Jinx Monsoon

Mechanical Engineer

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Highlights of Qualifications

- Currently completing a PhD in Mechanical Engineering at McMaster University in Hamilton ON eligible for a 12-month Co-op starting in January 2023
- Developed strong problem solving and analytical skills through 5+ years of experience as a Research Assistant
- Experienced in SolidWorks, AutoCAD, and Autodesk Inventor through academic project work

Education

Doctor of Philosophy in Engineering, Mechanical Engineering Co-op

May 2024

McMaster University, Hamilton ON

Master of Applied Science, Mechanical Engineering

May 2020

McMaster University, Hamilton ON

Bachelor of Engineering, Mechanical Engineering

May 2018

McMaster Engineering, Hamilton ON

Experience

Title Research Assistant

Sept 2018 - Present

McMaster University, Hamilton ON

- Conducted research for the PhD Dissertation "Bone Adaptation to Mechanical Stimuli & Injury"
- Prepared findings for publication and assisted in laboratory analysis, quality control, and data management by doing x and y
- Supervised # undergraduate students working on the research project and acted as a liaison between the undergraduate students and the faculty researcher

Biomechanics Teaching Assistant

Sept 2020 – April 2022

McMaster University, Hamilton ON

- Taught course: Biomechanics 4BB3, an undergraduate course averaging 100 students per semester covering topics such as, Cellular Biomechanics, Hemodynamics, Skeletal Biomechanics, & Locomotion
- Provided leadership to students by guiding them through their coursework and assignments to ensure a thorough understanding of the various course topics
- Graded assignments and quizzes, invigilated exams, and provided feedback to students on areas of improvement

TITLE Research Assistant

Sept 2017 - April 2020

McMaster University, Hamilton ON

- Conducted research for the Master's Thesis (2018-2020) "Bone Fracture Limits & Injury Tolerance" and as an undergraduate student (2017-2018)
- Built skills using CNC metal cutting machines and trained undergraduate students to use machines safely
- Demonstrated strong organization skills while accurately documenting, editing, and tracking records of the project progress

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Projects

Autonomous Vehicle Design

Oct 2020 - Feb 2022

- Collaborated in a team of 4 to design and construct a plant floor self-driving vehicle aimed at decreasing the amount of manual labour required to deliver materials on an assembly line
- Improved SolidWorks and CNC machining skills throughout the design and construction processes

Master Key App & Device

June 2021 - Aug 2022

- Created a voice-to-action app and device with Ruby, JavaScript, HTML5, and CSS that allows communication between a mobile app and a device installed over doorknobs
- Demonstrated attention to detail throughout the data modelling, GD&T, coding, and design phase of the app and device's development
- Asked by the Dean of Engineering to enter the 'Apps that Matter' Competition sponsored by Microsoft in Victoria, B.C.; placed 3rd out of 28 teams provincially, and 6th place out of 30 teams nationally

Extracurricular activities

3D Printing Workshop

Nov 2020

- Facilitated a workshop to teach undergraduate students the concepts behind 3D printing technology, as well as the design and functioning of the printer
- Created a hands-on activity to allow students the opportunity to design and print a functioning object

CNC Machining Workshop

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- Facilitated a workshop to teach undergraduate students the concepts behind CNC machining
- Assisted students in the fabrication of a fully functioning 3-axis CNC machine that uses Arduino
 programming to perform functions like drilling, milling, and cutting

Community Food Advisor

2018 - Present

- Collaborated with advisors and the City of Hamilton to develop educational resources on healthy eating, food preparation and food safety
- Led small workshops and presentations monthly; actively answered questions from the public
- Completed 45 hours of training including 10 educational sessions, the Food Handler Certification course, and two community placements

Women In Engineering Society

2015 - Present

Actively engaged with Society events and provided mentorship to female 1st year Engineers

Skills

Laboratory:

- WHMIS Certified
- Standard First Aid
- Machine Shop Trained
- Radiation Safety
 Trained
- Milling, Lathe
- Drill Press
- 3D Printing
- Soldering

Software:

- Solidworks
- Autodesk Inventor
- MATLAB
- AutoCAD

- Python
- Java
- C++
 - C#