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About Me

Thank you for taking interest in my work. The following is a compilation of products I have designed over my years of study. As a designer, I make it my goal to explore the possibilities of products we use everyday and push the boundaries of their capability, functionality, and aesthetic.

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Brand Analysis

analyzing VIKING's brand language and aesthetics allowed certain elements to be incorporated

Design Goals



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analyzing the brand, task, and technology of modern single-serve blender led to the following goals for the redesign



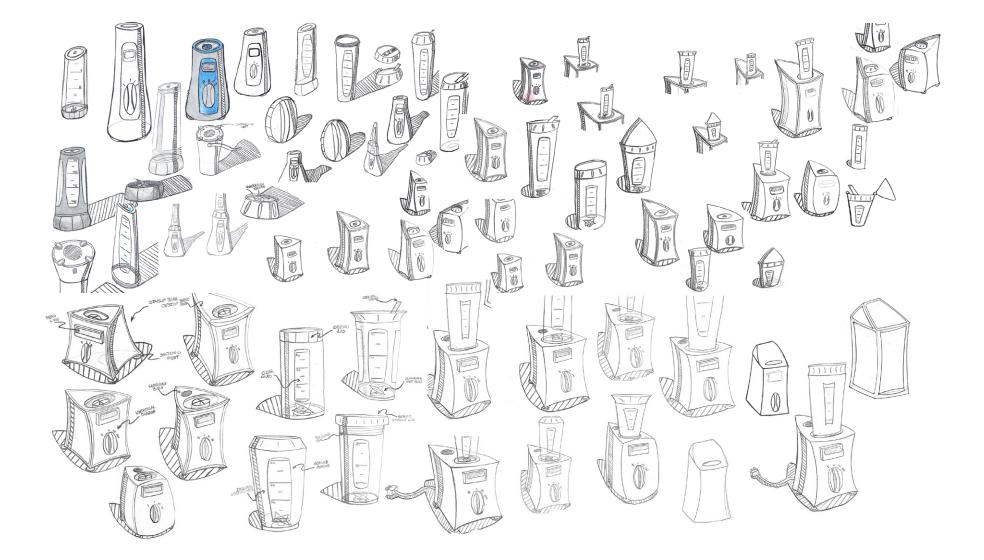
Functionality - reversing the blender cup to allow for quicker use and less cleanup



Simplicity - incorporating VIKING's simple yet elegant design language

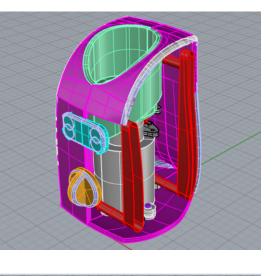


Rapidity - redesigning the single-serve blender for an on- the-go lifestyle

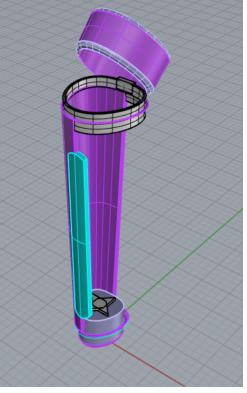


Process Modeling wood modeling using the cabriole method and 3D Rhinoceros Modeling











C&C MILLING AND FINAL MODEL PROCESS 3-Axis milling and surfacing of the physical model









Final Models physical and digital product models





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PROWLER /// GX40

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Automated Mowing System

Over 25% of landscape worker fatalities take place in dangerous areas such as roads and highways

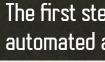
The landscaping and grounds-keeping industry produces 51 trillion dollars in revenue a year, with the average hourly rate of 14.88 per worker

PROWLER GX40 provides an efficient, modernized solution that allows workers to maintain their jobs without the risk of injury





