

# Aaron Miguel de Windt

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

AUGUST 2018 – PRESENT

Airborne Composite Automation, The Hague

### *Software engineer*

- Responsible for the development of control software for machines used to automate the production of composite parts, primarily in written Python.

SEPTEMBER 2016 – AUGUST 2018

Delft Aerospace Rocket Engineering, Delft

### *Chief Simulations Stratos III*

- Largest student rocket ever built with the goal of breaking the European Altitude Record.
- Responsible for the development, operation and maintenance of a set of simulation tools primarily written in Python with C++ extensions.
- In charge of over eight part-time engineers.
- Worked on the preliminary and detailed design of Stratos III.
- Responsible for the development of a state estimation and sensor fusion experiment using Kalman filters written in C++.
- Responsible for the range safety analysis of Stratos III.
- Produced miscellaneous hardware parts, primarily composite parts, metal machining and assembly of the hybrid rocket engine.

FEBRUARY 2018 – JUNE 2018

DAWN Aerospace, Delft

### *Control and Simulation intern*

- Researched into the development of aircraft system identification tools.
- Developed tools demonstrating the methods found.

SEPTEMBER 2017 – JANUARY 2018

Delft Aerospace Rocket Engineering, Delft

### *DARE Minor Supervisor*

- Minor program organized by DARE with the goal to design, produce and test a rocket engine Trust Vectoring System.
- Supervised and provided technical guidance to the DARE Minor 2017/2018 team.

SEPTEMBER 2017 – SEPTEMBER 2018

Delft Aerospace Rocket Engineering, Delft

### *Secretary Executive Safety Board*

- Responsible for taking minutes and general organization of the DARE safety board.

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## EDUCATION

2015 – PRESENT **MSc Aerospace Control and Simulations**

EXPECTED AUGUST 2019  
Delft University of Technology

2011 – 2015 **BSc Aerospace Engineering**  
Delft University of Technology

## COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Papiamentu Native speaker  
English Fluent  
Dutch Good  
Spanish Good

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming, Control theory, Machine learning, Systems Engineering, Metal working, Carbon/glass fiber composite materials production, Bench-work

## SOFTWARE SKILLS

Proficient	Python, C/C++, Matlab, SQL, Git, $\LaTeX$ , Simulink, Linux, Windows, Numpy, Pandas, Scipy
Working Knowledge	FreeRTOS, HTML, Javascript, CSS, Microsoft/Libre office, Inkscape, Gimp, Flask, Qt, CATIA
Familiar	Rust, OpenCV, PHP, Siemens PLC Programming

## REFERENCES

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## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE (CONTINUED)

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MAY 2013 – JUNE 2016

Delft Aerospace Rocket Engineering, Delft

### *Advanced Control Team Engineer and Founder*

- Founded the Advanced Control Team (ACT) with the goal to develop a working active stabilization and guidance system for a rocket.
- In charge of the ACT Control, Software and Electronics department.
- In charge of over four part-time engineers.
- Responsible for the development of the flight computer firmware written in C/C++ running on FreeRTOS.
- Responsible for the development of the ground station software written in C/C++ and Python.
- Responsible for the development of the trajectory simulation software, primarily written in Python with C++ extensions.
- Sole developer of the software and hardware in the loop test toolkit. Runs the flight computer firmware either on the flight computer or in a simulation on a PC (Windows or Linux) and connects it's sensor input and control commands to the trajectory simulation. Written primarily in C++ and Python and uses RS232 and TCP/IP for communication between processes.

JANUARY 2014 – NOVEMBER 2015

Delft Aerospace Rocket Engineering, Delft

### *Stratos II and Stratos II+ Simulations teamleader*

- The Stratos II+ Rocket launched in 2015 and successfully broke the European Student Altitude Record.
- At the time this was the largest student rocket built in Europe.
- Responsible for the development, operation and maintenance of a set of simulation tools primarily written in Python with C++ extensions.
- In charge of two part-time engineers.
- Responsible for the range safety analysis of Stratos II and II+.