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# WELCOME



Welcome to the College of Engineering's Spring 2019 Design Day at the Conrad Prebys Aztec Student Union, Montezuma Hall. We are proud to have our undergraduate students showcasing their design project work completed during the 2018-19 Academic Year. There are teams representing our Senior Design classes in Aerospace Engineering, Civil, Construction & Environmental Engineering, Electrical & Computer Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering.

Please join me in congratulating our student teams on their innovative design projects which represent the culmination of the technical knowledge they have developed during their time at San Diego State University's College of Engineering. These projects provide the students with real-world experience that involve design constraints, budgets, reviews, and deadlines. Through these projects our students learn to apply and develop their critical thinking skills, recognize human and societal needs, and design novel, sustainable engineering solutions.

We are grateful to our many sponsors for their generous support of these student projects. Our sponsors include: Ametek, ASML, County of San Diego, Delane Engineering, Michael Baker International, and Northrop Grumman. Many of these sponsors are integrally involved with the student design teams and serve as mentors to the teams. This provides meaningful projects of value, and instills a professional orientation in the student teams. We appreciate all of our sponsors and their support for the student teams.

Enjoy SDSU's Spring 2019 College of Engineering Design Day. Thank you for being a part of this important event.

Eugene Olevsky, Ph.D. Dean College of Engineering

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### **AEROSPACE ENGINEERING**

### **Dynamic Avionic Systems**

MEMBERS: Aziel Blanco, Jason Centanni, Pedro Chavarria, Nasry Jawaad, Jemper Marvin, Austen Thompson ADVISOR: Jeremy Nelson - Faculty Lecturer, SDSU Aerospace Engineering

#### DAS one

Fighter jet with two missions, one is a ferry mission and one is a combat mission.



### **Fire Watch CubeSat**

MEMBERS: Jewar Doski, Stephan Paessler, Karl Parks, Ewald Polifrone, Schon Siguenza ADVISOR: Dr. Ahmad Bani Younes, Assistant Professor, SDSU Aerospace Engineering



#### Fire Watch CubeSat

Fire Watch is a 3U cube satellite that is designed to monitor California's countryside for wildfire outbreaks. This will be accomplished by using an infrared sensor that scans for thermal abnormalities and relays the information to fire authorities. Fire Watch utilizes a high speed asymmetric laser communication system to rapidly relay data to ground stations, as well as a redundant RF antenna system to send and receive mission commands.

### **Instant Mapping Atmospheric Probe**

MEMBERS: Matt Darrow, Jennifer Martin, Jaymee Panian, Claire Pray, Eric Ralls, Levi Schlapfer ADVISOR: Dr. Ahmad Bani Younes, Assistant Professor, SDSU Aerospace Engineering



#### Instant Mapping Atmospheric Probe (IMAP)

Atmospheric composition levels of foreign planets and moons have previously been understood through Earth-based observations. However, their environments and atmospheres are constantly changing. In order to gather specific information of an extraterrestrial atmosphere, Elevated Celestial Technologies is in the development process of a CubeSat system designed to characterize the atmosphere of any celestial body.

### **Project SPAMS**

MEMBERS: Jesus Arellano, Daniel Hillis, Phong Huynh, Claire Quento, Kyl Stanfield, Mike Stromecki ADVISOR: Dr. Ahmad Bani Younes, Assistant Professor, SDSU Aerospace Engineering



#### Project SPAMS

Project SPAMS is a Space Propulsive Atmospheric Measurement Satellite that was designed to measure the concentration of several gases of Earth's atmosphere at a low earth orbit for the purpose of detecting change in atmospheric concentrations around the planet. The satellite is a 6U CubeSat that has a mission designed to last several years at an altitude of 300km. SPAMS is developing a flight model to demonstrate the mission design concept including the structural and attitude determination control systems.

### **Solar Sailors**

MEMBERS: Victor Amaya, Nathan Dolan, Dalton Fletcher, Adrian Juarez, Francisco Magana, Matthew Morgan ADVISOR: Dr. Ahmad Bani Younes, Assistant Professor, SDSU Aerospace Engineering



#### DARSat

Debris Acceleration and Reentry Satellite (DARSat) will accelerate the orbital decay of space debris that pose a risk to current and future space missions. After being launched, the satellite will rendezvous with the intended piece of debris and deploy its deorbit sail. The sail increases the profile of the satellite allowing increased atmospheric drag to deorbit the vehicle. The satellite will remain permanently with the debris until both drop low enough to be destroyed upon reentry by frictional heating.

### **Team-FlyWright**

MEMBERS: Joshua Hunt, Manolo Laguna, David Nguyen, Michael Walker, Rodrigo Zamora ADVISOR: Jeremy Nelson - Northrop Grumman



#### TX-2 Fledgling

The TX-2 Fledgling is designed to be the US Air Force's next premier trainer for advanced undergraduate pilot training replacing the T-38 Talon. Equipped with 150 square inch Large Area Displays, and the latest avionics suite, this aircraft is designed to train and prepare America's up and coming fighter pilots for the 21st century and beyond.

### WaveSat

MEMBERS: Lonsdale Adeoye, Matthew Beranek, Matthew Jones, Colin McCaskill, William Winsby ADVISOR: Dr. Ahmad Bani Younes, Assistant Professor, SDSU Aerospace Engineering SPONSOR: SDSU Aerospace Engineering Department



#### Wave Height Monitoring Using a CubeSat Satellite

Using our own 3U CubeSat, WaveSat will use GPS satellites orbiting the Earth to perform readings of the ocean's surface using GNSS-R (Global Navigation Satellite System Reflectometry), our CubeSat will have two signals to pick up: a direct signal from a GPS satellite and an Earth-reflected signal from that same GPS satellite. The CubeSat will receive these two signals on any of its four GPS receiving antennas, then measure the difference in signal strength. The On Board Computer will determine wave height.

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### CIVIL, CONSTRUCTION + ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

# **Aztec Design and Construction (ADC)**

MEMBERS: David Downs, David Espley, Katie Frankie, Aidan Langtry, Thomas Lanphear, Cody Rokosz, Katharine Stewart ADVISOR: Jim Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International, Nensi Lakrori - San Diego State University SPONSOR: County of San Diego



#### Ramona Intergenerational Community Center (RICC)

The County of San Diego is seeking Design-Build Entities qualified to design and construct the Ramona Intergenerational Community Center (RICC). The project is to construct a new Live Well Center, Gymnasium, Cafe, Community Plaza, Skatepark, an expanded and new parking lot in Ramona, California.

