005, May 2006 – Aug. 2006

- Researched atmospheric aerosols in relation to single scattering albedo. (2006)
- Researched the creation and use of silica sol gels in relation to aerosol insulin. (2005)

SKILLS & EXPERTISE

ProE/Creo, Solidworks, Sheetmetal, ANSYS Workbench and CFX, COMSOL, MATLAB, \LaTeX 2ε , Microsoft Office Suite, ISO 9001, Metal and composite manufacture, Basic CNC manufacturing

HONOURS AND AWARDS Clinton Global Initiative University 2012 Commitment Challenge, Panda Cycles - Winner Boy Scouts of America - Eagle Scout Award, 2005