

W.L. GORE ILIAC BIFURCATION ANEURYSM MODEL CONCEPT GENERATION AND EVALUATION

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION



ILIAC BIFURCATION ANEURYSM MODEL

↳ What it is : We are modeling an aneurysm in one of the common iliacs, and modeling the surrounding vasculature for development of medical devices.

↳ Who it is :

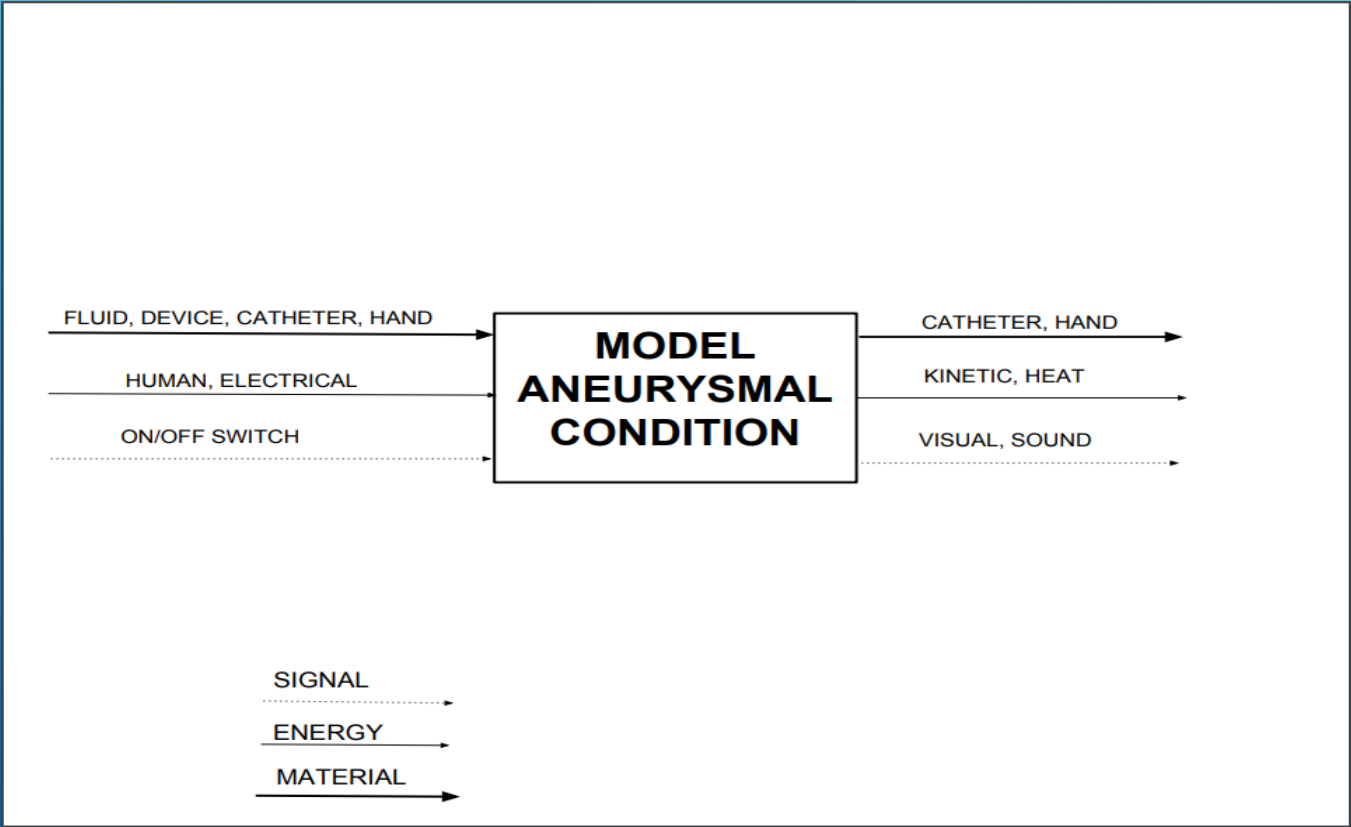
- ↳ Client - W.L. Gore and Associates
- ↳ William Reilly
- ↳ Faculty Advisor - Dr. Tim Becker