# **Blackat Engineering**

MEMBERS: Ali Fakhrriddine, Bailey Fuimaono, Lorelay Mendoza, Chelsi Pascua, Kennadi Prince, Anita Sanchez, Thomas Whickham

ADVISORS: John Prince, PE - Delane Engineering, Jim Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International SPONSORS: San Diego Water County Authority, Mission Trails Regional Park



#### SDCWA Mission Trails Regional Park

The San Diego County Water Authority is proposing new pipelines, flow control facility, and flow regulatory structure along with a new overflow facility near the Mission Trails trail head. Our team has been tasked with designing and calculating the hydraulics, maintaining water quality levels, detailing the cost estimates, designing the site logistics and construction access, determining structural design and assessment of new and existing facilities, and ensuring the project is LEED compliant.

# BTS

MEMBERS: Cole Benson, Michael Sohikish, Justin Sornberger, Nicholas Steffenino, Scott Troncone, Pierre Tumpach ADVISOR: KPFF



#### Solar Carport

The design of a solar panel array on top of parking lot structure 4 that will provide sustainable energy for San Diego State University.

# **Coast Align**

MEMBERS: Lyndsey Becotte, Daniel Jabasa, Ha-Eun Mary Kim, Eden Romero-Zavala, Steffani Seiler, Michaela Wood ADVISORS: James R. Haughey, PE - Michael Baker, John Prince, PE - Delane Group



#### Chula Vista Fire Station 5

The City of Chula Vista has identified areas where fire protection coverage is lacking and is in need of a new fire station. One site that has been chosen is south of Orange Avenue between 3rd and 4th Street, adjacent to the South Chula Vista Library. The project will include building a fire station on a lot that is currently a public dog park and a portion of the library parking lot.

# **Coastal Design Development**

MEMBERS: Morteza Farahani, Kevin Galindo, Marcus Kellogg, Jason Ritchey, Saul Tello ADVISORS: James Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International, John Prince, PE - Delane Engineering



#### Ramona Intergenerational Community Center (RICC)

The Ramona Intergenerational Community Center project is one that offers exercises from each of the multiple disciplines on our team. Water, Sewer, and Storm Water drainage designs tie in with grading, parking requirements, traffic impact studies and site layout design. Structural calculations and design of multiple buildings go hand in hand with construction phasing, scheduling and materials costing.

## **ENVIAZ Engineering**

 MEMBERS: Ian Bernados, Vermina Chao, Zoë Orandle, Norma Ramirez, Edgar Ruiz, Andrea Weckle
 ADVISORS: Pedro Orso Delgado - Under Construction Consulting, James Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International, Nensi Lakrori - SDSU, Tim Smith - SDSU, County of San Diego



# County Live Well Campus Redevelopment with an Emphasis on Sustainability

ENVIAZ Engineering has been hired to redevelop the County Live Well Campus located at 3851 Rosecrans Street, San Diego, California. A new 220,000 square-foot, multi-story building for up to 800 staff and patrons as well as new parking will be included. Additionally, 3-acres will be set aside for a separate future affordable housing development. Our personal goal is to make this site as sustainable as possible by incorporating LEED Gold standards and on-site stormwater and graywater treatment and reuse.

# Flow Patrol, Inc.

- MEMBERS: Amadeus Mozart Agatep, Gabriel Gallardo, Siyang Gu, Sean Joseph Marque, Cara Skinner, Andre Vejar, Sean Youssefi
- ADVISORS: Colin Kemper San Diego County Water Authority, Troy Matsura Jacobs Engineering, Sean McCarty West Coast Civil



# Mission Trails Flow Regulatory Structure II and Flow Control Facility

Flow Patrol, Inc. was tasked with the design of new water pipelines, an underground storage reservoir, and a flow control facility. The goal of this project is to meet future increased demand from the City of San Diego and Sweetwater Authority. For this project, Flow Patrol Inc. has analyzed the hydraulics to meet flow and storage requirements, the structure of the pipeline tunnel and storage structure, and the impacts of construction.

## **High Klass Consulting**

MEMBERS: Jordan Cain, Jake Dani, Christian Jones, Cordlan Maszk, Luke Tabor, Calvin Yeh-Tinetti ADVISOR: Jim Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International



#### Brown Property/Hollister Bridge - Tijuana River Rehabilitation

The County of San Diego (County) is seeking Design-Build Entities (D-BE) qualified to design and construct removal of unclassified fill material on the Brown Property and reconstruct the existing Hollister Bridge over the Tijuana River. The project will include grading design to remove fill material placed on the Brown Property and a hydraulic analysis of the effects of the grading effort on the Tijuana River. The project will also include the removal and replacement of the Hollister Bridge over the Tijuana River.

# **Hong Kong Engineering**

MEMBERS: Daniel Barragan, Bradford Bolton, Nino Enriquez, Alexander Griswold, Huy Nguyen, Andreas Rahm, Fernando Romero

ADVISOR: James R. Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International



#### Ramona Intergenerational Community Center (RICC)

The RICC project consists of designing a community center in the County of San Diego at the intersection of 13th and Main Street in Ramona. The community center will have a new live well center, gymnasium, and cafe buildings. Furthermore, a community plaza, skatepark, and an expansion of an existing parking lot are to be constructed. The scope of work ranges from design of civil site & utility, stormwater drainage, traffic control modifications, structural, geotechnical & foundation, to construction.

# **JoVo's Engineering Design Industries**

MEMBERS: Leamarie Diaz, Cheyenne Graves, Michael Mascarenhas, Guillermo Munoz, Sherin Sonny, Joseph Tawn, Jonathan Vo

ADVISORS: Live Well San Diego, County of San Diego



#### County Live Well Campus - Rosecrans St and Pacific Highway

Potential project plans that redevelops land that currently contains the Human and Health Service Agency Office of Vital Records into a 220,000 square foot multi-story building and associated parking structure for its employees and patients.

### **KASTLD Engineering**

MEMBERS: Kingston De Laurentis, Tessa Lim, Alex Martens, Tam Nguyen, Sindos Nuhaily, Leandro Serron, Donovan Stacy ADVISORS: James Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International, John Prince, PE - Delane Engineering



#### Ramona Intergenerational Community Center (RICC)

The County of San Diego (County) is seeking Design-Build Entities (D-BE) qualified to design and construct the Ramona Intergenerational Community Center (RICC). The project is to construct a new Live Well Center, Gymnasium, Café, Community Plaza, Skatepark, an expanded parking lot (Parking Lot A) and a new parking lot (Parking Lot B).

# **LAR Construction**

MEMBERS:Ashley Lopez, Raeid Malatani, Luis MartinezADVISOR:John Prince, PE - Delane EngineeringSPONSORS:SDSU SAGE PROJECT, SDSU Santa Margarita Ecological Reserve



#### Santa Margarita Ecological Reserve Visitor Center

The Santa Margarita Ecological Reserve (SMER) & the Sky Oak Field Station are two of the four large reserves managed by the field stations program (FSP) at San Diego State University (SDSU). SDSU is looking to build a visitors center 60 miles north of the main campus between Temecula & Fallbrook. The 4,344 acre reserve along the 5 mile reach of Santa Margarita river is one of the longest protected coastal rivers in Southern California. The main goal is to enhance the land in order to use it for research & education.

