# **Omar Mohamed Gouda**

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## **PROFESSIONAL PROFILE**

- Experienced with robotic systems integration and design through leading robotics projects
- Well-versed in **mechanical design** and assembly through machine design and automation
- Working knowledge of robotic work cell design and integration of force feedback and vision systems
- Proficient in mechanical prototyping using mills/lathes/CNCs/welders and laser cutting/3D printing
- Exposed to Stress and Thermal Analysis for critical applications using Solidworks and ANSYS
- Capable of handling several projects from design concepts to fully functional prototypes

#### **RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE**

Custom Machine Design Engineer, Hatch Ltd., Mississauga, ON

Sept. 2016 - Dec. 2016

- Performed calculations and design reviews for an automated robotic conveyor assembly prototype, keeping track of project progress and providing advice to the student capstone team involved
- Designed a real-time control system using LabVIEW for a proprietary telerobotics industrial application
- Setup robotic simulations to prove out two independent large scale project concepts to clients

Research and Development Engineer, SUMMO Steel, Burlington, ON

Jan. 2016 – Apr. 2016

- Automated the palletization/packing process of tubular automotive products by designing customized magnetic grippers and programming industrial ABB/FANUC robots, saving the costs of 5 operators
- Handled several projects independently from design concepts to fully functional prototypes
- Designed, machined and welded test jigs and fixtures for a laser cutting manufacturing experiment
- Arranged meetings with suppliers to explore products, handling relevant quotes and purchase orders

Aerospace Software Engineer, Honeywell Aerospace, Mississauga, ON

May 2015 - Aug. 2015

- Automated the testing process of the Boeing 737 air conditioning and pressurization systems software reducing one week of manual testing into just a couple of hours
- Offered various Python programming solutions to generate large test scripts (5,000+ lines of code)

Design Test Assistant, MedAvail Technologies, Mississauga, ON

Sept. 2014 – Dec. 2014

- Investigated and resolved high priority field failures of the company's pharmaceutical kiosk
- Designed, prototyped and installed electronic low pass filters to fix a major chronic sensor issue using oscilloscopes and multimeters, which eliminated machine reboot downtime
- Performed rigorous machine cycle testing using PowerShell to catch firmware and mechanical flaws

#### **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

Bachelor of Applied Science (BASc), Honours Mechatronics Engineering, Waterloo

Sept. 2013 – Present

• Ranked among the **top 5%** in my class and recognized on the **Dean's Honours List** every term

**Pre-University/Foundation Degree,** Asia Pacific University, Malaysia

Nov. 2011 – Apr. 2012

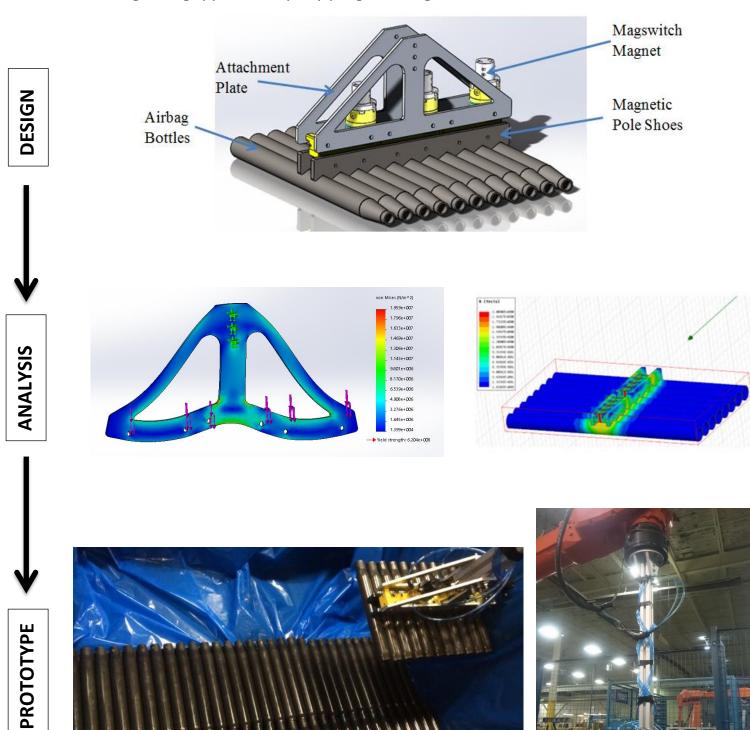
Ranked first in my class and recognized for academic excellence and high achievements

