# ARIEL GOLDNER

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EDUCATION WORCESTER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, Worcester, MA

Expected Date of Graduation: May 2019

Bachelors of Science, Mechanical Engineering; Biomechanics concentration

GPA: 3.29, Major Specific: 3.68

**PROJECTS** 

#### **HUMAN AUGMENTATION LAB**

Fall 2015- Present

- Founded WPI prosthetics group and formed partnership with Limbforge Inc. (formerly Enable Community Foundation)
- Collaborate with team members to design and 3D print prosthetic hands
- Serve as chapter president and recruited a strong team of passionate and driven students

## PROSTHETIC FINGER DESIGN (ES 1310)

Spring 2016

- -Drafted unique prosthetic finger for cost efficiency and comfort purposes
- -Constructed in SolidWorks

### CULTURE, TECHNOLOGY, AND HUMAN RIGHTS IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD

Fall 2015

- Worked in a small team to renovate solar panel system for the city of Bishop Kodji, Nigeria
- Created a final plan that taught local woman how to maintain the solar panel
- Earned 1st place in sustainability final competition against 20 other teams

# WORK

### LIMBFORGE Inc.; VOLUNTEER (Remote)

Summer 2017

- **EXPERIENCE** Researched pneumatic mechanisms for 3D printed prosthetic hands
  - Evaluated possible 3D printable vacuum chambers for use in versatile environments
  - Drafted program proposal for R&D partnerships with universities

### ORTHOPEDIC INSTITUTE GAPAIM Ltd.; INTERN (Haifa, Israel)

Summer 2016

- Assisted in designing and building prosthetic limbs for various application
- Interacted with clients for fittings and evaluations
- Developed business relationships for distribution opportunities

### INTREPID SEA, AIR, AND SPACE MUSUEM; VOLUNTEER (New York, NY)

Summer 2015

- Presented, researched and helped in writing scientific public demonstrations
- Processed data on customer experience to improve educational exhibits

## **ACTIVITIES**

Member of the Alpha Xi Delta Women's fraternity, National Engagement Chair of the American Union of Jewish Students, Social Chair of WPI Hillel Chapter, Crimson Key Tour Guide

SKILLS

SolidWorks, 3D printing, Arduino C++ (learning), Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign, Limited working knowledge in Hebrew, and Spanish languages