### MERGE

MEMBERS: Mohammad Alabad, Ali Alajmi, Mosab Alenezi, Naser Alfaraj, Ahmad Bierkdar, Jasem Murad ADVISOR: Kyle Schellenger, KPFF



# SDSU Parking Structure 4 Photovoltaic (PV) Solar Carport Structure

San Diego State University is looking to become more of a leader in renewable energy and has been looking to install a steel carport over the roof deck of Parking Structure 4. The University is seeking assistance to determine the best and most cost-effective solution. Parking Structure 4 is centrally located on the campus just north of Viejas Arena.

### **One Engineering**

MEMBERS: Jasem Alateeqi, Dalal Albastaki, Khaled Aljeri, Ali Alnassar, Ali Alroomi, Hoor Alsilahi ADVISOR: John Prince, PE - Delane Engineering



#### Chula Vista Fire Station 5

The fire station is going to be created due to the lack of fire protection coverage in the City of Chula Vista. The site is located on Orange Avenue adjacent to the South Chula Vista Library. The station will be a total of 12,000-sf including one or two stories accommodating three large apparatus bays, eight dorms, four offices, two bathrooms, and a kitchen.

## **Stanton & Blatch**

MEMBERS: Haocheng Chen, Waleed Eskandarani, Kaitlyn Kirkup, Elona Odisho, Natalie Rios, Gilberto Torres, Alison Vargas ADVISOR: John Prince, PE - Delane Engineering



#### Chula Vista Fire Station 5

Stanton & Blatch has designed the traffic details, water resources, environmental engineering and site development while taking into account the sustainability of the project as a whole.

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### **Synergy**

 MEMBERS: Khaleel Abdulsattar, Anas Alhaddad, Reem Alhamad, Tareq Alhasmi, Abdulmohsen Alrashed, Anwer Ibriheem, Hasan Mohammad
 ADVISOR: John Prince, PE - Delane Engineering
 SPONSORS: Kyle Schellenger & Shaun Walters - KPFF



#### SDSU Solar Carport

We will be designing the structure of the solar panel that will be located on Parking Structure 4 at San Diego State University.

## Very Good Engineering

MEMBERS: Drake Cornelisz, Olivia Gonsman, Hannah Mahfood, Amy Pawlowski, Christian Santos, Theodore Tseu,

Hailey Tyson ADVISOR: County of San Diego



#### County Live Well Campus

Very Good Engineering was given the task to design the County Live Well Campus. The new County Live Well Campus will include a 220,000 square-foot, Zero Net Energy building that has multiple stories. The building will hold a maximum of 800 persons at once, including staff and visitors, therefore a minimum of 800 parking stalls are required in surface lots or structural parking on site as well. Additionally, three of the 7.1 acres on the lot will be privately developed into affordable housing. Many specialties are involved to guarantee the project's success.

# **Visionary Viaduct Engineering**

MEMBERS: Eric Argamaso, Edward Esguerra, Kenneth Gervacio, Ricardo Ibarra, Daniel Olague, Bryan Ramirez, Justin Sojourner

ADVISORS: County of San Diego, James Haughey, PE - Michael Baker International

SPONSOR: County of San Diego



#### Brown Property/Hollister Bridge - Tijuana River Rehabilitation

We were tasked to design and construct removal of unclassified fill material on the Brown Property and reconstruct the existing Hollister Bridge over the Tijuana River. Tasks included: Geotechnical investigation, hydraulic analysis using HEC-RAS, multiple plan drawings for both grading site and bridge, foundation and bridge structural design and analysis, and a multitude of construction plans and documents. The local businesses and entities were also contacted about their opinion on the project and its possible impacts.

### **WTR Incorporated**

- MEMBERS: Hessah AlBoloushi, Abdulaziz Alshatti, Mireille Garcia, Natalie Hernandez, Michelle Laurendine, Casandra Leach MiLinda Salas
- ADVISOR: Professor Tim Smith San Diego State University
- SPONSORS: Colin Kemper San Diego County Water Authority, Troy Matsura Jacobs Engineering, Sean McCarty -West Coast Civil



#### San Diego County Water Authority Mission Trails Flow Regulatory Structure II and Flow Control Facility

The San Diego County Water Authority (SDCWA) delivers raw and treated water to 24 member agencies in San Diego County and owns and maintains hundreds of miles of large diameter pipelines, reservoirs, and treatment plants. The primary objective of this project is to provide additional regulatory storage and improved flow control and capacity at the Mission Trails site for raw water in response to future increased demands from water treatment plants in the south county area.

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# AgroGate

MEMBERS: David Aguilar, Marlin Badra, Ostin Flores, Chad Hill , Karim Ortiz, Elias Sibane, Bao Vo ADVISORS: Dr. Santosh Nagaraj - Associate Professor, SDSU ECE, Dr. Sridhar Seshagiri - Associate Professor, SDSU ECE



#### Smart Irrigation System

Team AgroGate has developed a moisture-sensing smart irrigation system to minimize water waste by maximizing the efficiency of residential watering schedules. A capacitive moisture sensor is used to sense and transmit moisture readings to a base station connected to the sprinkler system controller. The base station utilizes readings from the sensors to modify the watering days and duration for each zone to provide the minimum amount of water needed to maintain a green yard.

# **Audio Guys**

MEMBERS: Christian Adam, Scott Breier, Robert Fuelle, Steven Humes, Josue Moreno ADVISOR: Ken Arnold - SDSU ECE



#### Guitar Multi-effects Pedal

We have designed a multi-effects pedal for guitar players to change their sound with a foot switchable device. There are digital (i.e. delay, reverb, etc.) as well as an analog overdrive effect with a screen to display the information.

# **AutoTech**

MEMBERS: Adam Jabar, Michael Habeeb, Mubarak Aldossary, Nawaf Alkathiri, Yousif Razooqi, Yousif Yaldo ADVISOR: Dr. Sanguoon Chung



#### Fully Autonomous, Self-Guided Car

AutoTech is passionate about the future and revolutionary tech cars. Our plan is to design an autonomous RC-size vehicle. The vehicle will be equipped with an ultrasonic sensor and a top-mounted camera to help achieve its mission. The top-mounted camera will assist with lane keep as well as detecting traffic lights and/or stop signs. The ultrasonic sensor will help the vehicle to stop driving while it senses any type of obstacles as it is moving forward. The vehicle will be turned on/off using a wireless communication system and will include a manual switch to overwrite any wireless communication issues.

### **Battery Boss**

MEMBERS: Darwin Tindan, Allen Yost, Marc LapidADVISOR: Dr. Chris Mi, Department Chair & Professor, SDSU ECE Department



#### Moisture Controlled Automated Irrigation System

Battery monitoring system (BMS) plays an important role in maintaining safe operating levels of lithium batteries. Our goal is to design a battery management system for a battery powered electric bicycle that will prolong the longevity of its battery cells.