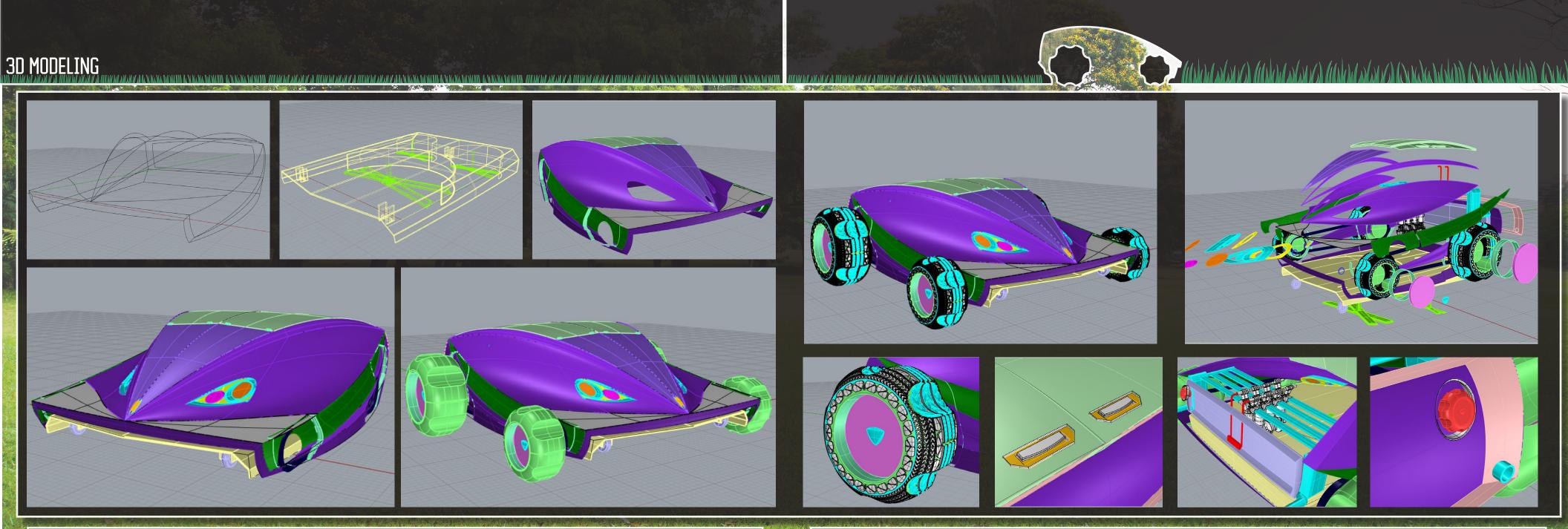




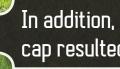
SKETCHING

The first step in developing the design involved perspective ideation sketching that included studies of current automated and conventional lawnmowers, along with exploration into the mower's form and aesthetic appeal

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Digital modeling began by developing generation curves using my ideation sketches. This developed a body shell a long with a mowing deck and blades. Further details such as headlights, cameras, and sensors were then added



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In addition, details such as tire treads, a catalytic conversion exhaust system, fuel tank and pump along with a fuel cap resulted in a thorough, complex yet functional model

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SYSTEM DEPLOYMENT





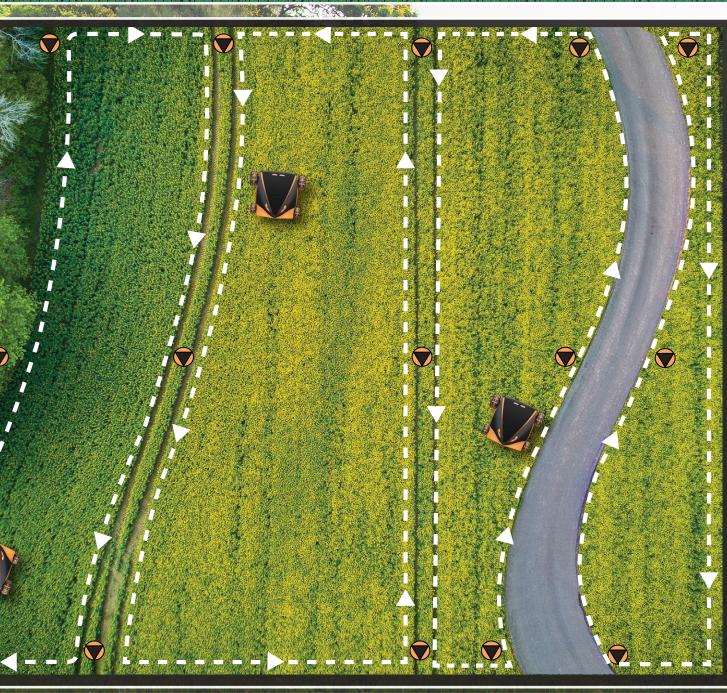
PROWLER GX40 is large enough in size to cut vast areas efficiently, but small enough to travel easily

Fleets would be delivered at the location and automatically deploy from the trailer upon the technician's approval

The technician would then park in a safe location, overseeing the mowers with GPS locating and P.O.V. live camera feed sent straight to their vehicle

PROWLER GX40 would cut until finished, and at that time automatically return to the trailer

