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Goals: 1. Developed physical-reality simulation platform (PRSP), 2. pre-skilling the manufacturing workforce, and 3. understanding and evaluating the labor market implications of augmented Humans (H)-Robots (R) -Machines (M) and AI technologies.

Future Technology

> Mixed reality (MR) to capture interactions + workflows for H+R+M
> In-situ Authoring for IoT-based Machines
> Humans + MR + AI for easy accessibility



Future Work

> Assessment and metrics in MR:
 cognitive and learning
 > MR based legal spatial body

> MR based local-spatial-body

coordinated tasks

> Leverage learning theories





Future Workers

> Design and Prototyping Smart
 Things & Augmenting Human
 Cognition (Purdue), IoT Course
 (UCI) 140 + 120 students annually