### BiSense

MEMBERS: Abdulaziz Almuzairee, Faris Asfour, Kevin Belew, Yafet Bitwoded, Chenxi Chu, Jonathon Juarez, Riker Quintana, Justin Wagoner, Suleyman Yusupov

ADVISOR: Scott Amack SPONSOR: SDSU Student Success Fee WEBSITE: https://www.bisense.org/



#### Virtual Reality Glove

A glove that allows a user to experience VR in an all new way. Sensors all over the glove allow for precise movement tracking within a virtual environment. Haptic modules at the finger tips provide the user with immediate feedback to what they are touching.

## D.E.S.K.

MEMBERS: Steven Evert, Kian Maranon, Eric Romo, Dominick Sahagun ADVISOR: Scott Amack



#### Home Network Security Manager

A home network monitor, management system, and security helper that makes it easy to get information and control your home network.

# **Edge Inferencing Solutions (E.I.S.)**

MEMBERS: Michael Aragon, Jerrol De Vega, Matthew Farazi, Dean Hess, Llendel Reyes, Jonathan Tran
 ADVISOR: Dr. Christopher Paolini, Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE Department
 WEBSITE: https://gargbagemeninc.wordpress.com/



#### Plastic Material Identification Device (P.M.I.D.)

The Plastic Material Identification Device (PMID) will assist people who sort plastics by utilizing handheld infrared sensors, a camera, and insitu machine learning to detect which of the 7 types of plastic is being scanned. The goal of this project is to enhance efficiency and reduce the risk of contaminating a batch of recyclables at a recycling plant by allowing recycle sorters to scan and easily identify whether or not an unfamiliar plastic is recyclable.

## **Full Send**

MEMBERS: Luke Grantham, Kenny Huynh, Zoran Khoshnaw, Daniel Waugh ADVISOR: Dr. Chris Mi, Department Chair & Professor, SDSU ECE



#### Smart Home for the Elderly (SHE)

Many smart home devices and systems exist, but they are hard to setup and use. These smart homes are controllable only from a smartphone or pc which many elderly people do not own or know how to use. Full home smart systems exist, but are unaffordable to many consumers. Our goal is to create a simple, cheap, and easy to set up smart home targeted specifically for elderly people who have not grasped an understanding of modern technology.

# Goodfellas

MEMBERS: Mahrlo Amposta, Adam Cruz, Mark Ewest, Son Pham, Mayra Pulido, Christian Rizzo, Ernesto Rodriguez ADVISOR: Dr. Saeed Manshadi, Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE WEBSITE: https://goodfellas15.github.io/



#### Speed-E

A real-time traffic density sensor that tells its user whether a road has low, medium, or high amounts of traffic. Our target audience is emergency responders who find it difficult to navigate through high traffic conditions in attempts to reach their destination.

# **Hy-Wire Designs**

MEMBERS: Omar Al Jedani, Faisal Al Qarni, Jessica Ansorge, Eric Lewandowski, Romeel Saleef ADVISOR: Dr. Sanguoon Chung



#### **Radiation Detection Vehicle**

The goal of this project is to design an autonomous vehicle equipped with a Geiger counter with the purpose of gathering ionizing radiation data while being remotely controlled by a user. The data will be streamed wirelessly back to a user terminal for data visualization. This prototype design has the advantage of accessing areas within a nuclear facility without exposing the radiation safety staff and medical physicists to ionizing radiation.

### Köntröl

MEMBERS: Nasser Alobaid, Matthew Kim, Andrew Kutzler, Dong Liang, Jack Tran, Phu Tran ADVISOR: Dr. Ke Huang - Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE Department SPONSOR: IEEE San Diego & PCBGOGO



#### Smart Outlet

A set of smart outlets that use the Xbee wireless module to communicate through a mesh network and RFID technologies to identify any appliance that's plugged in. Once a device is plugged in and identified, the smart outlet will then track its' electrical consumption. In case of abnormal behavior the outlet will automatically shut off the device. Thank you to IEEE and PCBGOGO for making this project possible.

### **Montezuma Mobility**

- MEMBERS: William Chhit, Alex Dermit, Kyle Gherardi, Ryan Joralemon, Fadee Kannah, Jeff Onners, Erick Ramirez, Bryan Zepeda
- ADVISOR: Professor Ken Arnold SDSU ECE



#### Montezuma Mobility's Electric Drive Prototype

For the 2018-19 Senior Design track, 8 students have come together to produce an electric vehicle that fulfills the standard known as MM20/20: Montezuma Mobility will build an approachable, functioning electric bicycle that has a minimum range of 20 miles and can reach 20 miles per hour. Student designs emphasized the creation of a motor controller and accompanying inverter, safety shutdown circuit, power distribution system, rider interface, and companion app, all integrated onto a bicycle. Let's go for a ride!

### **Parking Buddy**

MEMBERS: Travis Aubrey, Chanel Bernarte, Rodrigo Bondoc, Ariane Buenaobra, Christopher Crum, Stevenson Dang, Alex Grove, Sean Paz

ADVISORS: Hassan Moradi, Shawn Healey



#### Parking Buddy

The Parking Buddy team has an overall objective of solving one of the bigger issues on campus: parking. With thousands of students attending the campus, parking becomes a hassle and time consumed on finding parking negatively impacts the students. As a result, Parking Buddy aims to make parking easier by monitoring the density of available parking via cameras and displaying it on a mobile application via real time.

### **Project Spacetrip**

MEMBERS: Nour Chihwaro, Abbas Jomah, Angel Lopez, Kenny Maldonado, Jerico Napalan, David Rakieten ADVISOR: Barry Dorr



#### Analog Synthesizer

The goal of Project Spacetrip is to simply design quality, commercially viable, and easy to use analog synthesizers and audio amplifiers. Using a combination of digital and analog components both products will deliver unparalleled quality in sound to the user. The synthesizer will be able to reach 3 octaves in terms of sound production as well as coming with the industry standard set of effects. The audio amplifier will have standard AUX input capabilities, microphone inputs, and equilibrium control.

### **Project Spacetrip**

MEMBERS: Rashed Abdullah, Khaled Almatar, Abdullah Alqallaf, Nicolas Luna, Kevin Machado, Jesse Sismey ADVISOR: Barry Dorr



#### Audio Amplifier

An audio amplifier that receives an array of modulated signals from an analog synthesizer with an objective of amplifying the signals with minimal distortion, with low heat dissipation, stable frequency response, and while delivering power efficiently to a 4-Ohm load speaker box.

### ROB

MEMBERS: Diana Abysheva, Roque Figueroa, Carlos Fletes, Merwin Gubat, Gino Herrera, David Kubera, Brian Valenzuela ADVISOR: Ken Arnold - SDSU ECE



#### Rescue Operation Bot ROB

Search and rescue operations bot with the purpose to save lives by detecting humans in the event of a natural disaster.

