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May 30, 2017
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**2017
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EVENT TIMELINE

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Fair Begins

5:15 p.m.

Chair's Welcome

5:20 p.m.

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A LETTER FROM THE CHAIR



Dear Friends and Students,

Welcome to this year's UW Electrical Engineering Capstone Fair. This year marks the second showcase of our Electrical Engineering Entrepreneurial Capstone Program (ENGINE) projects. It marks the first year students will present their ENGINE projects alongside all UW EE senior capstone projects. This joint showcase illustrates the department's depth of innovation and vision.

Despite only being in its second year, ENGINE has seen significant growth. Over 40 percent of the UW EE graduating are enrolled in the course. This is five times as many students as last year. Industry partnership has grown to meet the demands of student interest, offering six times more projects in 2017 than 2016.

The department is very grateful for our valuable partnerships with industry. These collaborations yield wonderful outputs, from fostering student preparedness after college to fueling innovative research and design. These connections have a big impact

throughout the UW and beyond.

This year, the department is proud to present 38 projects from our graduating class. The range of project topics are impressive, covering numerous areas of impact, including health, power and energy, transportation, the environment and artificial intelligence.

Congratulations to all students on the completion of your final capstone projects. The knowledge you have gained from this experience will serve you well in the coming years, and I have no doubt that you will build successful and rewarding careers.

We look forward to continuing to work with our industry partners and build an excellent collaborative ENGINE in the years to come!

Best to all,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "P. Poovendran".

Radha Poovendran
Professor and Chair

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EE 420

COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM FOR STREAMING REAL-TIME VOICE

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This project builds a communications system for streaming real-time voice using SDR technology in USRP N210.

EE 420

DIGITAL COMMUNICATION USING USRB BOARDS

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This project enhances digital communication using Universal Software Radio Peripheral (USRP) boards.

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CARDIAC ARREST MONITOR

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This project creates a real-time carotid arterial flow measurement system to aid in cardiac monitoring and resuscitation.

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DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING

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MOODY MUSIC CLASSIFICATION

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This project uses machine learning to classify the mood of a song in real-time and predict its genre.

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DEFOULING DRONES

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This project uses a custom-built drone to remove shoes from utility lines.

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FAST NEUTRON COLLIMATOR MOTION CONTROLLER

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This project augments an existing neutron therapy system with a motion controller to improve performance.

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SPACE ENVIRONMENT SIMULATOR

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This project constructs a space environment simulator through a Helmholtz cage and sun simulator.

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QUICK BALANCING CUBE

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This project creates a cube that uses reaction wheels and a feedback loop to balance.

EE 464

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ANTENNA DESIGN

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Students design antennas at 2.4 and 5.8GHz for a dual frequency MIMO Wi-Fi router.

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MIMO WI-FI ANTENNA SYSTEM

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This project explores novel antennas to create a compact Wi-Fi MIMO system with nearly isotropic coverage.

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BLINKSHOT

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This project develops a glasses-like wearable device that can take pictures based on eye blinks.

EE 475

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REMOTE-LESS SKATEBOARD

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This project builds a remote-less skateboard that is controlled by leaning forward and backward to move or stop.

EE 484

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THE BRUX BUSTER

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This project creates an intraoral orthotic sensor system to clinically diagnose sleep bruxism.

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LITE-SENSE

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This project develops a wearable device that measures light intensity and blue light for adaptive lighting systems.

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TO PICK, OR NOT TO PICK: A WINEMAKER'S DILEMMA

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This project develops a sensing system that quantifies wine grape properties to evaluate harvest readiness.

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QUENCH ON THE BENCH

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This project develops a wrist-wearable sensing system designed to detect and indicate dehydration for sedentary occupation.

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WASHINGTON STATE ROAD USAGE CHARGE PLATFORM

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This project creates an Android app that can be used to implement a tax on road usage.

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16 QAM COMMUNICATIONS WAVEFORM

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This project develops a 16 QAM communications waveform that will be used for high data-rate communications.

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AUTOMATIC DRONE DETECTION WITH ECHODYNE MESA-DAA RADAR

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This project focuses on the development of tracking algorithms within a graphical user interface.

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CIRCULAR SMARTPHONE

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This project builds a circular smartphone with communications, embedded systems and PCB design methods.

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CLEAN ENERGY POWER MANAGEMENT

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This project integrates a wind turbine and a generator to provide clean power for an underwater ROV.

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CROWD SENSING

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This project constructs a mobile multi-sensor device capable of measuring surrounding air quality in real time.

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CUBESAT - SPACE ENVIRONMENT SIMULATOR

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This project constructs a magnetic field and sunlight vector generator for simulating low earth orbit environments.

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CUBESAT - POWER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

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This project generates a power distribution system to provide overcurrent protection 500mA to 8A for the CubeSat satellite.

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DRONES FOR COUNTING WAREHOUSE INVENTORY

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This project uses drones to navigate in warehouses to capture barcodes of items on different shelves.

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FLUKE HOME AUTOMATION

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This project builds a handheld device that can collect multiple lighting parameters and pinpoint the issue of faulty LEDs.

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NVIDIA DEEP NEURAL NETWORKS FOR GAME HINTS

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This project uses Deep Neural Networks to display walkthroughs to struggling gamers.

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OCEANLENS ROV

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This project designs and builds an underwater ROV to take sensor and video/imaging data to map the surrounding environment.

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REAL-TIME OPERATING SYSTEM FOR THE ARM V7-R ARCHITECTURE

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This project develops a simple, real-time, microkernel-based OS for avionics software.

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RUSH

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This project constructs a search and rescue drone designed to improve post-avalanche victim location capabilities.

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SEATTLE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SMART PARKING

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This project develops the framework for an app that forecasts the parking availability on a block.

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SMART HOME AIR QUALITY AND FLOW RATE SENSORS

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This project focuses on the design and development of commercial smart home products.

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SMART USB CHARGER

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This project builds a smart USB charger that has three ports and will support a "priority charge" function.

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TUPL CUSTOMER TICKET CLASSIFICATION WITH MACHINE LEARNING

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This project employs machine learning to classify customer tickets automatically.

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VISUALIZING GEOENGINEERING DATA ON MIXED AND VIRTUAL REALITY DEVICES

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This project uses GIS data to render 3D environments for viewing on the Microsoft HoloLens.

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VOICEBOX HEAD UNIT

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This project develops an automotive head unit, which can be installed into existing vehicles.

Thank you to our industry partners and faculty
for your mentorship to our students.

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for their efforts in building the Electrical Engineering
Entrepreneurial Capstone Program.

VISIONARY ALUMS



Thank you to Milton and Delia Zeutschel for their generous contributions to the future of ENGINE.

The Zeutschels have a passion for innovation and a dedication to education. Through this vision, the Zeutschels have given \$2 million to further advance the University of Washington Electrical Engineering Entrepreneurial Capstone Program (ENGINE).



As an entrepreneur and a philanthropist, there could be no better partner to ENGINE than Mr. Zeutschel. From the beginning, he has invested his resources into ENGINE, a program he says would have greatly benefited him while in college. Mr. Zeutschel's commitment to the program will endure.



"I want to continue to engage in the program every way I can," Mr. Zeutschel said. "I would love to be a resource for students and professors."

The value of the ENGINE program goes beyond student experience. ENGINE fosters an innovation ecosystem at the UW, which creates a ripple effect throughout the entire State of Washington.

Milton and Delia Zeutschel sign the endowment, which grows an entrepreneurial ecosystem for current and future UW EE students.

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