

# Evan Bosia

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**OBJECTIVE** Full-time position in multidisciplinary engineering

## EDUCATION

**Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI)**, Worcester MA, August 2013 - May 2017

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Bachelor of Science in Robotics Engineering

Cumulative GPA: 3.75

## EXPERIENCE

**Dynamic Systems Engineering Intern**, Alpinax, Worcester MA

May - August 2016

- Designed in SolidWorks several electromechanical systems to improve filming and surveying capabilities
- Analyzed different manufacturing methods for custom parts to optimize function and cost
- Checked tolerances on custom parts to ensure the correct fits with off the shelf components
- Generated part drawings for custom parts to enable production

**Mechanical Engineering Intern**, RSA, The Security Division of EMC, Bedford MA

June - August 2015

- Dismantled out-of-use product manufacturing robots for spare parts
- Created ladder logic driven robot to test salvaged pneumatic actuators and replacement parts
- Designed and prototyped an alignment tool in SolidWorks to improve speed and quality of product assembly
- Produced parametric models in SolidWorks from part drawings to aid with other modeling efforts

## PROJECTS

**Major Qualifying Project**, August 2016 - May 2017

- Built active temperature-controlled package for vaccine transportation via drone on a team of 4
- Created thermodynamic model in MATLAB to optimize the mechanical parameters of the system
- Developed in-depth Simulink model to accurately predict expected system response
- Programmed microcontroller to run temperature-control feedback loop and user interface
- Ran lab tests on package to generate results and determine failures

**Mechatronics** January 2017 - March 2017

- Modeled quadcopter to determine its flight characteristics
- Developed bond graph model of all components of system, from voltage input to body velocity
- Determined state equations using the bond graph of the system
- Verified model using MATLAB to solve the resultant system of differential equations

**Unified Robotics IV**, October 2016 - December 2016

- Developed high-level logic for a mobile robot to autonomously map an unknown area on a team of 3
- Programmed set of Python modules to control map data interpretation and path planning
- Utilized set of preexisting ROS nodes to control movement and SLAM mapping
- Programmed rostopics to interface with GUI to display current map and robot path

**Unified Robotics III**, August 2016 - October 2016

- Programmed a 2 DOF arm to pick and sort weighted blocks from a mock assembly line on a team of 2
- Implemented PID control on the arm using digital encoders zeroed by potentiometers
- Used SPI interface to read arm potentiometer values from ADC and control motors from DAC
- Linked microcontroller with MATLAB using USART to display program states and run inverse kinematics

**Software Engineering**, March 2016 - May 2017

- Programmed a puzzle game to allow the user to play different tile based games on a team of 5

- Brainstormed use cases to determine program functionality
- Set up a entity boundary controller based UML to outline all necessary classes
- Ran test cases to maximize code coverage and minimize errors

#### **Interactive Qualifying Project, August 2015 - October 2015**

- Worked with ZHAW University in Switzerland to Swiss improve Nature Park volunteering rates
- Researched corporate volunteering in the US to develop strategies targeting US companies in Switzerland
- Analyzed Swiss Nature Park current targeting methods and volunteering events to identify potential changes
- Created an easy-to-use tool to help ZHAW identify which companies would be more likely to participate

#### **Unified Robotics II March 2015 - May 2015**

- Built fully autonomous robot to locate and extinguish a candle in a maze on a team of 4
- Designed complete model of the robot in SolidWorks to ensure correct dimensions
- Worked out necessary sensors and their placement to fully complete the task
- Programmed high-level process logic in C to govern the robot's tasks

#### **Unified Robotics I January 2015 - March 2015**

- Built fully autonomous robot to move rods between designated zones on a team of 4
- Designed model of the robot in SolidWorks to examine manipulator movement
- Determined necessary sensors and their placement to fully complete the task
- Integrated design with team to fully develop a working prototype

### **SKILLS**

**Engineering:** Mechanical Analysis, System Modeling, Circuit Design, Embedded Programming

**Programming Languages:** Java, Python, C, C++, Ladder Logic, MATLAB & Simulink

**Applications:** SolidWorks, ROS, Multisim, Eclipse, Git, LabVIEW, LaTeX, Microsoft Office Suite

**Prototyping:** Mill, Lathe, 3D printer, Lasercutter, Hand tools, Soldering

### **ACTIVITIES**

**Underwater Hockey, Secretary, WPI, January 2014 - May 2017**

**Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honors Society, WPI, March, 2016 - Present**

**Rho Beta Epsilon Robotics Honors Society, WPI, September, 2016 - Present**

**Water Polo Club, WPI, February 2016 - May 2017**

**Green Team Sustainability Club, WPI, August 2015 - May 2017**