SYSTEM FUNCTIONALITY



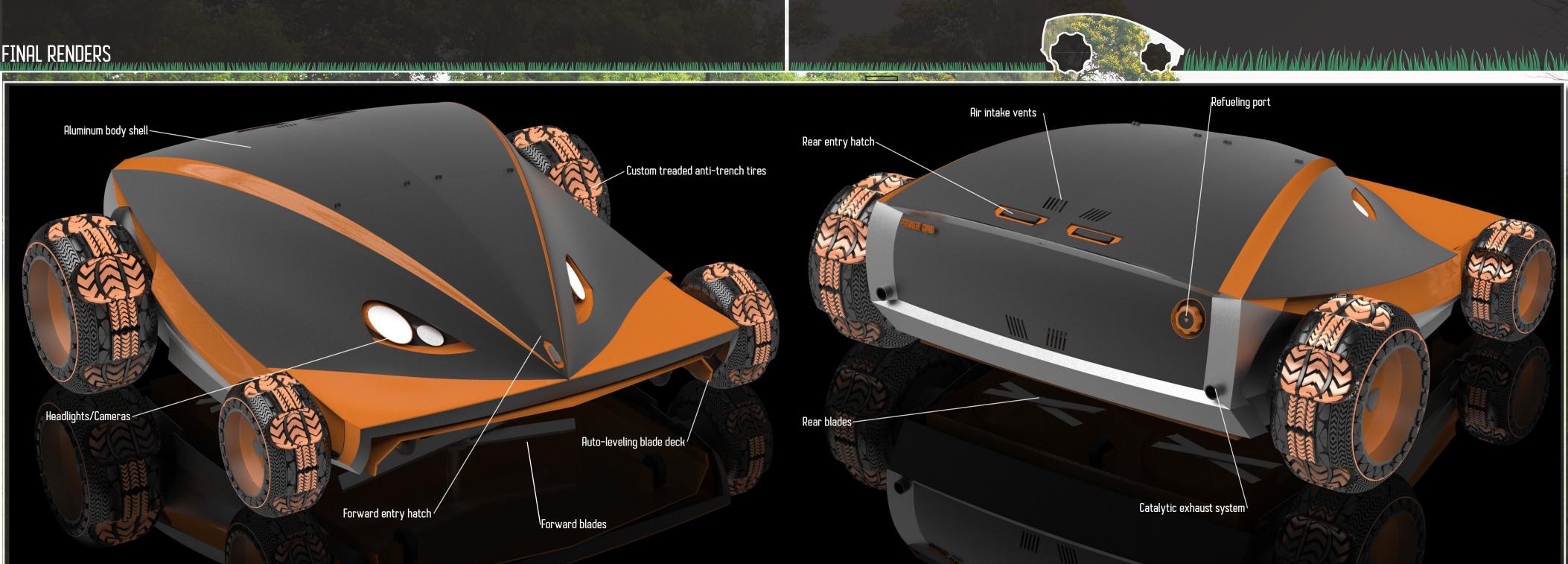
PROWLER GX40 operates using radio frequency technology developed by the creators of the Roomba robot vacuum

Radio beacons would be placed in cutting areas beforehand, creating a two way communication channel with the mower

These beacons, along with the mowing fleets' communications, create invisible fence lines that guide the mowers' path

PROWLER GX40 is also equipped with obstacle detection sensors, live feed cameras, and automatic shutoff fail-safes





all-in-one home espresso system

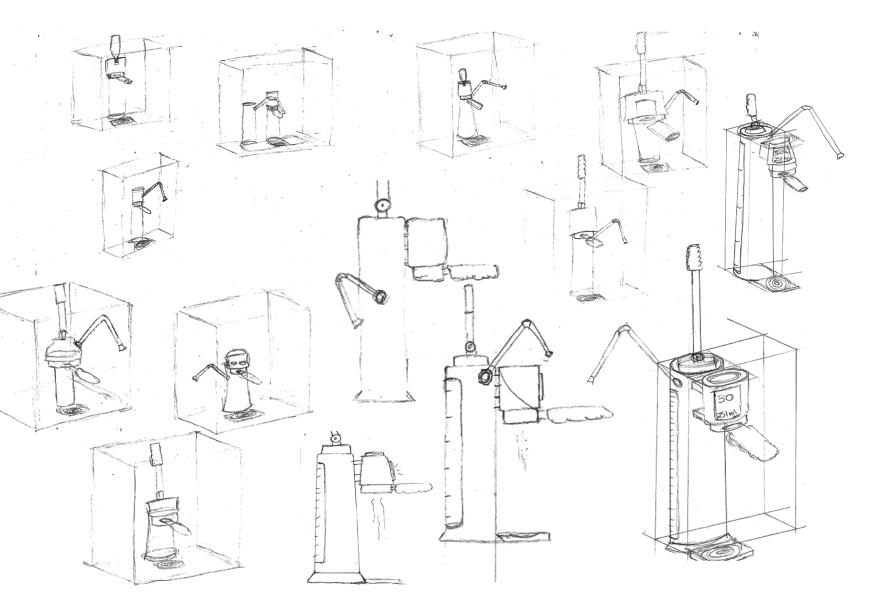
Solution Coffee is a beverage that brings us all together. For many people, the difficulty of purchasing high quality coffee on a daily basis prevents them from enjoying the drinks they love. Modern at home espresso systems that produce these beverages are often bulky, overpriced, and outdated.

