Christophe Foyer

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Education:

Washington University in Saint Louis, United States

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering; Minor in Energy Engineering

RWTH Aachen, Germany

Certificate in 'Renewable Energy Technology'

Certificate in 'Mechatronics and Product Innovation'

School for International Training, Reykjavik, Iceland

Renewable Energy Engineering and Resource Economics

Aug 2014 – Dec 2017

3.14/4.00 GPA

Jun 2017 – Jul 2017

2.3/5.0 (Very Good)

1.3/5.0 (Excellent)

Jun 2015 – Aug 2015

Experience:

Wash. U. Design/Build/Fly Competition Team

Co-Founder and Systems Team Lead

Treasurer

Washington University in St. Louis, USA Mar 2016 – Dec 2017

Aug 2016 – May 2017

- Co-led the team to 12th place out of 138 teams at the AIAA DBF 2017 competition, and 1st in the US Midwest
- Designed aircraft internal system including battery and motor selection with the systems team
- Managed an operating budget of \$10,000 to buy supplies and organize travel to the competition
- Scheduled weekly meetings with the team and set project deadlines

American Society of Mechanical Engineers

Member Event Planner Washington University in St. Louis, USA Jan 2016 – Dec 2017

Sep 2016 – May 2017

- Assisted ASME members with ongoing projects by advising them on manufacturing and component selection
- Researched potential STEM-related speakers to fit within budget constraint, presented reasons to fund Michio Kaku's visit to campus, and secured a date for his visit

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Jun 2015 – Aug 2017

• Maintenance and operation of farming equipment and various agricultural work during the summer

Projects: www.cfoyer.com/#projects

Senior Design Project - Low-Cost CPV

Aug 2017 – Dec 2017

Foyer, Christophe; Rangwala, Adam; and Nana, Deep, "Water Lenses for Low-Cost Concentrator Photovoltaics" (2017). Mechanical Engineering Design Project Class. (https://openscholarship.wustl.edu/mems411/71/)

- Coding of FEA and ray tracing software for optics simulation in MATLAB
- Development of a sunlight tracking circuit and coding using Arduino
- Creation of a working proof of concept prototype increasing solar cell output by 860%.

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Design and construction of a motor test stand for Wash. U. Design/Build/Fly:

- GUI development, serial communication protocol and sensor integration
- Coded in Python and Arduino C, packaged in .exe format to facilitate deployment to new Windows installations
- Measures motor-propeller-battery system RPM, current, voltage, and thrust and logs output to CSV

Personal Transportation

Motor Test Stand

Oct 2016 - Dec 2017

Aug 2017 – Dec 2017

Design and construction of a custom built electric longboard for daily usage and international travel:

- CAD, FEA, and part fabrication in aluminum and FDM printing of plastic parts
- Electrical powertrain design including component selection balancing efficiency and cost
- Designed according to air travel and personal transportation regulations.

Skills:

CAD / FEA / CFD: SolidWorks, Autodesk Inventor, XFLR5
Programming Languages: MATLAB, Simulink, Python, Arduino C, HTML
3D-Printing, Machining (Lathe, Mill), Composite Manufacturing
Software: Microsoft Office Suite, Windows, Linux
Languages: Bilingual French - English • Basic German and Icelandic