Yunzhi Lin

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EDUCATION

B.S. Bioengineering

University of California, Berkeley

GPA: 3.37/4.00 Expected Graduation: May 2027

Relevant Coursework: Properties of Materials, Biomechanics, Biochemistry, Tissue Engineering, Polymeric Materials,

Electronics for IoT, Mechanical Behavior of Materials, Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs

SKILLS

Software: SolidWorks, OnShape, 3DExperience, CREO, Fusion 360, FEA, FEBio, COMSOL, Python, Java, SQL, JavaScript, C++, Scheme, ImageJ, Microsoft Office

Techniques: 3D Printing, Bioprinting, Lean Manufacturing, Machine Maintenance and Improvement, Good Manufacturing Practice, Good Documentation Practice

Certification: Competency in Robotics I/II - Career Skills Certificate (YouScience)

Awards: Bakar Ignite Scholar; 2nd Place (California) in Mobile Robotics Technology of the 2023 SkillsUSA Championship

Relevant Experience

Silver Lake Research Corporation

Irwindale, CA

Engineering Assistant

09/2024 - Present

- Authored and updated comprehensive SOPs for operation, maintenance, and calibration of 5 manufacturing machines, standardizing procedures to align with GMP and improve training, reliability, and audit readiness.
- Developed a scheduling system to centralize task assignments across Manufacturing, Production, and QC, improving real-time task visibility, reducing scheduling conflicts, and accelerating project handoffs.
- Performed root-cause analyses on recurring defects and recommended equipment and process modifications, reducing waste, improving production yield, and cutting operating costs through target process improvements.

Engineering Intern

05/2024 - 08/2024

- Authored and executed 7 validation protocols for new manufacturing machines and software tools, completing 7 verification and validation reports to confirm system performance under varying constraints and enhanced QC efficiency.
- Developed a cost analysis and production capacity evaluation tool in Excel for 4 products, integrating Macros and VBA Scripts to allow testing of different constraints and processes, resulting in more cost-efficient production workflows.
- Designed a 3D production layout for assemblies using Creo, optimizing space utilization, material flow, and environmental control, leading to increased operational efficiency.
- Performed maintenance and troubleshooting on key manufacturing machines, enhancing reliability and reducing downtime, while honing technical skills in equipment management.

UC Berkeley Mechanical Engineering

Berkeley, CA

Undergraduate Research Assistant — advised by Professor Grace Gu

02/2025 - Present

• Developing a FEBio simulation of collagen-alginate composites across multiple blend ratios to evaluate material properties and reduce costly experimental iterations.

UC Berkeley Nanotechnology Lab

Berkeley, CA

Undergraduate Research Assistant — advised by Dr. Wagas Khalid

01/2024 - 12/2024

- Refined microfluidic device fabrication techniques and optimized molds for PDMS casting using SolidWorks and microfabrication to enhance efficiency.
- \bullet Used COMSOL to simulate forces on carbon nanotube structures during wash steps.

Grip Assistive Device — EnableTech at Berkeley

Berkeley, CA

President, Team Lead, Student Mechanical Engineer

09/2023 - Present

- Utilized SolidWorks to design a specialized gripping device that required minimal force to open while securely maintaining grip at rest, thereby reducing the ongoing effort required by the user.
- Employed 3D printing to test and iterate prototypes, ensuring practical and effective implementation of the enhanced design.
- Oversaw all operations for EnableTech, managing 50+ members and presiding over the Executive Board to ensure project success, member retention, and effective communication.
- Scheduled and facilitated weekly leadership and general meetings; streamlined communication by sending weekly updates, processing organizational emails, and aggregating member feedback to improve satisfaction and engagement.

LEADERSHIP

Society of Women Engineers at Berkeley

Berkeley, CA

SWE Science Outreach Committee Member

09/2023 - Present

• Organized and facilitated free monthly STEM events for Grades 4-8, engaging 100+ students with creative, hands-on activities and experiments to foster a passion for science and engineering.