Ia lucido, or "the light", is an at home espresso system that provides users with the ability to steam milk, pull espresso shots, and even rinse their equipment clean while maintaining a sleek, high-functioning modern design

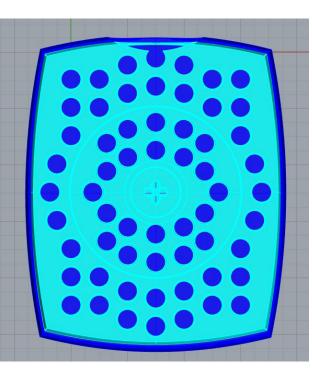


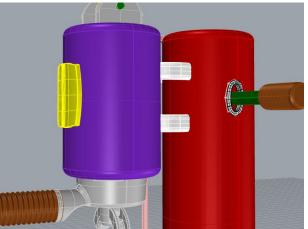
With ease-of-use in mind, la lucido is built to be easily installed in the home and operated easily even by amatuer baristas.

Sketching

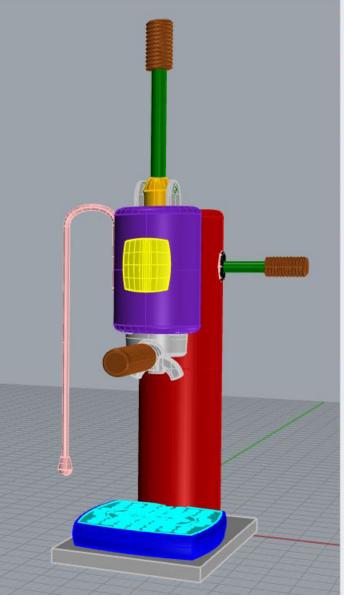


Orthographics International Housewares Student Design Competition All-in-one Home Espresso System .25" — <u>___</u>__ _____3''______ Æ 4.5" \bigcirc 12" $) \cap$ 4.5" 1/2" **↓** 1"





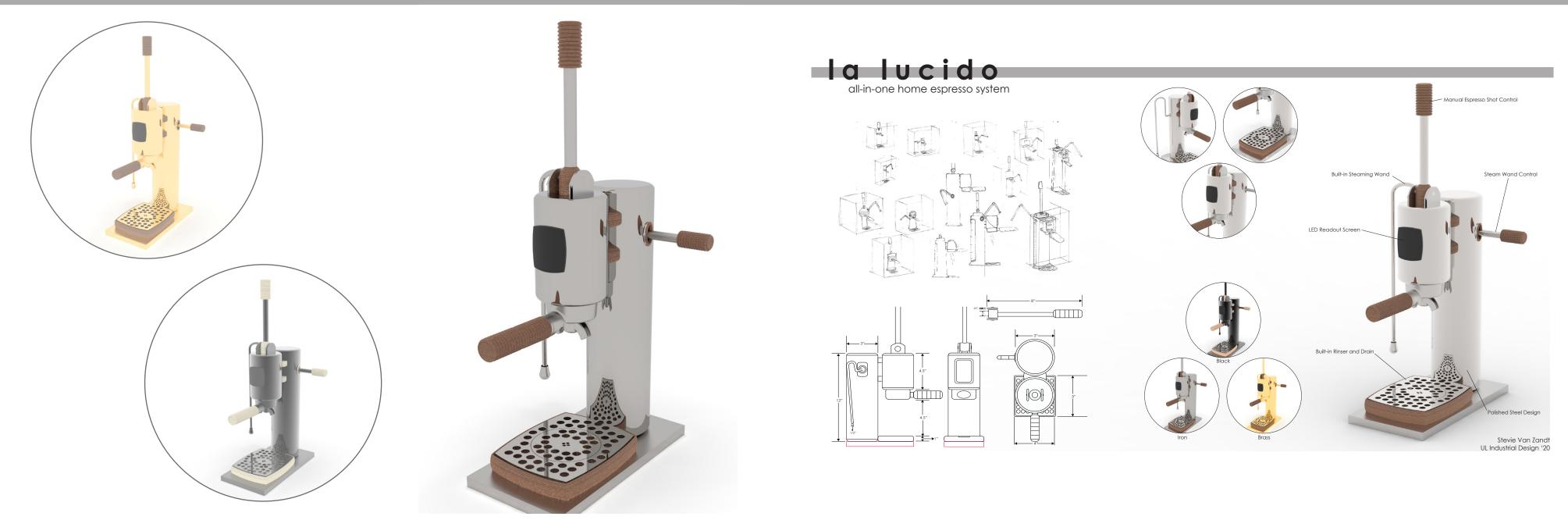
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3D Modeling

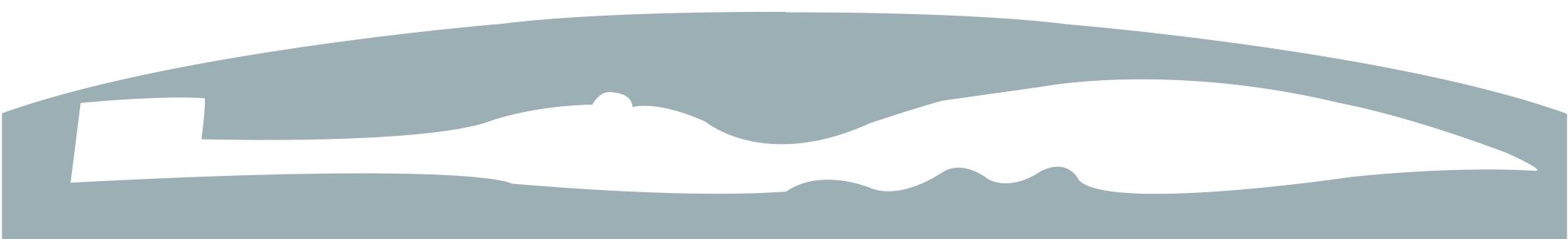
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Final Renders