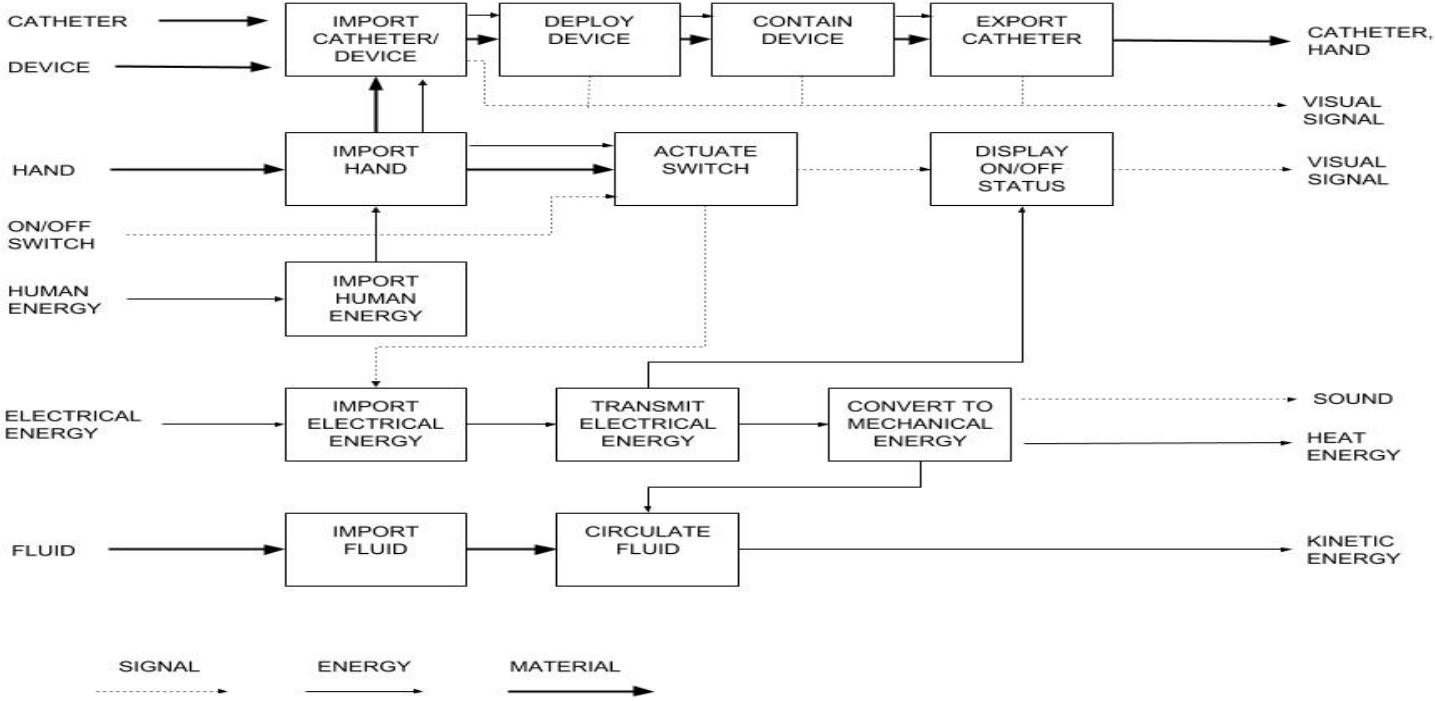
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↳ Why it is : This project is geared to give real world experience while working towards a meaningful goal. The team is attempting to extend human life, test W.L. Gore stents, and learn from the Gore mentor team.

