

# Paavan Raj

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Production Engineer Co-op Minus Forty Technologies Corp.

05/2018 – 08/2018

Commercial Refrigeration Products Manufacturer

#### Achievements/Tasks

- Increased production capacity by 15% by aggregating smaller processes
- Assembled and analyzed prototype models for ease of manufacturing
- Practiced troubleshooting of refrigeration systems and equipment

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### Quality Assurance Co-op M&R Automation Canada

05/2016 – 08/2016

Industrial Automation Solutions Manufacturer

#### Achievements/Tasks

- Assembled, installed and tested electromechanical sub-assemblies and documented issues with design
- Ensured tolerance of machined parts met ISO 9001 standards
- Used Solidworks and E-reader to determine ensure fabricated part will function as intended
- Documented and quarantined defective parts for follow up with suppliers
- Machined new parts and corrected parts with minor defects

### Technical Associate Assistant M&R Automation Canada

07/2015 – 08/2015

Industrial Automation Solution Manufacturer

#### Achievements/Tasks

- Liaised between manufacturing manager and mechanics
- Organized and tracked parts used in automation line by cell and assembly numbers
- Performed precision measurement and geometrical analysis on parts before assembly

## CERTIFICATES

Certified Solidworks Simulation Associate  
(03/2018 – Present)

Certified as being proficient in Solidworks Simulations

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Metal and Wood Shop Training (04/2016 – Present)

Trained to use metal and wood working machines

## EDUCATION

### Mechatronic Engineering (BESc) Western University

09/2015 – Present

3.5 GPA

#### Courses

- Mechatronics Systems Design
- Control System Theory
- Programming Fundamentals
- Circuit Analysis and Design

## SKILLS

Leadership

Communication

Collaboration

Creativity

Flexibility

Continuous Learning

Problem Solving

Dedication

Adaptability

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

### Computer Aided Design

Solidworks, Finite Element Modelling, Stress-Strain Analysis, Heat Transfer, Eagle

### Programming

C++, Java, OpenCV, p5.js, Object-Oriented Programming, Assembly

### Prototyping

Soldering, Electrical Circuit Debugging, Milling, Lathing, Control System Modelling, Arduino

### Engineering Design

Iterative Design and Testing, Version Control, Critical Path Planning, Failure Modes and Analysis

## PROJECTS

### Hex - Data Drone (09/2019 – Present)

- Autonomous drone with an Arduino flight controller
- Used for data acquisition and algorithm testing for Western's Aerodesign team using an onboard Raspberry Pi

### Stark - Mobile Robot (03/2017 – 04/2017)

- Designed fully autonomous and robust robot capable of locating and lifting magnetic cubes using an Arduino microcontroller

### Jarvis - Line Following Robot (02/2017)

- Successfully followed line using Arduino microcontroller and libraries to control motors, servos and encoders