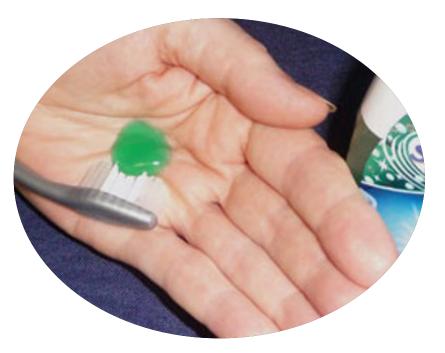
Presentation Poster





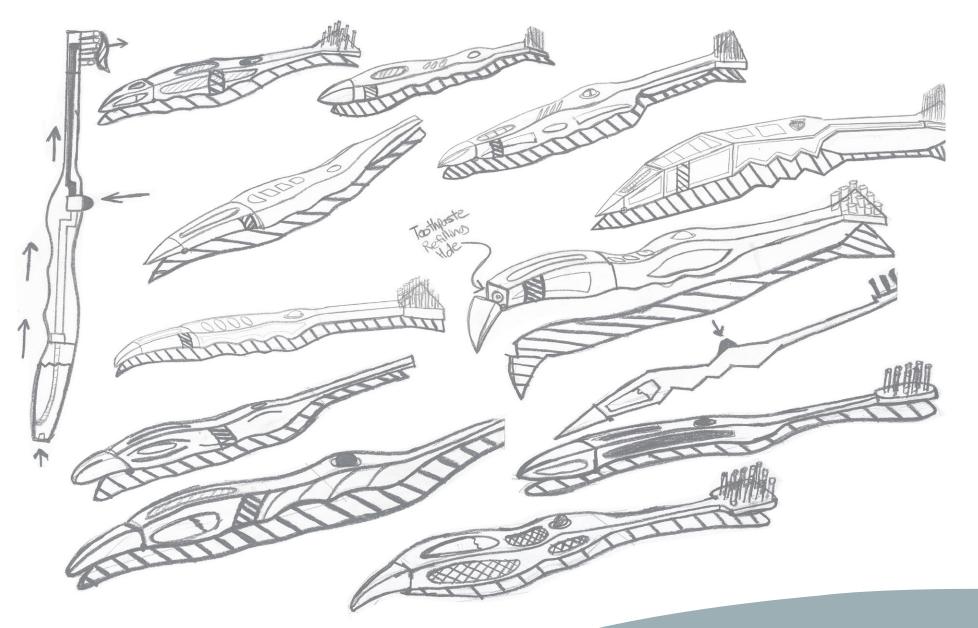


 For those who suffer from visual impairment, brushing your teeth can be a difficult and unsanitary task



 Methods shown for those with visual impairment adding paste to the bristles are also unsanitary and ineffective