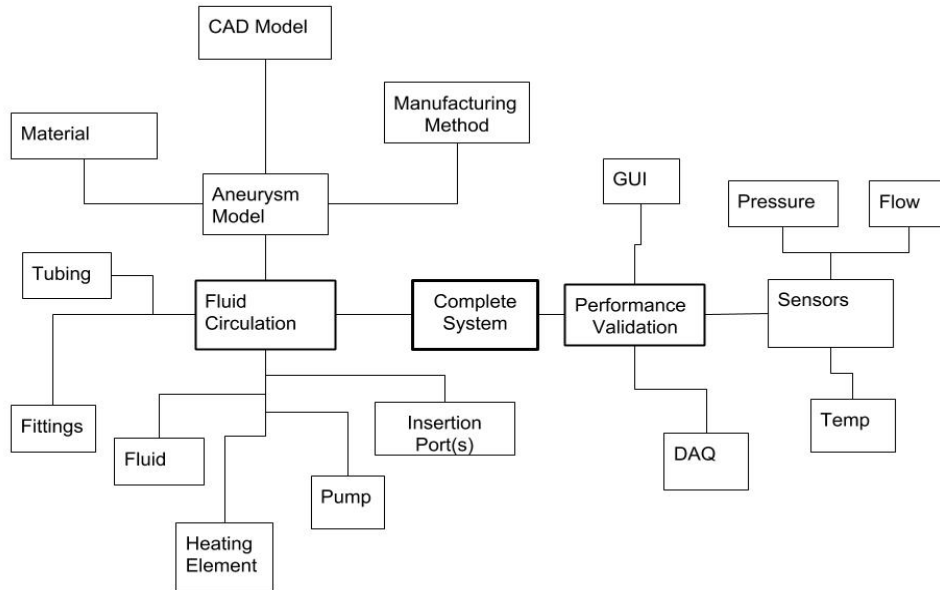
BLACK BOX MODEL



FUNCTIONAL DECOMPOSITION



DESIGN TREE



Overall Requirements:

1. Safe per ANSI, OSHA, or other related safety standards.
2. Design system to mimic anatomical fluid flow conditions (recommended but not limited to):
 - Flow Rate
 - Pressure
3. Develop, justify, and characterize the following attributes (recommended but not limited to):
 - Aneurysm Durometer
 - Aneurysm Compliance
 - Aneurysm Length
 - Aneurysm Thickness
 - Degree of aortic vessel growth (Creep)
4. Allow Visualization of device deployment
5. Document Repeatable Manufacturing Processes
6. Desired but not required: A Graphic User Interface (GUI)

CONCEPT GENERATION

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MATERIALS

Model Materials

- ↓ Silicone
 - ↩ 15, 30, 40 Shore A Durometer
- ↓ Polyurethane
 - ↩ 45 Shore A Durometer
- ↓ Hydro Gel
 - ↩ PVA

Mold Materials

- ↓ Aluminum
- ↓ Silicone
 - ↩ Platinum Based
 - ↓ 45 Shore A Durometer
 - ↓ 60 Shore A Durometer
 - ↩ Tin Based
 - ↓ 10 Shore A Durometer
 - ↓ 25 Shore A Durometer

SENSORS

Flow Sensors

- ↓ Adafruit Liquid Flow Meter
 - ↶ Pinwheel Turbine System
 - ↶ Lowest Cost
- ↓ STEMiNC Ultrasonic Flow Sensor
 - ↶ Ultrasonic Technology
- ↓ Dwyer Series SFI-800 Transmitter
 - ↶ Pinwheel Turbine System
 - ↶ Highest Accuracy

Pressure Sensors

- ↓ Autex Pressure Transducer
 - ↶ Lowest Cost
- ↓ Dwyer Series 628CR Transmitter
 - ↶ Very High Accuracy
- ↓ Barksdale Series 600 Transducer
 - ↶ Same as Dwyer, but more durable

GRAPHIC USER INTERFACE (GUI)

- ↓ Arduino
 - ↪ Lowest cost
 - ↪ 2 group member is familiar
 - ↪ Capable of interfacing with the most sensors

- ↓ LabView
 - ↪ Most expensive option
 - ↪ 2 group members are familiar
 - ↪ Software aids in sensor calibration
 - ↪ Easiest to interface sensors

- ↓ Raspberry Pi
 - ↪ Only option that provides a take away GUI
 - ↪ Has to have an analog to digital converter to use some sensors.
 - ↪ No one is familiar with Python

PUMPS

↳ Peristaltic

- ↳ Low cost
- ↳ Reliable
- ↳ Pulsatile

↳ Piston

- ↳ Most expensive
- ↳ Adjustable wave form
- ↳ Closest to anatomical heart flow

↳ Continuous Flow Pump

- ↳ Lowest cost
- ↳ Reliable
- ↳ Static simulation of heart

DESIGN #1: BASE MODEL

Material

- 30 shore A silicone model

Casting Method

- Silicon mold for wax core
- Low melt wax core
- Silicone outer mold

Pump

- Custom built pulsatile pump
- Room temperature DI water

GUI

- Lab View GUI

Justification

Two members of the team have experience or knowledge pertaining to LabView, therefore, the GUI is reasonable.

