

RICHARD HU

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Applied Science and Engineering

April 2018 Expected

[University of Toronto: Third Year Mechanical Engineering](#)

CGPA: 3.78/4.00

- Robotics and Mechatronics Minor, specialize in Bioengineering and Mechatronics

Basic Machining Course

March 2015

George Brown College, Toronto, ON

Grants and Awards

- Shell Canada Limited Engineering Scholarship July 2015
- University of Toronto Excellence Award June 2015
- Dean's Honour List June 2014 to present

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Analysis Programs: Arduino, ANSYS, ImageJ, MiniTab, MATLAB, PSpice, SolidWorks, C programming

Microsoft Office: Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Publisher, Outlook

WORK EXPERIENCE

Mechanical Design Intern

May 2016 to Present

[IVUS OCT Catheter Team, Conavi Medical Inc.](#)

- Designed many risks driven test cases to resolve immediate, and potential catheter issues. Notably, O-ring debris test, a 5-month long investigation on an issue that gated regulatory actives on the project critical path.
- Played an active role in preparing catheters for regulatory driven testing activities such as Biocompatibility, Stability, Sterilization Validation etc.
- Conducted and prepared documentation for several technical design reviews, which including, BOM drafting and review, technical drawings review, and specification sheet drafting.
- Established the project's inventory system that tracks the flow of over 140 items. This system enabled plannability for various project activities.

Independent Researcher

June 2015 to September 2015

[Spray and Atomization Lab, University of Toronto](#)

- Independently defined detailed research scope and conducted an unprecedented research on droplet breakup phenomena under minimum supervision
- Developed DSLR, PC and fluid piping synchronization system using Arduino to automate experimental data collection process resulting in reduction of over 85% of data collection time
- Gathered near 4000 image data, and performed in depth qualitative and quantitative analysis of the datum using fluid mechanics theory, Minitab, ImageJ and Imagemagick
- Discovered and classified 13 never before seen droplet breakup phenomena

DESIGN EXPERIENCE

Team Leader

September 2015 to December 2015

[Windshield Wiper Mechanism Innovation, University of Toronto](#)

- Scheduled and facilitated team meetings, brainstorm sessions, and team collaboration sessions
- Proposed a clever and innovative design to replace the conventional tandem wiper system, resulting an increase of wiper coverage by 22% compared to the conventional system
- Constructed precise mathematical and CAD model, analyzed the design with Autodesk, Solidworks and MATLAB

Team Leader

September 2014 to December 2014

[CNC Milling Machine Design, University of Toronto](#)

- Compiled detailed design report including scope, objective, parts specification, and theoretical machine capabilities
- Led the group by coordinating workflow, plan schedule, internal milestones, and fostering cohesive team dynamics

Team Member

January 2014 to May 2014

[Sunnybrook Park Pavilion Renovation, University of Toronto](#)

- Designed a floor plan for the renovation of Cricket Canada's head quarter in a team of 5
- Drove the team to meet deadline to ensure a rigorous design schedule was followed
- Reviewed all the report written by the team to ensure client standards are met

EXTRA-CURRICULAR INVOLVEMENT

Competitor

November 2015

[NExT-Schlumberger & ShawCor Petro Challenge, University of Toronto](#)

- Using OilSim program to simulate the life cycle of oil exploration and drilling in a team of 4
- Gathered and evaluated member's input to formulate the optimal decision
- Completed the challenge as the most profitable team in its game section

Vice President

January 2015 to May 2015

[Skule Stress Release Club, University of Toronto](#)

- Organized events in a team of 14 for purpose of relieve stress of engineering students
- Applied club funding in front of UTSU funding committee and searched for potential sponsors

Competition Award Winner/Team Leader

January 2015

[University of Toronto Engineering Kompetition \(UTEK\) Junior Design](#)

- Created a design and pitched its proposal in a team of 4 in a competition against 26 other teams
- Innovated under immense pressure, time constraint and limited resource
- Coordinated team discussion, motivated teammates, and made critical decision on design approach for the team
- Received "Best Innovation Award" and "Best Prototype Award"