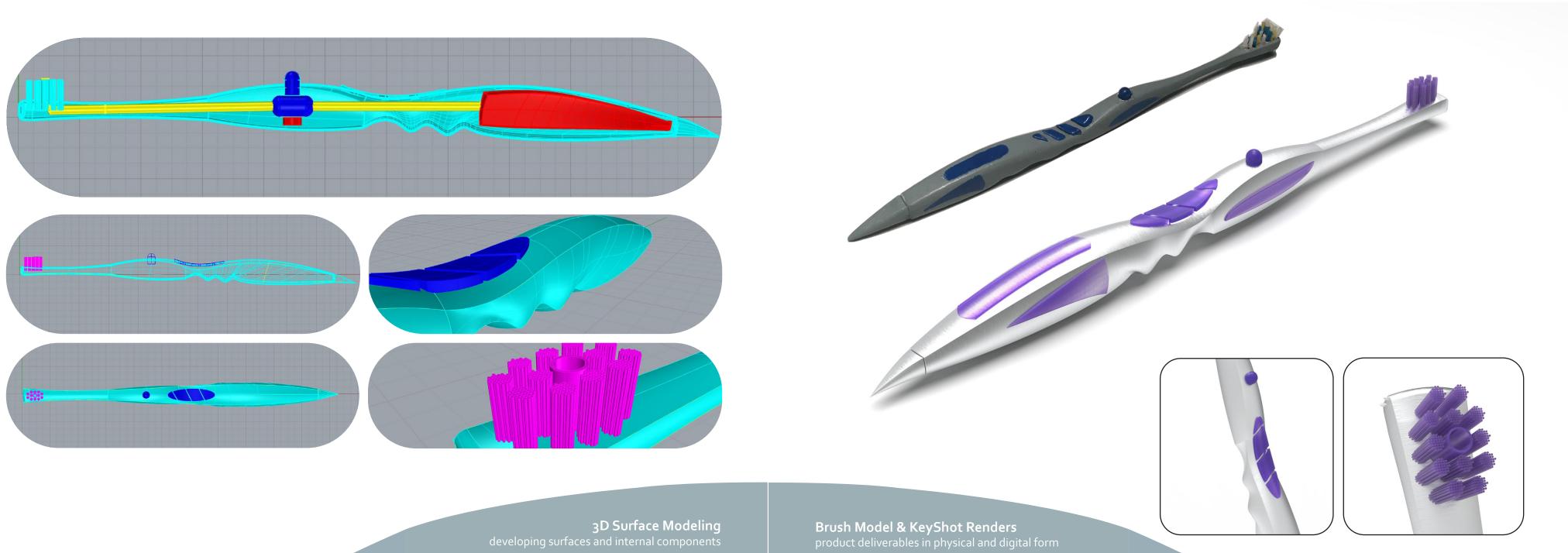




Ideation Sketching exploring various forms and functions of the brush

Form Development testing the ergonomics of the brush's shape





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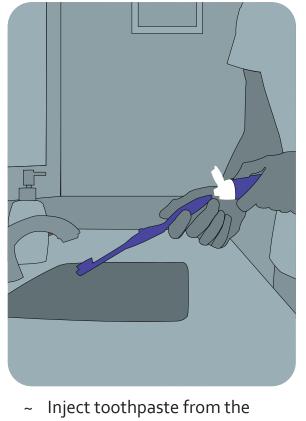
Refill and button systems eliminate the need for adding paste directly to the bristles



Textured shapes guide those with poor vision to the refilling hole



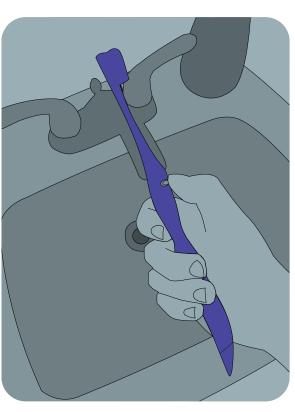
Durable, stainless steel design adds tactility and weight for an easier performance



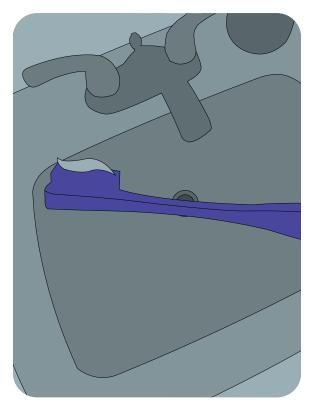
Benefits

Task Analysis how the brush works

rear to fill up the paste pod



~ Clic the button 10-15 times to prime



~ ClicBrush ejects the perfect amount of paste every time

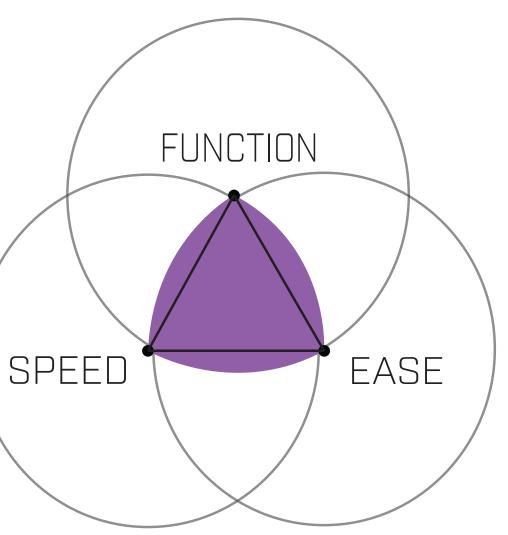


Project Pilot Run 2.0 This Red Bull sponsored project aimed to solve the issues associated with mobile streaming and traveling with expensive equipment safely and efficiently

Working first hand with Red Bull and their patron, ZeRo, the world's leading SuperSmash-Bros. player, allowed the project to be designed to their specific needs both aesthetically and physically



