

ADAM WELD

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OBJECTIVE

Seeking an internship in research and development on a challenging multidisciplinary project. Most interested in robotics, artificial intelligence, machine learning, and computer vision.

EDUCATION - Cornell University

Intended **BS + MEng** in the department of **Electrical Computer Engineering - 2019**

Electrical

- ❑ Schematic design and simulation, validation
- ❑ PCB layout and routing
- ❑ Digital and analog RF communications
- ❑ Microcontrollers and embedded systems

Mechanical

- ❑ SolidWorks modeling
- ❑ Materials properties, selection and testing
- ❑ Design for manufacturing
- ❑ Stress, strain and displacement simulation
- ❑ Dynamics and statics

Robotics

- ❑ Programming in MATLAB, Java, BASH, Assembly
- ❑ System design and subsystem integration
- ❑ Robotic manipulators, sensors, and drive
- ❑ PID control algorithms

Manufacturing

- ❑ Rapid Prototyping
- ❑ Laser cutting
- ❑ CNC milling/waterjet
- ❑ 3D printing
- ❑ Injection molding
- ❑ Precision soldering
- ❑ SMD hot-air reflow

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

HoverBot.io

10.2016 - Present
Seattle, WA

Founder and CEO

- ❑ Engineered performance quadcopter with innovative three-dimensional carbon fiber geometry.
- ❑ Achieved best in class flight characteristics and lightest weight for a brushless motor multirotor with fully guarded propellers. (30 grams all-up-weight)
- ❑ Coordinated manufacturing logistics, marketing, customer support and continued research and development plans.

Amazon Prime Air

05.2017 - 09.2017
Seattle, WA

Hardware Design
Internship

- ❑ Took ownership of flight critical sensor subsystem and researched dozens of white papers.
- ❑ Worked with team members and leadership to identify areas needing improved performance.
- ❑ Created test plans, physical rig and fixturing, and scripting to document the precision and accuracy of numerous possible replacement sensors and characterize their behavior.
- ❑ Designed a densely populated six-layer printed circuit board in Altium from schematic to layout using integrated ECAD/MCAD techniques, and performed board bring-up and testing.
- ❑ Engineered and manufactured a CNC machined weather-sealed enclosure for subsystem.

Vantage Robotics

05.2016 - 08.2016
SF Bay Area, CA

Hardware Design
Internship

- ❑ Fabricated debugging, manufacturing, and assembly jigs for production with CM.
- ❑ Designed and tested interconnect circuit board with SMD components.
- ❑ Created three-axis ball bearing test stand with .01 degree repeatability to calibrate camera firmware and digital image stabilization algorithm.
- ❑ Prototyped WiFi repeater handset and implemented video pass through functionality.

Project Voxa

05.2015 - 09.2015
Seattle, WA

Hardware Design
Internship

- ❑ Designed electromechanical positioning subsystem for an electron microscope, from conceptualization to the fabrication of a working production prototype.
- ❑ Gained experience in vacuum systems and cleaning procedures and materials selection.
- ❑ Modeled and simulated precision flexure assembly for EDM machining out of Titanium.
- ❑ Designed, built, and tested custom nanoscale piezoelectric linear actuators and prototyped precision four-axis linear motion system.

University of Washington

04.2013 - 03.2014
Seattle, WA

Robotics and State
Estimation Research

- ❑ Assisted in the creation of a mobile Robotic Assistant for the Visually Impaired
- ❑ Performed component selection, wrote software, and handled subsystem CAD design work, sensor placement, and connecting structure architecture.
- ❑ Accomplished fabrication and assembly of much of the robot's hardware.
- ❑ Researched and helped implement (in ROS) visual object recognition, semantic world knowledge system and natural language processing programs.
- ❑ Incorporated real time video, RGBD cameras, and laser scanning technologies into feedback and controls structure.

PROJECTS AND CLUBS

CUAir Project Team - Electrical Team

Cornell Maker Club - Lab Manager

Cornell RPL - Lab Manager