# **A Cubed Design**



Building an accessible tomorrow, today.

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#### **About Us**

We are a start-up developing a braille display that is affordable, repairable by users, and offers pathways to employment.

#### **Our Mission**

Create an ecosystem of devices that are affordable and meet the needs of blind people to increase literacy, employment, and confidence.

#### **Our Vision**

We envision a world where all blind people can actively participate in society; free from barriers.

#### **Our Values**

Human centered and empathetic engineering to build the equitable and accessible future of tomorrow, today.

## The Three A's of A Cubed

#### **Accelerated**

"We aim to accelerate the way blind individuals interface with their environment through plug and play features to our device."

-Garrett Carder: Chief Executive Officer and Chief Engineer

#### **Accessible**

"We value accessibility first and foremost by involving end-users in all stages of development."

-Caroline Karbowski: Chief Community Officer

#### **Affordable**

"Our braille display is slated to be the most obtainable on the market."

-Enan Srivastava: Chief Operations Officer

## **Prototypes**

## **Enigma Braille Display Prototype**

 One braille cell with rotating wheels. Braille dots 123 on the left wheel and dots 456 on the right wheel

# Enigma Reader - Alpha v2 Demo

- Seven braille cells with rotating wheels
- Perkins style keyboard
- Panning buttons

## Enigma Reader - v3 (in progress)

- 20 piezoelectric cells
- Perkins style keyboard
- BRL and EPUB compatibility
- JAWS, NVDA and Narrator compatibility

# **Accomplishments**

- 4th at MakeOHI/O 2022
- \$250 at The Ohio State University's Innovation Studio pitch contest 2022
- \$50,000 from the inaugural 2022 President's Buckeye Accelerator
- \$5,000 from VentureWell's 2023 Pioneer program
- \$20,000 from VentureWell's 2023 Propel program
- \$10,000 from The Keith B. Key Buckeye Social Entrepreneurship Program, powered by SEA Change

## **Connect with Us!**

We are seeking collaborators to

- Share input through 15-20 minute interviews
- Complete short surveys
- Get involved with our Project Advisory Team
- Test our future prototypes

QR code for linktr.ee/ACubedDesign which includes our website, social media links, contact us, and surveys.



## **Contact Information**

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