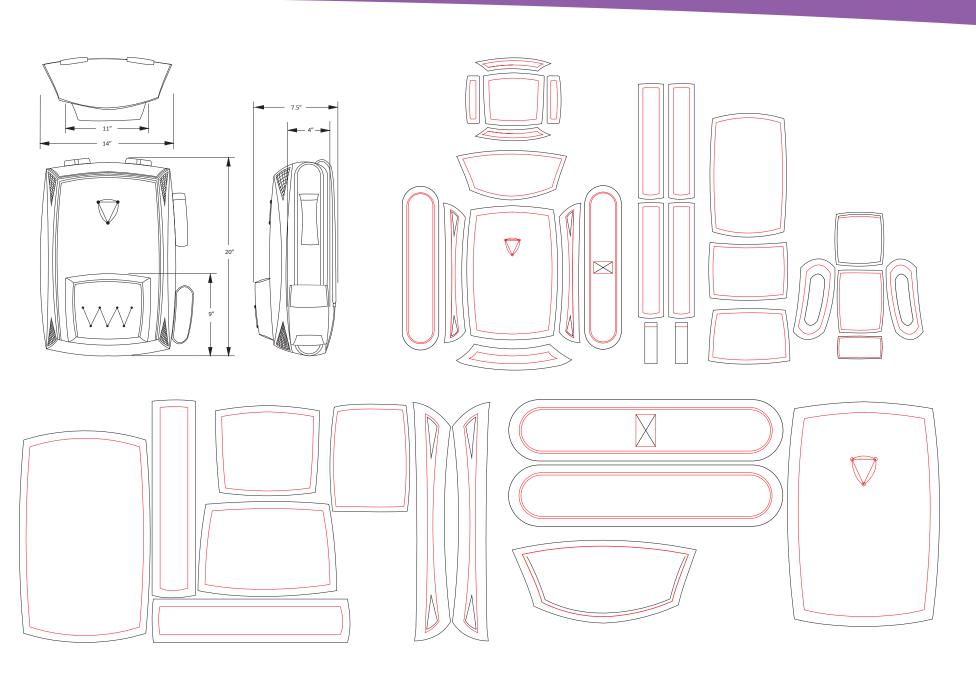




REULEAUX Mobile Streaming Bag

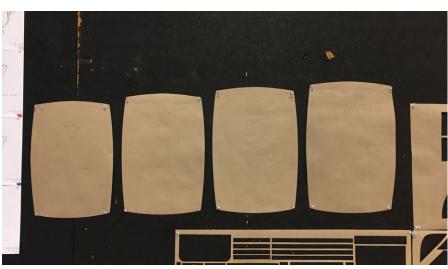
- The bag was inspired by the Reauleaux triangle, which is the shape derived from the center of three conjoining circles
- The REULEAUX Mobile Streaming Bag combines Function, Speed, and Ease to create the ideal on-the-go streaming backpack





Pattern Development orthographics develop into sewable panels





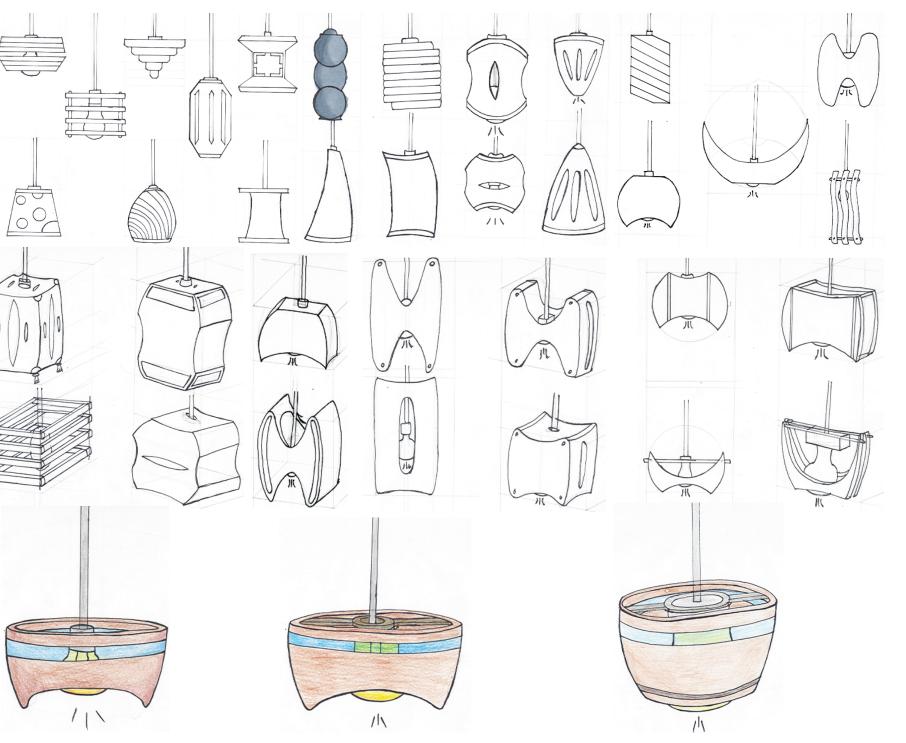


- initial models came out too large and bulky
- this was resolved by a scale test of the main panel and a down scaling of the patterns

