# NIHAR N. GARG

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I am a curious problem-solver looking to be part of a team where I can align my technical project management skills and passion for technology to provide data-driven solutions to real world challenges through engineering design.

## **EDUCATION**

**Purdue University** 

West Lafayette, IN Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering, GPA: 3.4 / 4.0 Aug 2012 - May 2016

**LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS** 

LEED® Green Associate™ - 11290428-GREEN-ASSOCIATE

Green Business Certification, Inc.

• Demonstrated the knowledge and understanding of green building practices and principles Apr 2019 - Present

**Engineer in Training (EIT)** - ET 31600066

Indiana Professional Licensing Agency & NCEES

Established an understanding of fundamental engineering principles

Apr 2016 - Present

## WORK EXPERIENCE

# **Princeton Engineering Services** - Project Engineer

Plainsboro, NJ

- Managed projects through the lifecycle, from conceptual design through project completion Jan 2018 Present
- Performed heating and cooling load calculations to determine design criteria and size system components
- Prepared RFP responses, scope reports, design drawings using AutoCAD and construction cost estimates
- Collaborated with architects and contractors to ready bid documents, answer RFIs and review specifications

# Charles River Development - Associate Systems Analyst, SaaS Operations

Indianapolis, IN

- Managed global operations and provided tier 2 back-end support for SaaS clients
- Jul 2016 Nov 2017
- Deployed and maintained automation workflows on job schedulers such as Rundeck and Tidal
- Initiated process improvement strategies in Scrum meetings and tracked cases on Salesforce's CRM platform

#### Kaiser Aluminum - Intern Project Engineer

Kalamazoo, MI

- Managed 5 capital projects, prepared scope of work and requested investment May 2015 - Aug 2015
- Solved problems around the plant and presented quantifiable results to the management team
- Devised solutions to maximize ergonomics, improve plant operations and reduce downtime

### **PROJECTS & PRODUCTS**

## Smart Bin Remover - Engineering Design & Innovation

**Purdue University** 

- Headed the programming of the robot using an Arduino and coordinated design presentations
- May 2016
- Led the integration and testing of "smart" technologies to remove all user interaction

### Project LiT - HackIllinois Hackathon

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

- Produced code to integrate all the components of a wearable device using an Arduino
- Feb 2016
- Implemented the engineering design process and won top 5 for best hardware hack

#### Project Green Light - BoilerMake Hackathon

**Purdue University** 

- Collaborated on the design and manufactured a product which revolutionizes social interactions
- Oct 2015
- Developed and conceived innovative uses for the product and won top 5 for best hack

#### **SKILLS**

**Engineering**: Project Management **Design Thinking** Product Development Data Analytics Sustainability **Programming:** SQL NI LabVIEW **HTML** C Arduino **Python** JavaScript Rapid Prototyping Designing: Autodesk AutoCAD Trane Trace CATIA **SolidWorks** 3D Printing MS Access MS SQL Server Data: **MATLAB** Tableau Salesforce MS Excel

### **LEADERSHIP & TEAM BUILDING**

# American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) - Faculty Relations

• Coordinated with faculty on applying their research to meaningful engineering projects

#### Boiler Gold Rush & International Programs - Team Leader & Consultant

Introduced cross cultural training programs, such as FISH! Philosophy, to the teams

**Purdue University** Sep 2015 - May 2016

**Purdue University** 

Jan 2013 - May 2015