## **ACTIVITIES & INTERESTS**

- Long distance cycling and mountain biking
- Aviation and professional flight simulation
- Bouldering, calisthenics and gymnastics

# **AUTOMATION PROJECT**

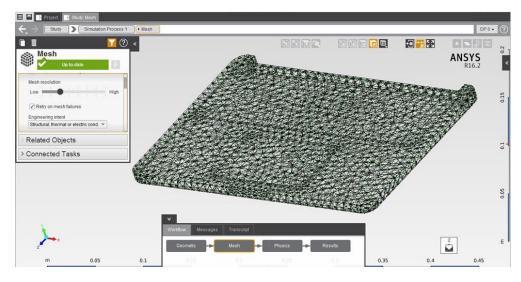
SUMMO STEEL: Automating the Packing Process of Tubular Automotive Products into Bins
This was an independent project completed starting from the pre-design phase, to sending out
drawings for fabrication, to post machining/assembling components and finally proving out a
customized magnetic gripper concept by programming an industrial ABB robot.

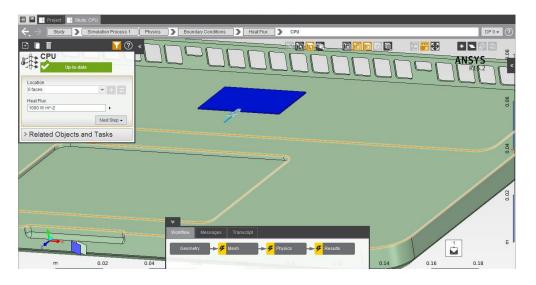


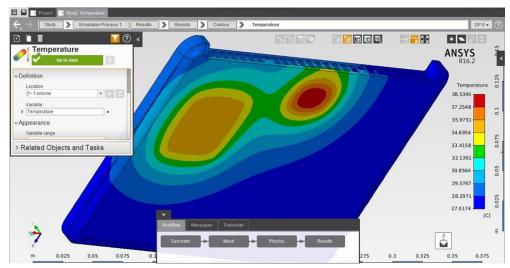
## **ANSYS MODELLING**

Research Project: Analysing the thermal heat distribution of the average laptop

The purpose of the project was to create an accurate model of the heat distribution around a MacBook based on theoretical and mathematical models. This is then used to extract information such as determining the ideal CPU operation to obtain maximum efficiency.

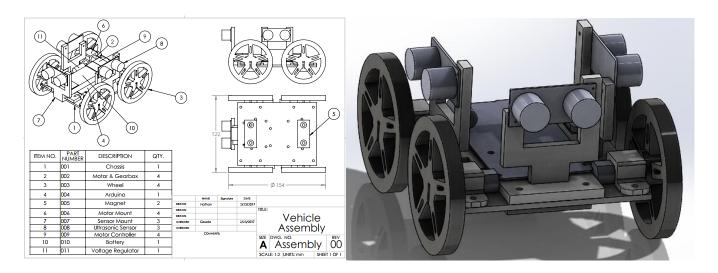




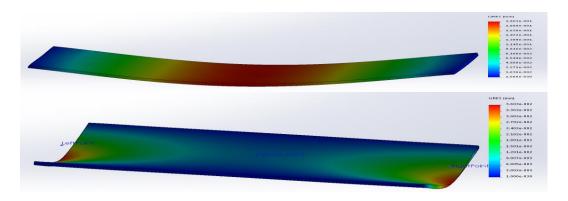


## AUTONOMOUS STEEL WALL CLIMBING ROBOT

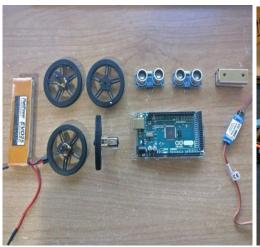
3D CAD Robot Design: Includes Magnets, Wheels, Motors, Mounts and Sensors



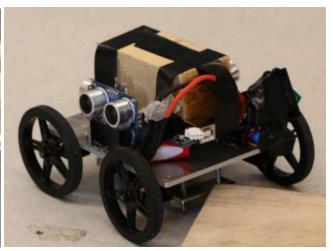
## Solidworks FEA Analysis: Effect of Magnet Locations on Chassis



**Final Robot Assembly** 







# **FURTHER DESIGN AND AUTOMATION PROJECTS**

