SARA HASTINGS

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EDUCATION

University of Washington Seattle, WA
3.8 GPA, Dean's List 2016-2020
BDes in Industrial Design, Class of 2020
Smith and McCain Undergraduate Scholarship
in Industrial Design

WORK

Techtronic Industries Anderson, SC
Industrial Design Intern, Sep 2020 – Present
Design and develop power tools for Ryobi, Ridgid
and Hart. Worked on both the outdoor tools and
professional power tools team.

Mason Seattle, WA
Industrial Design Intern, Jun – Sep 2020
Helped build smart hardware products. Worked with
the design team to create a smart hydration system for
older adults.

University of Washington Seattle, WA
Design Research Assistant, Feb – Sep 2020
Assisted in the development of a therapeutic cooling
device to to preserve injured limbs.
Faculty advisors: Jason Germany

Progressive International Kent, WA
Industrial Design Intern, Jun – Dec 2019
Collaborated with designers and engineers to develop
kitchen products. Communicated and presented work
to Product Managers.

Herbot Inc. Seattle, WA
Industrial Design Intern, Summer 2018
Assisted in the redesign of the Herbot Mini, a smart
countertop hydroponic gardening system.

Topline Corporation Bellevue, WA
Footwear Design Intern, Summer 2017

EXPERIENCE

Industrial Design Society of America
Professional Liason, 2019 – 2020
Helped build relationships with professional network. Set
up workshops, chapter socials and portfolio reviews.
Cultivate the relationship between UW and IDSA Seattle.
Communications Manager, 2018 – 2019
Communicated with faculty and students about chapter
events.

Design for America
President, 2018 – 2019
Led UW's studio of 50+ student and the internal team.
Shaped the vision for UW's chapter. Created and mentored
eight deisgn teams teams, teaching them how to use
design thinking. Built relationship with designers, faculty
and the DFA National Network. Created a studio culture
that fostered interdisciplinary work.
Project Lead, 2017 – 2018
Led a team of five students to develop a smartboard +
app to help combat isolation for those with dementia.
Project Member, 2016 – 2017

Nature Collection App, Directed Research Group
Researcher & UX Designer, Spring 2018

SKILLS

Digital
Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Indesign, XD, After
Effects), Solidworks, Fusion 360, Keyshot, Figma,
Microsoft Office, Sketchbook Pro

Other
sketching, rendering, rapid prototyping, 3D printing,
laser cutting, sewing, public speaking