# **SAR Bumble Bees**

MEMBERS: Milan Azet, Colton Beery, Aiven Dawood, Victor Munguia, Rachelle Ramos, Francisco Sastre, Eddy Zarate ADVISOR: Scott Amack - SPAWAR

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#### SAR Bumble Bees

The first 48 hours following a natural disaster is crucial to finding any survivors or injured victims that may be trapped under rubble and debris, and Bumble Bees help make this process efficient and quick. After they are deployed, a swarm of drones will simultaneously use different methods to detect and find trapped victims and use a mesh network to relay that information to the first responders who will then be guided to where to look.

### SiMonN

MEMBERS: Brandon Beamon, David Boles, Cerina Diesh, Damian Gariza, Kelly Jentis, Derrick Jones, Tyler Kelehan ADVISOR: Ken Arnold - SDSU ECE



#### Sports Impact Monitoring Network

Life threatening sports injuries occur often, especially when involving the brain. Repeated high impact events can lead to higher incident rates of Choric Traumatic Encephalopathy. Creating a reliable platform to track and study impact events by providing real time injury detection will allow for earlier diagnosis of CTE and allow for long term trend analysis. The SiMonN team will incorporate hardware and software to provide sports impact telemetry system to reliably measure and record impact events.

## **SMARTDog**

MEMBERS: Michael Hill, Carlo Hormoz, Francis Kanouno, Anush Shetty, Kevin Sprigg, Brandon Veltre ADVISOR: Ken Arnold - SDSU ECE



#### SMARTDog

Keep tabs on the furry friends in your life with an easy to use attachment for their collar. No need for monthly fees like other products. App integration for on the go updates when you need them.

### SolMAn

MEMBERS: Cesar Arredondo, Sarah Basel, Travis Bushnell, Justin Costa, Thang Giang, Vinh Hoang ADVISOR: Dr. Chris Mi - Department Chair & Professor, SDSU ECE



#### Solar Mobile Analyzer

A battery powered semi-mobile data collecting platform able to wirelessly transmit data over distance and utilizing solar power for charging and stationary operations purposes.

### **Speak**

MEMBERS: Nick Annunziato, Sean Chaanine, Zach Gordon, Ivan-Garcia Mauro, Jason Ruberman, Mitchell Timken ADVISOR: Dr. Baris Aksanli, Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE



#### Speech Pathologist Toy

This is a toy to help children with their exams who are timid in helping pathologists. The toy will serve as a medium for the kids to practice on so they feel more comfortable when it is their turn. The toy will be able to open and close its mouth as well as protrude its tongue and move it side to side. The toy will have voice recognition, so the kids are able to speak to it.

### **Spectra VI**

MEMBERS: Tommy Khoury, Connor Laffey, Philip Nguyen, Matthew Nickels, Marquise Smart, Mark Thomsen, Huy Tran, Kemakeo Wilson

ADVISOR: Dr. Mahasweta Sarkar, Associate Professor, SDSU ECE



#### 6GHz Cognitive Radio

A Wireless Local Area Network operating in the 6 GHz spectrum is proposed. The expected product is a radio system which operates between 5-7.125 GHz which can send a text file. The access point will use Dynamic Frequency Selection to avoid interference with pre-existing radar channels on the 6 GHz band. Included in the system package will be an antenna design for 5-7.125 GHz.

### **Synthesthesia**

MEMBERS: Duncan Hammitt, Daniel Palisoc, Anthony Savitt, Shane Witsell ADVISOR: Dr. Yusuf Ozturk, Professor, SDSU ECE



#### Synthesthesia

Synthesthesia is a project that explores relationships between sound and color. Our team accomplished this by creating software that will translate the music from our own analog synthesizer with analog effects into colored light. The software utilizes beat and pitch detection algorithms to determine characteristics of the music that will be interpreted based on our knowledge of color theory. The synthesizer is a simple but iconic instrument that anyone can play, and the effects allow users to customize the sound.

## **Team Anti-Drone**

MEMBERS: Daniel De Los Santos, Nicholas Farella, Matthew Mitschke, Leonardo Olvera, Javier Valdovinos ADVISOR: Ken Arnold - SDSU ECE



#### Design a motion detection turret for the purposes of deterring Unmanned Aircraft, i.e. drones, from operating near critical facilities or infrastructure such as airports

Once a drone has been spotted in restricted airspace, our device will first send an email alert to local authorities, including the FAA, FCC, and the local Police department. Next we plan to transmit a signal to interrupt the connection between the pilot and drone.

# **Team CEMT**

MEMBERS:Tyler Bashinski, Michael Val Bolibol, Carlo Lontok, Esteban LopezADVISOR:Dr. Christopher Paolini, Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE



#### Smart RPG

This project is a projectile implanted with a camera, FPGA, and four servos. The camera will capture real-time images that will be sent to the FPGA. Then the FPGA will analyze the images with object detection and an image processing neural network to determine the target. And lastly, the FPGA will then send the position data to the servos, in order to correct its flight path in mid-air using movable fins controlled by a micro servo.

## **Team Georgia**

MEMBERS: Alexander Khoperia, Luka Lomtadze, Teimuraz Nikolaishvili, Grigoli Vashakidze ADVISOR: Ken Arnold - SDSU ECE



#### **KGB** Shoes

KGB shoes is a project that introduces new ways of communication by utilizing universal insoles with a smartphone. The project will enable users to send/receive data via feet-tapping and vibrations. We will be using Arduino Nano to support hardware requirements of Android and iOS applications that will be implemented using Java and Swift.

### **Team Hydra**

MEMBERS: Thomas Barbarito, Andrew Freiha, Carlos Hernandez, Alejandro Peraza, Tristan Sizik, Kris Whaley ADVISOR: Dr. Ying-Khai Teh, Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE SPONSOR: San Diego State University WEBSITE: https://teamhydra25.wordpress.com/



#### Hydra

A hands-free device that floats on a body of water and characterizes it using on board sensors. These sensors include temperature and depth which are controlled by a microcontroller inside the body of the device. This data is collected through a raspberry pi and transmitted using an LoRa Hat transceiver to a local base station.

### TesseDyn

MEMBERS: Luke Bucon, Ben Gutierrez, Brian Lyle, Josh Natalina ADVISOR: Ken Arnold - SDSU ECE WEBSITE: https://tessedyn.com/



#### Stackable Modular Inverter

We have built an inverter that will accept a 48V DC input, and output a 120V AC, 60Hz signal that can be used by any user appliance. Each inverter will be able to connect, or "stack" to others to give the user any desired power they may need. Uses for this project will be either to provide power to impoverished or disaster stricken areas who don't have access to the grid, or for recreational use as a cleaner alternative to a generator.

