Jackson R. Tiller

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Education

School: The University of Texas at Austin

Major: Aerospace Engineering and Engineering Mechanics

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GPA: 3.57/4.00

Academic Experience

GNC Subsystem Lead Engineer, Texas Spacecraft Laboratory (TSL)

1/2018 – Present

- Leads team of 8 engineers to develop software for the Guidance Navigation and Control for CubeSat
- Gives meetings, establishes deadlines, distributes work, and oversees progress for GNC team
- Applied STK software to verify accuracy of orbital mechanic functions
- Presented workshop over basic STK and GitHub operations
- Researcher, Texas Spacecraft Laboratory (TSL)

9/2017 - 1/2018

- Significantly contributed to the guidance and navigation for the ARMADILLO Satellite
- Developed orbital mechanic functions to interpret satellite data and propagate orbit
- Presented solutions to validate the code for satellite to team of peers and research professor
- Coded programs to verify the accuracy of trajectory calculations
- Certified Amateur Radio Technician to operate satellite from ground station
- Manufacturing Engineering Intern, Triumph Aerostructures

5/2018 - 8/2018

- Developed multiple Bill of Materials for several RFQ's
- Calculated masses, volumes, labor and material costs for aircraft parts
- Analyzed potential client's documents to ensure the engineering data is sufficient for manufacturing
- Member, Longhorn Rocketry Association (LRA)

9/2015 - 5/2016

- Designed rocket using Open Rocket software
- Analyzed projected trajectory through simulations
- Optimized rocket design to meet mission requirements
- Study Abroad in Santander, Spain

7/2016 - 8/2016

- Lived with a non-English speaking host family
- Studied Engineering Communication and Spanish Culture
- Solution Design Project: Turbulence Damping Flight Stabilizer

7/2016 - 8/2016

- Flight dynamics engineer on a multidisciplinary team of four
- Researched and analyzed turbulent effects on aircraft
- Documented and presented solution design

Leadership Experience

• <u>Lifegroup Leader, Access Christian Fellowship</u>

6/2017 - 5/2018

- Facilitates discussions over religious studies and social injustice among college students
- Mentors college students through life in college
- Coordinates campus outreach events for new students
- Camp Counselor, Briarwood Retreat Center

5/2015 - 8/201

- Managed 4-8 kids for 24 hours, 6 days a week
- Facilitated religious studies discussions daily
- Taught safety and nature seminars
- Planned and communicated weekly events and itinerary

Extracurricular Activities

Member, HELPS Ministry Team

9/2016 - Present

• Member, Harvest Mission Community Church (HMCC)

1/2016 - Present

Member, American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA)

9/2016 - 6/2017

Skills

- Languages: Matlab (proficient), Python (intermediate), Java (familiar)
- Software: CATIA, Solidworks, STK, Makers Studio, MS: Excel, PowerPoint, Word
- Other: Linux OS, Aerospace manufacturing knowledge, GD&T, GitHub, SpiceyPy python package

Relevant Coursework

Satellite Based Navigation • Applied Orbital Mechanics • Attitude Dynamics • Propulsion • Spacecraft Dynamics • Flight Dynamics • Structural Dynamics • Compressible Flow • Low Speed Aerodynamics • Mechanics of Solids • Foundations of Management • Linear Systems Analysis • Statics • Engineering Computation • Thermodynamics • Vector Calculus