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## EDUCATION

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| <b>University of Pittsburgh (Swanson School of Engineering)</b>                                  | <b>Pittsburgh, PA</b>           |
| • <i>B.S. - Computer Engineering (Autonomous Systems Focus); GPA: 3.99</i>                       | <i>August 2022 - April 2026</i> |
| Courses: Data Structures and Algorithms, Embedded Processors, Microelectronics, Digital Circuits |                                 |

## SKILLS AND AWARDS

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- **Languages:** Python, C++, ARM Assembly
  - **Technologies:** Linux, ROS, Github, Solidworks, MATLAB, Microsoft Products, Arduino, Raspberry Pi, OpenCV
  - **Manufacturing:** Milling, Soldering, Laser Cutting, General Shop Tools
  - **General Awards:** Dean's Honor List (2021-Present), Honor List (2021-Present), Eagle Scout
  - **Engineering Awards:** FSAE Innovation Award, FIRST Chairman's, FIRST Excellence in Engineering, FIRST Industrial Design Award, VEX Judges Award

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| <b>Carnegie Mellon University Robotics Institute (Biorobotics Lab)</b>   | <b>Pittsburgh, PA</b>       |
| • <i>Undergraduate Research Intern (Part-Time)</i>   | <i>April 2023 - Present</i> |
| • <b>Underwater Snake Robot:</b> (Link: <a href="http://tinyurl.com/humrsCMU">http://tinyurl.com/humrsCMU</a> )              |                             |
| * Implemented High-Frequency Injection methods in BLDC thrusters to achieve control at low/zero speeds.                      |                             |
| * Working to implement station-keeping feature using AprilTags and IMU readings.   |                             |
| • <b>Apple's E-Waste Recycling Project:</b> (Link: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/applecmu">https://tinyurl.com/applecmu</a> ) |                             |
| * Created large datasets for Machine Learning Models to detect screws in e-waste images.                                     |                             |
| * Integrated ROS and Python packages to track ArucoTags using a Realsense camera for localization of robotic arm.            |                             |
| * Manufactured custom AprilTags using lasercutters and sheet metal manufacturing methods.                                    |                             |

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

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| <b>Society of Astronautics and Rocketry</b>   | <b>Pittsburgh, PA</b>          |
| • <i>Chief Engineer (Student Led Organization)</i>  | <i>August 2022 - Present</i>   |
| • Leading a group of approx. 30 students to design and fabricate a rover to participate in the University Rover Challenge. (Link: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/roverimages">https://tinyurl.com/roverimages</a> ) |                                |
| • Led the development of a prototype robotic hand using pneumatics. (Link: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/hydraarm">https://tinyurl.com/hydraarm</a> )  |                                |
| <b>FIRST and VEX Robotics</b>   | <b>Royersford, PA</b>          |
| • <i>Team Captain/Design Lead (Student Led Organization)</i>  | <i>August 2018 - June 2022</i> |
| • Designed six robots in <b>Solidworks</b> across four years. All robots qualified for higher level of competition.   |                                |
| • Taught younger students about robot design and manufacturing through workshops and general building.  |                                |
| • Won the VEX Judges Award, FIRST Excellence in Engineering Award, FIRST Industrial Design Award, and the FIRST Chairman's Award.   |                                |

## PROJECTS

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- **STM-32 Elevator Simulator (ARM Assembly, Project Integration):** Designed and Implemented software architecture in ARM Assembly to operate a physical elevator simulator PCB. (Link: <https://tinyurl.com/stmelevator>)
  - **Custom Cane (Human Centered Design, Solidworks, Presentation):** Designed and manufactured a Walker-Cane Fusion to make bathrooms more accessible for wheelchair users. The project won first place at the Senior Design Expo within its category. (Link: <https://tinyurl.com/CustomCane>)
  - **Formula SAE E-Brake Bias (Solidworks):** Developed an award winning e-brake bias system for a formula style racecar, utilizing Solidworks and 3D printing technology to enhance performance and usability. (Link: <https://tinyurl.com/ebrakeb>)
  - **String Art Generator and Optimizer (Research, Python):** Developed an innovative string art optimization tools and GUI using Python programming to improve upon existing string art generators. (Link: <https://tinyurl.com/goyalstring>)
  - **Silicon Prosthetic Hand (Research, Solidworks):** Designed and Manufactured prototype prosthetic hand with silicone soft actuators and tested with human participants for AP Research Project. (Link: <https://tinyurl.com/myprosthetic>)
  - **Bird Sanctuary Restoration (Eagle Scout Project, Volunteering):** Organized a project to restore parts of the Audubon Bird Sanctuary by painting fences, guardrails, and small buildings. (Link: <https://tinyurl.com/goyaleagle>)