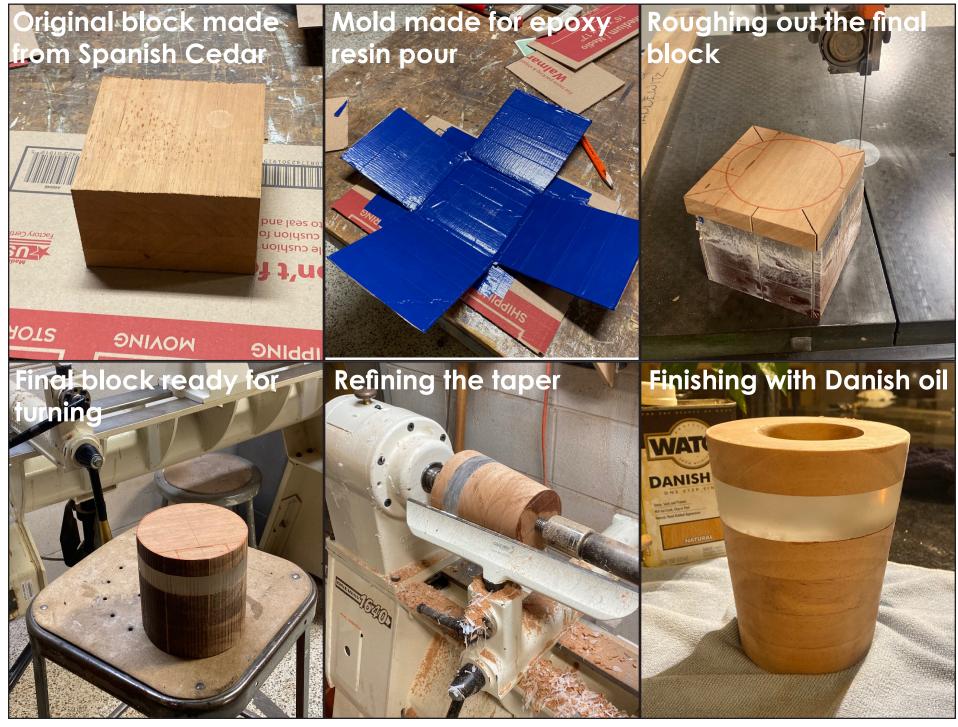
REULEAUX mobile streaming bag







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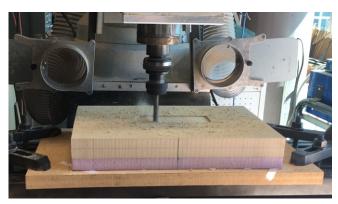
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Woodworking





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Proficiencies:

Furniture Joinery Woodturning C&C Milling Laminate Work Surface Finishing Cabriole Sculpture







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Black Walnut and Red Cypress TV Table>

Black Walnut <Barstool

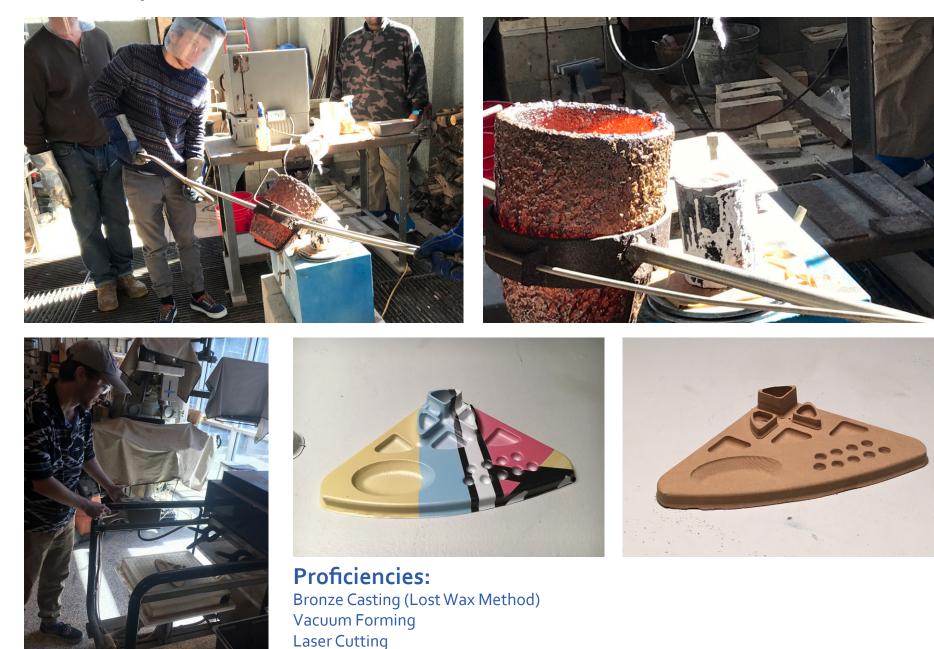






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Craftsmanship



3D Printing Sewing Thank you for taking the time to view my work. If you have any questions, or would like to speak about one of my projects feel free to contact me at my email or phone number, both of which are listed at the bottom of each page of this document.

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