

Montgomery Perry

I am a local from the California Bay Area, born and raised in the East Bay. I am a non-traditional student who decided to return to college after working my way into engineering within a field of materials science. It was after I started school that I began to fall in love with mechanical



My name is Moshe Rienhart and I come from San Ramon, California. I'm extremely passionate about Mechatronics and the future of Engineering technology, so much so that I spend much of my free time designing machines ranging from robots to drones to electric long boards. Learning Engineering at SJSU has been a pleasure, it has opened my mind to the physical principles and possibilities of the world around me. Aside from my studies and my work at startups and robotics companies, I greatly enjoy backpacking in beautiful spots, learning languages (I speak several including Spanish and Cantonese), and traveling around the world to open my perspective the ways of living in places so different from my own. I'm extremely grateful to have the opportunity to receive this scholarship, I look forward to continue learning and applying engineering to my life, and I hope that I can be a part of helping make the world a better place.

Mustafa Ihsan

My name is Mustafa Ihsan. I'm mechanical engineering at San Jose State University. I was born and raised in Iraq. Since I was little I have a big interest in electronics and technologies. I like to solve problems specially the one that requires science and thinking. After high school I decided to go to medical field but when I came to the United States I decided to go to engineering field because I like to invent and solve problems. I like to design and build new things. I also knew how to play guitar. My life was not easy and it was not full of success. I kept falling and standing

being selected for this prestigious scholar

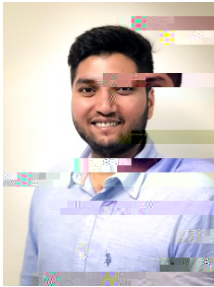
Yacin Chouggar

First of all, I am honored to be one of the recipients of this scholarship that was intended for mechanical engineering students. My name is Yacin Chouggar; I'm pursuing my undergraduate studies at San José State University to become a mechanical engineer. I have lived in downtown Oakland for about eight years now, but I was born and raised in Algeria, a country located in northern Africa. Living on my own in the US, is a real struggle – it hasn't only offered academic and financial challenges, but most importantly taught me the real sense of life,



Vincent Tran

I am a graduate mechanical engineering student with a focus on Mechatronics. My interests include learning about control systems design. I hope to apply these skills in the future and become a successful mechatronics engineer. I also hope to travel the world and take wonderful pictures while I'm at it. I believe learning about different parts of the world is important to improve the mind and soul.



Sadaqatali Mirza

My name is Sadaqat Mirza and I just completed my master's degree in mechanical engineering. I am from India and I came to SJSU in Fall 2018 to pursue my passion for mechanical design. Before coming to the US, I had experience working in a high-volume manufacturing environment and the opportunity to design and build exciting models. At SJSU, I learnt a lot from the courses and the projects I have worked on and in Fall 2019 I got a SJSU Student Scholarship for my achievements. It's motivated me to continue with my passion for design engineering and I'm thankful to the donors and to the committee to have received this scholarship.



Brian Gough

I'm originally from Nashville Tennessee and moved to Sacramento when I was 13. At age 18, I joined the navy and served five years as a submarine sonar technician stationed in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. As a part of my submarine qualifications, I was tasked to learn about the workings of all of the ship's systems. It was during my qualification process that I became fascinated by engineering and decided that I wanted to study it. My hobbies include hiking, photography, basketball, reading (my favorite book is Meditations by Marcus Aurelius. Great book!) and during the quarantine I've developed a wierd habit of watching virtual city tour videos on YouTube. Please let me know if there is anything else you'd like to know. Take care.