Silicone has a high working temperature range, so it can be reasoned that the temperature of the fluid won't affect flow conditions inside of model. [3]

DESIGN #2: DELUXE MODEL

Material

- Polyurethane model

Casting Method

- Silicon mold for wax core
- Low melt wax core
- Aluminum outer mold

Pump

- Off the shelf pulsatile pump
- Temperature Control
- DI water for working fluid

Gui

- Full take away GUI with Raspberry Pi

BOE Calculation Volume of Bifurcation

Right iliac volume: $16.5 * 60.85 = 1004.19 \text{ mm}^3$

Left iliac Volume: $16.5 * 58.4 = 963 \text{ mm}^3$

Aortic Volume: $25.5 * 152 = 3825 \text{ mm}^3$

Total minimum volume: 5843.79 mm^3

DESIGN #3: SR4 MODEL

Material

- Hydro Gel model

Casting Method

- Silicon inner and outer molds
- low melt wax core

Pump

- Aquarium sub pump
- Temperature Control
- Blood mimicking fluid

GUI

- Arduino

BOE Calculation

Needed pump outlet diameter

$$Q = VA \quad .000111 = \pi/4 \cdot 0.0165 * V$$

$$V = 0.0085 \text{ m/s}$$

CONCEPT EVALUATION OF SUBSYSTEMS



PUMPS DECISION MATRIX

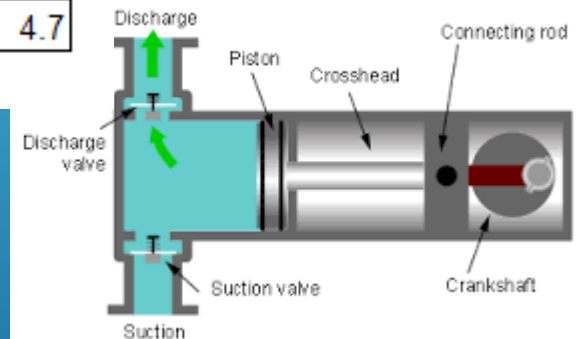
Pumps							
Criteria	Weight	Peristaltic		Piston		Constant flow	
Availability	0.3	3	0.9	1	0.3	5	1.5
Meets CN	0.3	3	0.9	5	1.5	5	1.5
Pulsatile	0.2	3	0.6	5	1	1	0.2
Maintenance	0.1	4	0.4	3	0.3	5	0.5
Cost	0.2	3	0.6	1	0.2	5	1
Totals		16	3.4	15	3.3	21	4.7



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MOLD MAKING



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MANUFACTURING DECISION MATRIX

Raw Score
Weighted Score
Weighted Total

Manufacturing							
Criteria	Weight	Aluminum mold		Silicone mold		Silicone wrapping	
Surface Finish	0.3	2	0.6	5	1.5	3	0.9
Consistency	0.3	5	1.5	5	1.5	2	0.6
Shrinkage	0.2	1	0.2	5	1	4	0.8
Time	0.1	4	0.4	5	0.5	2	0.2
Cost	0.2	5	1	4	0.8	3	0.6
Totals		17	3.7	24	5.3	14	3.1

MATERIALS DECISION MATRIX

Design		Datum		Design 1		Design 2	
Criteria	Weight	Silicone		Polyurethane		Hydrogel	
Availability	0.3	5	1.5	4	1.2	1	0.3
Cost	0.2	5	1	4	0.8	2	0.4
Properties	0.1	5	0.5	4	0.4	5	0.5
Transparency	0.2	3	0.6	5	1	4	0.8
Ease of Mfg.	0.2	4	0.8	5	1	3	0.6
Totals		22	4.4	22	4.4	15	2.6