## **True Color**

MEMBERS: Brian Drennen, Donny Lazatin, Cedric Miller, Tony Morales, Michael Newcomer, Bradley Snetsinger ADVISOR: Dr. Duy Nguyen, Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE Department



#### Color Analyzer

Handheld device that can analyze a color in nature. Used to assist people who are colorblind. Display color name and RGB value on handheld device and a mobile app.

### The Watcher

MEMBERS: Marc Absin, Xiaoxiao Dong, Kylan Fabila ADVISOR: Dr. Ying Khai-Teh, Assistant Professor, SDSU ECE Department



#### Antenna Tracking System

A tripod mounted, battery operated tracking module capable of following the movements of a powered tag that has been secured on an object of interest. The module's movement is controlled via a stepper motor and location data is taken using communicated RF and GPS data from the tag. A camera can be mounted on top of the tracker module in order to capture/record the tracked subject.

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### **MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

# **Archimedes' Crew**

MEMBERS: Ali Baroun, Benjamin Bettencourt, John Drinkard, J. Paul Koutoulas, Joel Maguire, Ceara Martinez ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### **Emergency Communication Drone**

Inspired by the movie "Lone Survivor", this team designed and fabricated a remote controlled drone capable of a hover time sufficient for 10 minutes with on board components to serve as a long distance radio communication in emergency situations.

# **Aztecs Airlines**

MEMBERS: Yousef Alazemi, Naser Alhai, Hamad Alrashdan, Othman Malak, Nicholas Murro, Ian Porter

ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering; Dr. Satchi Venkataraman, SDSU Aerospace Engineering; Chuck Norris; Mike Morgan

SPONSOR: Morgantech



#### **3D** Printed Aircraft Competition

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## **BiomeCANical Engineers**

MEMBERS: Gaby Baumgardner, Ryan Buttler, Shannon Isley, Isaac Mota ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### Motorized Stability Brace for Stroke Patients

Every year approximately 795,000 people in the United States suffer from strokes resulting in a variety of injuries including unilateral paresis, the weakness of one entire side of the body. Additionally, strokes can cause other injuries including drop foot, spasticity of muscles, or total paralysis. Our team's goal was to create a simple motorized leg brace that will assist in flexing the user's knee joint and stabilizing their ankle, allowing them to swing their leg forward and achieve a normalized gait when walking.

# **Camel Crew**

MEMBERS: Abdullah Alfailkawi, Sulaiman Allaho, Abdullah Alsalahi, Eisa Alyahya, Jamayel Hussain, Jenan Hussain ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### Beetle 007 - Plant Seeding Robot

The Camel Crew team designed and fabricated an autonomous robot to assist farmers in Kuwait. This robot is able to move and plant commonly used seeds on a straight line with the aid of an electric propulsion system and an Arduino based electronic control system. This plant seeding robot will protect farming laborers in Kuwait from harsh weather conditions including high heat and airborne particulates.

# Codename S.E.A.L.

MEMBERS: Collin Beaty, Dominic Castillo, Dylan Doan, Dante Legaspi, Anders Ohrstrom, Dustin Ybarra ADVISOR: Rolando Rivera, Northrop Grumman; Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: Dr. Bob Wolff, Quality of Life Plus WEBSITE: https://qlplus.org/



#### Adaptive Surfboard System for a Disabled Veteran

Quality of Life Plus, a national organization that aids disabled veterans, challenged SDSU with the project of creating a system that provides enhanced control and stability of a surfboard for a disabled veteran surfer who does not have the use of his legs. The team designed and fabricated two systems that fulfilled that requirement, one being a custom shaped and professionally made surfboard with an adaptive handle system, and one being an external propulsion system that attaches to the side of a surfboard.

# **Cymer Bois**

MEMBERS: Nathaniel Bell, Anthony Delgado, Ryan Edinger, Ryland Lyons, Geoffrey Mendoza
 ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering; Dr. John Abraham, SDSU Mechanical Engineering
 SPONSOR: Joe Bendik, ASML/Cymer
 WEBSITE: https://www.cymer.com/



#### Material Buildup Simulator for an Extreme Ultraviolet (EUV) Light Source Exhaust

ASML/Cymer produces laser light sources that photolithography scanners used to image patterns on silicon wafers. The company has tasked the team with producing an experimental exhaust model of an EUV light source that can be used to test varying flow parameters at similar conditions to the full-scale EUV light source system. Using a combination of wax and multiple flow conditions at low Reynolds numbers, an optical system measures the buildup of wax material.

# **The Fire Analysts**

MEMBERS: Jonathan Bravo, Cesar Meza, Sagar Purohit, Laura Sandoval, Katie WhitmoreADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical EngineeringSPONSOR: Dr. Joaquin Camacho, Assistant Professor, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



# Pneumatic System for Flame Ignition and Nanomaterial Sampling

Dr. Joaquin Camacho's Energy Flames, Aerosols and NanoScience (FANS) research lab collects nanomaterials using combustion of manganese dioxide (MnO2). The Energy FANS lab is in need of a remote ignition system and sampling system. This team designed and fabricated a system that will improve the reliability of flame ignition as well as collection protocol for Dr. Camacho's lab. This system also prevents the inhalation of nanoparticles by keeping the flame in an enclosed space.

## Fire n' lce

MEMBERS: Brianna Baskerville-Bridges, Eli Diaz, Sophia Ebright, Ben Sellers ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: Dr. Fletcher Miller, Professor, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### **Emissivity Testing Chamber**

Dr. Miller studies emissivity of semi-transparent materials but has issues with background interference. A sub-freezing, low-emitting housing was constructed to reduce this interference and noise in the data. The walls are kept at low temperatures which are monitored by sensors, and the specimen can achieve and maintain temperatures up to 350°C using a controlled heating system. This isolates the emission of the thin fuel sample by creating contrast in the infrared camera, improving data acquisition.

## **Grab and Go**

MEMBERS: Donald Crawford, Garrett Erickson, Eric Gonzales, William Johnson, Salvatore Monica, Zac Rosenbaum, Michael Schultz

ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering

#### ASME Student Design Competition "The Pick-and-Place Race"

The Grab and Go team designed and fabricated a remote-controlled robot to compete in the ASME competition called "The Pick-and-Place Race." The robot's primary objective is to traverse a predefined course, collect as many balls as possible, and place them in a collection area. System design features include a Bluetooth to cell phone controller, a tracked wheel electric propulsion system and a motorized capture system.

## Montezuma's Aircraft

 MEMBERS: Sara Arredondo, Leo Garcia, Jesus Gutierrez, Edwin Orduno, Varinder Singh, Ryan Toca
 ADVISORS: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering; Dr. Satchi Venkataraman, SDSU Aerospace Engineering; Chuck Norris; Mike Morgan

SPONSORS: SDSU Student Success Fee, 3D4E; Morgantech



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## **Off the Hooke**

MEMBERS: Abdullah Aljaian, Naser AlQenaei, Bailey Dawson, Scott Lindaman, Christopher Shipman, Edwin Ventura ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### Material Containment System for Manufacturing Applications

The Off the Hooke team designed, fabricated and tested an electro-mechanical system to support a metal component manufacturing company. The system was designed to integrate directly into an existing high-volume production line and process with a primary objective of safely and efficiently collecting and containing extruded material. Design features include both mechanical and electrical components including weight sensors.

