Welcome!

Electrical Training Week 0



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Agenda

- Introductions
- What do we do in RoboJackets?
- Target Skills
- Expectations
- Timeline for the semester



Introductions

You should know these people



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- 3rd Year Electrical Engineering Major
- Hometown: Tampa, FL
- Teams: RoboRacing, Outreach

Juan Elizondo



- 3rd Year Electrical Engineering Major
- Hometown: Greenville, SC
- Team: Sumo Electrical
- Electrical Core lead

Arvind Srinivasan



- 2nd Year Computer Engineering Major
- Hometown: Ashburn,
 VA
- Team: RoboCup

Asha Bhandarkar

Me!



- 2nd Year Computer Engineering Major
- Hometown: Athens, GA
- Team: IGVC

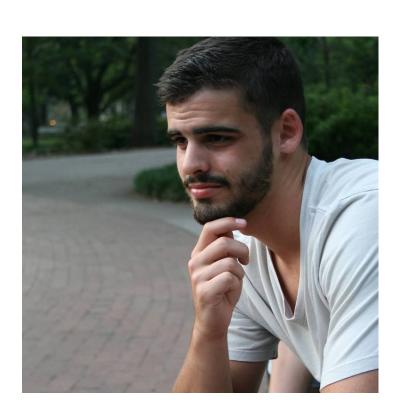
Marine Maisonneuve



Me!

- 2nd Year Electrical Engineering Major
- Hometown: Paris,
 France
- Team: Robocup

Austin Keener



- 5th Year Electrical Engineering Major
- Hometown: Gainesville,
 GA
- Team: RoboRacing



RoboJackets Electrical



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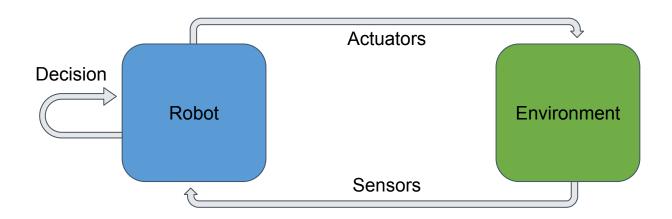
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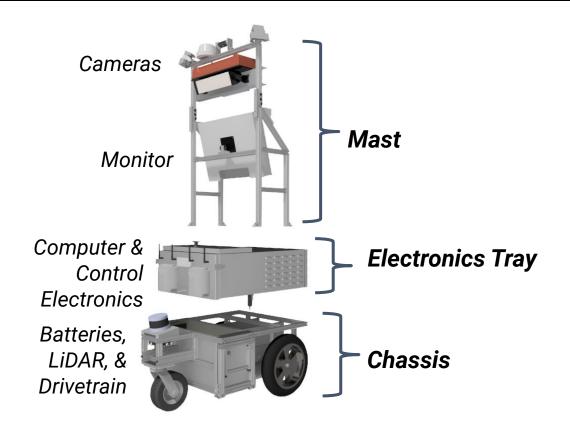


What is a Robot?

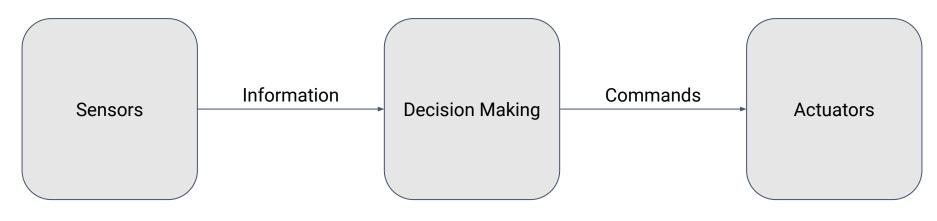


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- LiDAR
- Inertial Measurement Unit
- Cameras
- Wheel Encoders

- Custom-built Computer
- MBed Microcontroller

 2x Brushed DC Motors



Electrical Scope

- Deliver power to all electrical components
- Convert sensor readings into information and communicate that to computing system
- Convert commands into control signals and communicate that to actuators



What we do

- Determine system requirements based on other subteams
- Design, assemble, and test robot power and control systems
- Develop Printed Circuit Boards (PCBs) to integrate various functional components
- Implement complex behaviors through firmware programming
- Ensure safety for team members through automatic and/or manual cutoffs



Skills Used

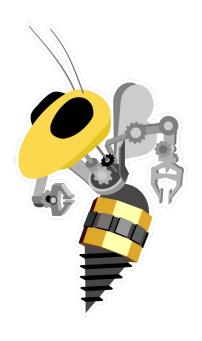
- Embedded Systems
 - Digital circuit design with microcontrollers
 - Inter-circuit and computer communication
 - Microcontroller programming
- Control
 - Sensing
 - Control system design
 - Actuator dynamics
- Hardware
 - Soldering
 - Wiring
 - Assembly



Printed Circuit Board



Arduino Microcontroller



Electrical Training





Format

- 9 weeks of training:
 - 6-8 PM
 - Skipping Fall Break (Oct 14 week)
- Tuesday and Wednesday options
- Lecture/Discussion followed by exercise
- Watch training videos before coming



Training Content

- Develop knowledge of electronic components
- Understand purpose and capability of microcontrollers
- Introduction to EAGLE CAD software
- Introduction to embedded C/C++ programming



Tips for Success

- Check Slack and email
- Watch the videos before the week's training
- Don't be afraid to ask questions during training
- Google is your best friend
 - All of us in RoboJackets are here to learn
 - Figure out things as you encounter them
- Make friends with the people around you

Slack

- Join #<your team>, #<your team>-electrical, and #electrical-ama
 - #pixie-wranglers for memes/offtopic
- Set a profile picture (please)
- Set a "What I do" bio
 - <your team> Electrical
- Other channels
 - #sportsball, #pets, #recognitions, #rj-girl-gang



Electricity Reference

- Go to this website: github.com/robojackets/electrical-training
 - Under it see references > electricity_basics
- This repository is where all reference materials will be posted (including slides after the week is over)