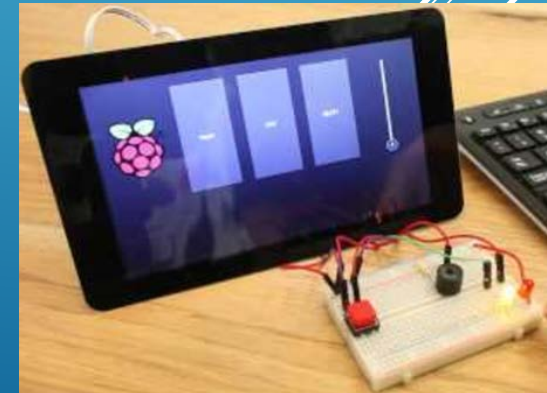
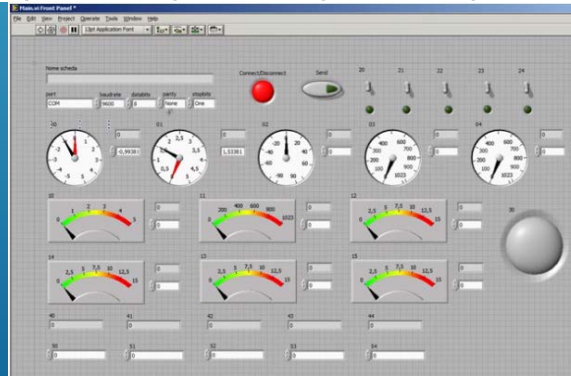
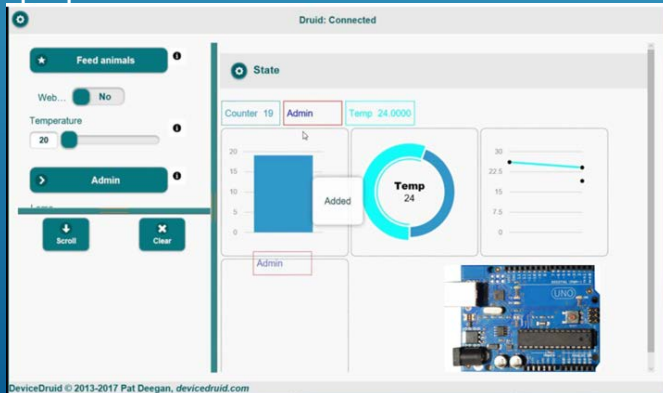
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4. Match Aneurysm Mechanical Properties	7
5. Match Aneurysm Geometry	9
6. Transparent Material	9
7. Replicable Manufacturing Process	9

GUI DECISION MATRIX

Design		Datum		Design 1		Design 2	
Criteria	Weight	Arduino		LabView		Raspberry Pi	
Feasibility	0.2	3	0.6	4	0.8	2	0.4
Cost	0.3	5	1.5	2	0.6	3	0.9
Available Sensors	0.2	4	0.8	3	0.6	2	0.4
Time to Learn							
Language	0.1	3	0.3	4	0.4	1	0.1
Ease of use	0.2	3	0.6	5	1	3	0.6
Totals		18	3.8	18	3.4	11	2.4

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SENSORS DECISION MATRIX

Pressure Transducer Decision Matrix									
Criteria	Weight	Datum (Pressure Gage)		Concept 1 (Autex)		Concept 2 (Dwyer)		Concept 3 (Barksdale)	
Cost	0.2	5	1	5	1	2	0.4	2	0.4
Max Pressure	0.1	3	0.3	5	0.5	5	0.5	5	0.5
Accuracy	0.3	2	0.6	3	0.9	4	1.2	5	1.5
Installation	0.2	4	0.8	3	0.6	4	0.8	4	0.8
Compatibility	0.2	1	0.2	4	0.8	4	0.8	4	0.8
Totals:			2.9		3.8		3.7		4

Flow Meter Decision Matrix							
Criteria	Weight	Datum (Adafruit)		Concept 1 (STEMiNC)		Concept 2 (Dwyer)	
Cost	0.1	5	0.5	5	0.5	2	0.2
Accuracy	0.3	2	0.6	3	0.9	5	1.5
Max Flow Rate	0.2	3	0.6	4	0.8	5	1
Max Pressure	0.2	3	0.6	5	1	5	1
Installation	0.1	4	0.4	2	0.2	4	0.4
Compatibility	0.1	4	0.4	3	0.3	4	0.4
Totals:			3.1		3.7		4.5

CONCEPT SELECTED

Materials:

- ↓ 45 shore A polyurethane model
- ↓ 45 shore A platinum silicone molds

Casting:

- ↓ Silicone molds for exterior and interior
- ↓ Lost wax method for hollow core

Pump:

