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# **Experience**

### Verkada, San Mateo, Ca

### September 2023 - January 2024

## Product Design Mechanical Engineer (Cameras)

- Brought a new security camera accessory from ideation to market, including creation of mockups, thermal analysis, cost negotiations, and tooling kickoff/design for sheet metal and die-cast parts.
- Led Mechanical Engineering efforts for a new security camera project, taking it through Research, Prototyping, RFQ, PRD, and EVT stages; the camera is expected to increase yearly revenue by USD \$400,000+.
- Applied worst case, RSS, and MRSS statistical tolerance loop analysis to ensure proper clearance for part assembly and product functionality.
- Collaborated with JDM's & overseas tooling vendors to update mechanical designs, 2D drawings, and review DFM/tooling designs; traveled to Taiwan to meet with JDM's & tooling vendors.
- Performed material selection for screws, stamped inserts, sheet metal, die cast, injection molding, compression molding, die cut PSA, die cut foam; on both outdoor and indoor rated products.

# Kindred AI, Toronto, On January 2023 - April 2023

# Robotics Hardware Engineer - On Grid Robotic Pick

- Researched and fabricated custom FDA-compliant suction cups with varying durometers using urethane casting. Increased pickable grocery items by 10% and improved maximum robot acceleration by up to 15% for certain items.
- Implemented DFMA methodologies to design high-volume, precision parts for next-generation robotic pick end effectors.
- Built an object that has configurable mass and porosity to imitate any pickable grocery item, which is used to identify maximum robot acceleration for individual SKUs.
- Performed FEA on multiple parts to reduce weight by up to 25%, and identify areas of high stress.

### OMERS Ventures, Toronto, On

### May 2022 - August 2022

### Software Developer

- Developed a signal processing pipeline to notify teams of potential deals, by using Prefect to orchestrate Python code that leveraged various web scraping tools, Web APIs, and SQL databases.
- Created a 5 ft x 5 ft custom, open-source Word Clock for the reception area, with completely original 3D printed and CNC machined pieces, and embedded C software.

#### Untether AI, Toronto, On

#### September 2021 - December 2021

### Al Accelerator Hardware Engineer

- Wrote Python code to instantiate Verilog test modules with customizable I/O hubs and communication lanes, automating the writing of multiple test bench modules, the modules were capable of verifying up to 98% of the hardware.
- Researched and implemented a variety of passive/active cooling techniques and configurations on TsunAlmi, a GPU sized device that contains 4 of Untether Al's accelerator chips.

# NMC Dynaplas, Scarborough, On

# January 2021 - April 2021

#### **Manufacturing Engineer**

- Designed and fabricated multiple test fixtures (3D printing, Machining) to hold parts for CMM measuring, reducing the average time to measure parts by 500%.
- Analyzed Engineering drawings to create CMM measuring routines and wrote excel VBA software to populate documents with the data after measuring, almost completely removing human measurement from the QA process.

# **Education**

• University of Waterloo: BASc, Mechatronics, GPA: 3.99/4.0

Sept 2020 - May 2025

Awards and Honors: President's Scholarship of Distinction, Term Dean's Honour List: 1B, 2A, 2B, 3A

### **Technical Skills**

Design: CAD (Solidworks, Fusion, Onshape, NX, Creo), FEA (Ansys, Autodesk, Solidworks), DFM, DFA, generative design, laser cutting, 3D printing (FDM, SLA, SLS, MJF), CNC, manual machining, statistical tolerance analysis, CAM.

Hardware: Design (Altium, Eagle), THT and SMT soldering, Reflow.

Software: C++, C, Python, Verilog, System Verilog, Assembly, VBA, MATLAB and basic SQL, HTML, CSS, JS.