# SAMANTHA R. EALY

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#### **EDUCATION**

**Carnegie Mellon University** 

Pittsburgh, PA May 2019

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Procter & Gamble Inwood, WV

Manufacturing Engineering Manager

July 2019 – Present

- Delivered 55% process reliability improvement in repeated robotic system failures enabling an annual savings of \$3.1MM in unplanned downtime, with reapplication to five start-up production lines for a total of ~\$15MM in downtime savings
- Improved raw material utilization to deliver \$760M in annual savings through reliability engineering and root cause analysis
- Built data infrastructure to automate entry of setpoints improving the time efficiency of data collection by 75%
- Led collaboration cross-functionally to reduce process failures and improve monthly throughput by 125%
- Managed development and deployment of qualification for daily management system to 80 line technicians and qualified 8 individuals allowing for 4 promotions
- Created dashboards to visualize big data in PowerBI enabling analysis of key performance indicators (KPIs) for the module
- Pioneered forum to drive career progression and generate mentor relationships with leadership for 12 new hire managers

**aiPod**Electromechanical Engineering Intern

Pasadena, CA June 2018 – August 2018

- Designed and created CAD model of sensor packaging and performed stress/thermal analysis in SolidWorks
- Collaborated in optimizing computer vision algorithms centered on object classification using OpenCV resulting in an increased frame rate by 50%
- Tested multiple iterations of vehicle-to-infrastructure communication for autonomous vehicles using DSRC radio
- Completed cost benefit analysis on computer processors, thermal cameras, and sensors to determine the components to buy

## **SKILLS**

Software Tools: Visual Studio, SolidWorks, MATLAB, Microsoft Office, Power BI, SAP

Languages: Python, SQL, C, C++, HTML, CSS, Javascript (React.js)

**Fabrication**: CNC Machining, 3D Printing, Laser Cutting

## **PROJECTS**

# **Self-Leveling Pinball Machine**

Fall 2018

- Re-engineered a pinball machine equipped with an automatic leveling system using DC motors controlled by an Arduino, allowing up to a 0.3-degree accuracy
- Machined gimbal system and rewired electrical components into a remodeled weight-efficient cabinet by converting basic design requirements into mechanical drawings
- Awarded at Mechanical Engineering Design Exposition for the Best Prototype and Best Overall

# **Scotty Dog's Retro Arcade**

Fall 2018

• Launched application consisting of popular arcade games in a team of 5 developers and led debugging efforts through integration testing

LED Sand Simulator Spring 2018

Programmed Arduino to produce an interactive, portable light display that responds to gravitational motion using an RGB LED Matrix
Panel and accelerometer

# **Swinging Robotic Gripper**

Fall 2017

- Led a team of 5 engineers to design and fabricate a robotic gripper, provided a small motor torque, to hold on to a 1.5 kg aluminum weight during a pendulum simulation given contact constraints
- Implemented CAD modeling to perform stress analysis and determined required ratios for gear mechanism

# Astronaut's Coat Rack

Fall 2017

- Designed award-winning, lightweight acrylic bracket of 3.2 grams to hold 40 pounds of downward force
- Utilized stress and failure simulation, geometry/strength/mass optimization, CAD modeling, and finite element analysis

## **SPIRIT Racing Systems - Mechanics Rolls Chair**

September 2016 – September 2018

- Maintained and refined 5 composite-based, unpowered racing vehicles (buggies), equipped with a steering and braking system, rear axle, windshield, and polyurethane wheels
- Led 23 mechanics in supplemental projects, such as, constructing new windshields, wheel heating, molding, and machining parts, to optimize buggy functionality and speed