- ↓ Continuous Flow Pump

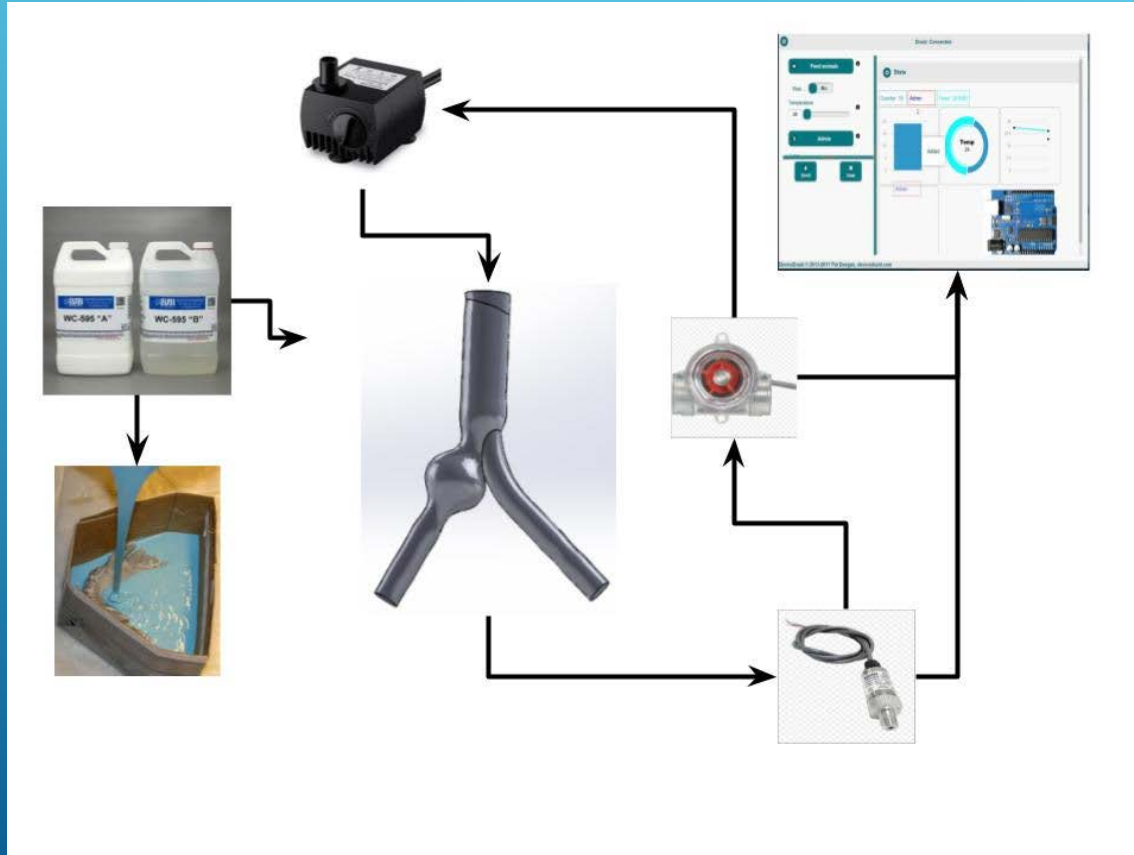
Sensors:

- ↓ Barksdale Series 600 Pressure Transducer
- ↓ Dwyer Series SFI-800 Flow Meter

GUI:

- ↓ Arduino data collection
- ↓ Device Druid GUI

CONCEPT SELECTED (CAD)