### **Plastic Pirates**

MEMBERS: David Dunn, Abdullah Ebrahim, Diego Guardiola, Dane Hollar, Cameron Hopkins, Nathan Rozenberg
 ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering
 SPONSOR: Susan Baer, Clear Blue Sea

WEBSITE: https://www.clearbluesea.org/



#### Floating Robot for Eliminating Ocean Debris

The Plastic Pirates Team has designed, constructed, and tested a small-scale, solarpowered, semi-autonomous marine robot with functionality to collect plastic garbage in marine environments. Our robot is a prototype of Clear Blue Sea's Floating Robot for Eliminating Debris, which is being developed to cleanse the oceans of plastic pollution. Our team has completed this project by creating our own design architecture for "FRED Jr" that satisfies the solution requirements provided to us by Clear Blue Sea. Through development and test of our marine robot prototype, we have demonstrated the feasibility, sustainability, and effectiveness of ocean plastic cleanup using unmanned, solar-power marine robots capable of returning our marine environments back to "clear blue seas".

# **Ruff n' Teff Engineers**

MEMBERS: Kelly Allen, Abdulaziz AlShati, Christian Carranza-Garcia, Crystal Gama, Tyler Hilderbrand, Sean Hoban, Jessica Roesgen

ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering

SPONSORS: Gemechu Abraham, W.E. DO GOOD; Michael Sloan, SDSU Fowler College of Business



#### Miriti Alpha - Ethiopian Teff Harvester

The Ruff n' Teff team designed and fabricated an engine powered Teff grass harvesting device that aims to provide a safer and more efficient alternative to the traditional sickle currently used by Ethiopian farmers. Design constraints included affordability, ease of use, manufacturing simplicity, people safety, Ethiopian farming community cultural adaptation, and harvesting yield potential.

# **The Salty Crew**

MEMBERS: Ryan Abbott, Blake Berman, Timothy Bollinger, Devin Orr, Jordan Walker, William Wiseman
 ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering
 SPONSOR: Susan Baer, Clear Blue Sea
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### Floating Robot for Eliminating Ocean Debris

The Salty Crew team designed and manufactured a Debris Collection System (DCS) for Clear Blue Sea's Floating Robot for Eliminating Debris (FRED). FRED is an unmanned, solar-powered robot designed to collect and recycle floating marine plastic pollution.

### **SDSU Atlatl**

MEMBERS: Abdullah Alkoot, Neel Dhawan, Arvin Domier, Chris O'Day, Brandon Pruitt

ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering; Dr. Satchi Venkataraman, SDSU Aerospace Engineering; Chuck Norris, Mike Morgan

SPONSOR: 3D4E; Morgantech



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### SDSU Brewing Waste E.D.

MEMBERS: Richard Corbin, Jorge Ferrer, Colton Long, Justin Randolph, Carlos Sanchez
ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering
SPONSOR: Mike Reidy, Ebullition Brew Works
WEBSITE: https://www.ebullitionbrew.com/



#### **Brewery Wastewater Treatment**

Team SDSU Brewing Waste E.D. has designed and manufactured a treatment system capable of lowering the biological oxygen demand (BOD) and total suspended solid (TSS) content of the wastewater produced from the brewing process. This is accomplished by first screening the wastewater to remove the majority of the solids, continuously introducing the water to an aerobic digester between brew cycles, which greatly reduces BOD's and TSS, before finally entering the settling tank where the remaining solids are settled out.

# **Simple Solutions**

MEMBERS: Abdulaziz Alhamadi, Mohammed Al Hinai, Abdulaziz AlNassar, Mohamed Al-Rasheed, Ibrahim Alsaeed, Abdullah Alshuaib, Courage Ogbebor

ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### Piano Auto Tuner

The Simple Solutions Piano Auto Tuner is a piano tuning system that can detect the frequency of a piano tone, verify if that frequency is in tune with a selected frequency, and automatically move the piano pin to achieve the selected frequency. The systems goal is to make piano tuning more accessible to people outside the piano tuning community.

### **Steering the Future**

MEMBERS: Tyler Coffman, Cade Foy, David Guirguis, Josh Korty, Kolby Pearson, Kellen Wilson, Brandon James Yue ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: Aztec Electric Racing, SDSU



#### AER Steering System

The Steering the Future team designed and fabricated a complete steering system for the Aztec Electric Racing 2019 race car. This new steering system is designed to satisfy all 2019 FSAE rules and regulations, as well as reducing weight and improving overall steering performance.

# **The Supercritical Six**

MEMBERS: Zohra Muhammadi, Alvin Muliono, Omar Nunez, Scott Teague, Raul Valencia, Danny Villanueva
 ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering
 SPONSOR: Dr. Joaquin Camacho, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### Miniature Pressure Vessel for Carbon Dioxide Sequestration

A miniature pressure vessel has been designed and fabricated to enable research into methods to reduce Carbon Dioxide in the atmosphere through the deposition in mineral rocks. Accomplishing this has potential to aid in the prevention of further climate change. The Supercritical Six team developed a pressure vessel capable of holding Carbon Dioxide in a supercritical state, namely at 72.9 atm and 31°C. The design also allows for the direct observation of mineral rocks located inside the pressure vessel via a microscope.

### **Supreme Engineers**

MEMBERS: Tim Anaya, Hunter Dimler, Joseph Gibbs, Matthew Mills, Brendon Romero, Kevin Schultz, Jordan Stafford ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: Paul Wield, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### **Custom Fit Mechanical Prosthetic**

A mechanically actuated partial prosthetic hand has been designed and fabricated to restore normal hand capabilities for a client with partial amputations on all five fingers of right hand. This project included extensive research coupled with material testing and client trials. The design solution allows for the client to perform common daily tasks such as holding a beverage.

### **SurfacePros**

MEMBERS: Saleh Al-Hajri, Matthew Keegan, Dayna Moreno, Hannah Nguyen, Kelbi Redquest, Marshall Veyveris ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: Dr. Kevin Wood, SDSU Mechanical Engineering



#### Cold Spray Deposition System

Team SurfacePros re-engineered a Cold Spray Deposition System for Dr. Wood's battery coating research. Corrosion reactions at interfaces within batteries is the key issue preventing electric vehicles & grid scale energy storage. Engineering robust coatings on the surfaces of battery materials is one strategy for addressing these interfacial issues. In cold spray, a powder is accelerated toward a substrate at an ultra-sonic speed & low temp, effectively modifying the surface of highly reactive and low point materials. This project involved the integration of major subsystems including gas delivery and control, a high temperature heating system, and a powder feeder.

