



The Spring 2024 Alumni Spotlight is on...

Mr. Ethan Duong



Ethan Duong graduated from San Jose State University in four years with his B.S. in Industrial and Systems Engineering in 2021 with a Magna Cum Laude. During his time at San Jose State University, he was a member of the Institute of Industrial and Systems Engineering Student Chapter, Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society, and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. While at San Jose State University Ethan participated in a research program on autonomous vehicles alongside the Aviation and Technology, Occupational Therapy, and Human Factors department. In his free time between classes, Ethan also volunteered for the San Jose Streets team, helping the homeless by creating kits for those who found housing and providing them with the essentials to get back up on their feet. While also in his undergraduate program, Ethan was an intern at Jabil which is a subcontracting manufacturer, working in their research and development laboratory.

After graduating from San Jose State University in 2021 Ethan continued to pursue a M.S. in Engineering Management at UCLA. Ethan recently finished his last class in December and will be graduating in June 2024. During his master's program, he obtained a full-time position at Jabil, continuing to drive innovation in electronic manufacturing services (EMS) as a research and development engineer. Ethan is now working towards his Project Management Professional (PMP) certification, which is geared towards project managers, testing their ability to manage people, processes, and projects.

America hasn't always been Ethan's home, born and raised in Toronto, Canada, moving to California during his Sophomore year of high school. Adjusting to living in a new country was a great experience for him, opening the door to new opportunities and meeting new friends. Throughout high school, Ethan was on the Varsity swim team and the local club swim team as well. Swimming has always been an important part of Ethan's life as he started swimming competitively at a young age. Currently, Ethan has a passion for cars and loves to modify them as well as 3D printing, and laser cutting. Ethan has always enjoyed traveling, after graduating he has more time to explore new places, learn new cultures, and experience a different aspect of life.