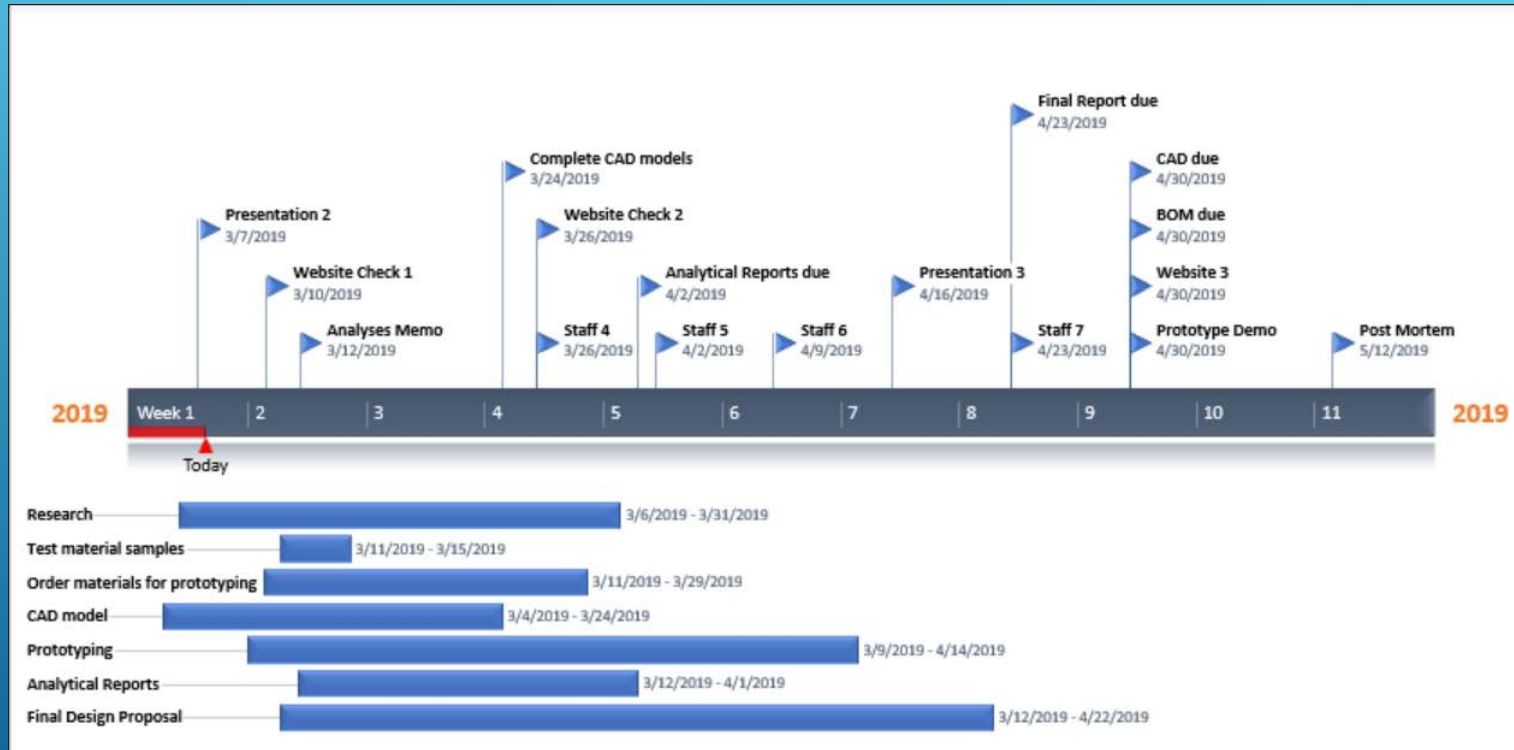
SCHEDULE AND BUDGET



Budget for Gore Capstone Thus Far

	Budget	\$3,000	
Current list of items	Expected needs	Cost	Rational and Comments
Arduino UNO R3		\$35.00	Arduino for GUI
Silicone Tubing		\$0.00	Donated from Client
	Aquarium Pump	\$12.50	Prototyping
	3D printing	\$15.00	prototyping
Polyurethane samples		\$0.00	Donated for testing from a manufacturer
	Flow Sensor	\$30.00	GUI or some visual reading
	Pressure Sensor	\$50.00	GUI or Pressure Gauge (relatively same price)
	Silicone (2 Gallons)	\$230.00	For making the wax core mold and vascular mold
	Polyurethane (1 Gallon)	\$135.00	For making casts of the vasculature
	Wax	\$40.00	For Lost Wax Casting
	Peristaltic Pump	\$100.00	could be piston pump. Price can vary
	Frame for Model	\$100.00	This is still in discussion: pegboard, cart, CAD?
	Pressure Chamber	\$150.00	For degassing of molds and casts
	3D printing	\$100.00	For aneurysm model
	Shipping	\$100.00	In case shipping is expensive
	Poster	\$100.00	For the most shiney poster
Cost		\$1,197.50	
Current Budget Remaining for Unknown Expense		\$1,802.50	

SCHEDULE



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