# Team Baja CVT

MEMBERS: Gavin Broughton, Matt Lane, Ben Marson, Hannah Pollek ADVISORS: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: SDSU Aztec Baja SAE



#### Aztec Baja SAE Continuously Variable Transmission

The Baja CVT design team created a new Primary for the Continuously Variable Transmission (CVT) of the Aztec Baja race car. Aztec Baja builds a single seat off-road vehicle each year, and they saw replacing their outsourced CVT as an area for improvement. This project was tailored to meet the Baja team's need for a new primary that interfaces with their system and improves car performance. The new CVT Primary will work with the previous Secondary to optimize the way power is transmitted to the gear reduction box and out to the tires.

## **Team Buoyah!**

MEMBERS:Colleen Boensel, Connor Forte, Adonis Glasper, Eddie Mendoza, Binh VuADVISOR:Dr. Scott Shaffar - SDSU Mechanical EngineeringSPONSORS:Matthew Handfelt, Chris Maceyko, David Hoyt - Northrop Grumman CorporationWEBSITE:https://www.northropgrumman.com/



#### Sonobuoy Deployment System for Vertical Takeoff and Landing Tactical Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

Team Buoyah designed and fabricated an effective, flexible, and affordable sonobuoy deployment system for the Northrop Grumman Corporation. The design consists of a pylon mounted launcher for a Vertical Take Off and Landing Tactical Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (VTUAV) to be used by any ship capable of launching and recovering a VTUAV (e.g., Fire Scout or equivalent capabilities).

# **Team Rocket**

MEMBERS: Jared Beach, Thomas Callahan, Griffin Carter, Max Ellinthorpe, Kristopher Schaffer, Matthew Smith ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering

SPONSOR: The SDSU Rocket Project

WEBSITE: https://www.sdsurocketproject.org/



#### Liquid Rocket Engine Injector Testing Apparatus

Team Rocket designed and manufactured a testing apparatus that will enhance The SDSU Rocket Projects ability to test and validate different liquid rocket engine injector designs with relative ease. With its modular and rugged structure, this new test apparatus will be able to easily adapt to many different situations and needs for years to come.

### **Team Volt-Swagen**

MEMBERS:Jesse Archer, Alisha King, Julien Laverdiere, Jeff Richard, Matthew Sebastiani, Eli TaggerADVISORS:Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering; Jerahmee Purcell, Northrop GrummanSPONSOR:Aztec Electric Racing, San Diego State University Student OrganizationWEBSITE:http://aztecelectricracing.com/



Team Volt-Swagen has designed and manufactured a tangible and fully functioning accumulator, or battery box, for Formula SAE on-campus team, Aztec Electric Racing. Aztec Electric Racing is dedicated to developing an electrically powered formula vehicle, capable of successful performance in the national annual FSAE Electric Static and Dynamic competitions.

Aztec Electric Racing Energy Storage System

### Team Zamboni

MEMBERS: Christian Batungbacal, Connor Bucka, Francisco Covarrubias, Matthew Chu, Brian Middlekauff, Christopher Moon, Hannah Morgan

ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering

SPONSOR: Dr. Robert Wolff, Quality of Life Plus

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# Wheelchair to Ice Hockey Sled Loading System for a Disabled Veteran

Team Zamboni created a design that supports a double-leg amputee veteran who needs a machine to help him transition between his wheelchair and an ice hockey sled. This specialized sled is used in place of traditional ice skates. Design requirements included size and weight limits, time needed to set up and operate, and safety and stability while transporting a heavy load. The system must fit in a van, be light enough that one person can lift it, and take no more than two minutes to transport the veteran from his wheelchair to the sled. The design is purely mechanical and uses a hand actuated hydraulic system.

# **Too Hot To Handle**

MEMBERS: Mohammad Alkandari, Jasmine Cheng, David Perez, Dylan Prodon, Solomon Roberts, Dereck Valles ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: Keith Mclean, Collins Aerospace



#### Isolating Thermal Blanket for Composite Repair Applications

The Too Hot to Handle team designed and fabricated a thermal blanket that protects composite repair areas related to aircraft engine nacelles. This project team also designed and fabricated a supporting heat transfer test apparatus. The project seeks to improve on existing technology; to make a thermal blanket that is thinner and better performing than current mainstream products. With the assistance of Collins Aerospace, we have a product for use in aerospace, automotive and other thermal applications. The thermal blanket is comprised layers of fiberglass and stainless steel foil for heat reflection and a layer of aerogel and alumina mat, providing thermal insulation.

# **Traffic Assassins**

MEMBERS: Haneen AlSammak, Connor Breuckman, Sam Dixon, Martin Gutierrez, Dillon MacPhail-Weller ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering SPONSOR: GSE Inc.



#### Personal Flight Vertical Takeoff and Landing Drone

The Traffic Assassin team, inspired by the Boeing "Go Fly" challenged, designed and fabricated an operating scale model of a Personal flight Vertical Takeoff and Landing drone. The small scale model we are developing is based off of a design for a human sized personal flight machine.

### **UNDER-ARM**

MEMBERS: Josh Hitzhusen, Karajo Kafka, Zachary Leon, Thomas McCann, and Brandon Mori
 ADVISOR: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering
 SPONSOR: San Diego State University Mechatronics
 WEBSITE: https://www.sdsumechatronics.org/



#### Mechatronics Autonomous Manipulator

As a sub-team of SDSU Mechatronics, Under-Arm is a senior design group of mechanical engineers who have been tasked to design and fabricate an autonomous, out-of-water, prototype manipulator. The manipulator designed will be used by Mechatronics to test controls systems and object detection. After the completion of the manipulator, the design will be inherited and modified by another team to be integrated with a Mechatronics autonomous underwater vehicle (AUV).

## **Wheelchair Warriors**

MEMBERS: Edgar Aguilar, Alex Chung, Gianfranco Di Paolo Yorlano, Kyle Hansen, Gregory Olivas, Elmer Onofre, Sean Richard
 ADVISORS: Dr. Scott Shaffar, SDSU Mechanical Engineering; Mike Mackey, Northrop Grumman
 SPONSOR: Dr. Robert Wolff, Quality of Life Plus
 WEBSITE: https://qlplus.org/



#### Motorcycle Wheelchair Carrier for a Wounded Veteran

The Wheelchair Warriors team was challenged with a project by the Quality of Life Plus national organization, which works to improve the lives of disabled veterans. This project supports a US Army veteran who sustained a spinal cord injury. While she has lost the use of her legs, she still enjoys riding motorcycles with her husband. The design solution enables this veteran to attach her wheelchair to the motorcycle, and keep it protected from the elements while they enjoy their ride. Design constraints included the load capacity of the motorcycle, the geometry of the wheelchair and impacts to motorcycle performance and stability.