

...the Real World

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Fear of Electrical Engineering

- Male dominated profession
- Work in lab, tech environment
- No chance to interact with people
- Uninterested in previous internships
- Witnessed long hours, high stress
- Overwhelmed with solving brand new problems
- Lack of confidence in Tufts education
- Lack of exposure to Matlab, laboratory equipment
- Lack of time learning opposed to regurgitating info



Fear of Design

- Lack of confidence
- Need for structure
- Unwillingness to adjust to change
- Inconsistent team
- Overwhelming task (1 entire year)
- Stress of importance
- Lack of experience designing
- Pressure within to succeed
- Extremely involved

