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PRESENTING...

A SNEAK PEEK @ XDESIGN: MILAN CHALLENGE, LIGHTHOUSE PROGRAM, & AWESOME FUNCTIONALITY

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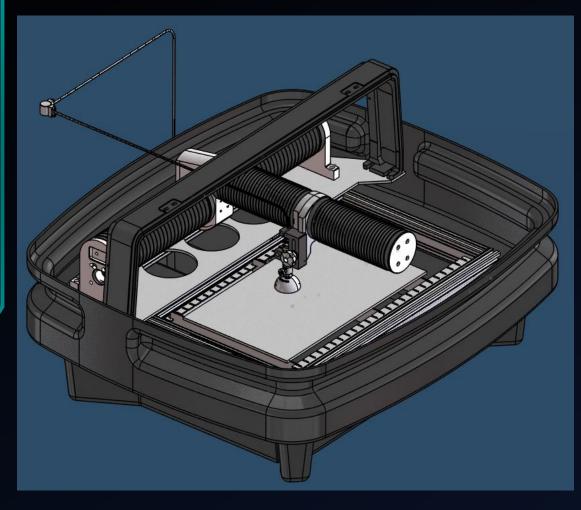
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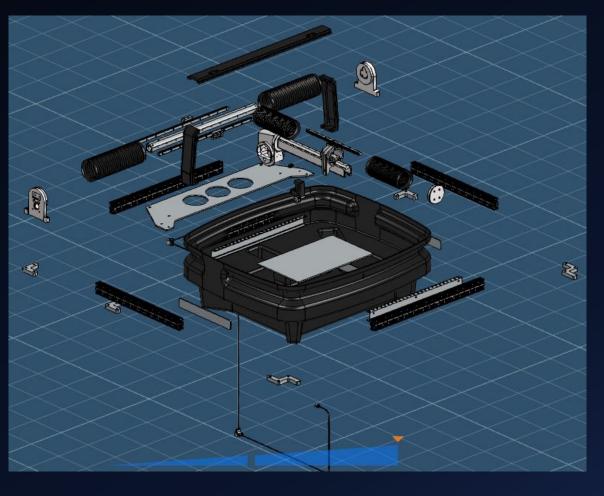
ABOUT ME

- Senior Mechanical Designer (2006-present)
 - Omax Corporation Kent, WA USA
- Full-time Faculty/Dept Head (1994-2006)
 - Engineering Design Technology Program
 - North Seattle Community College
- Mechanical Design Professional since 1985
- SOLIDWORKS User since March 1996
- Founder of SASPUG very Ist SOLIDWORKS User Group
- SOLIDWORKS Certifications:
 - *CSWI 1997*
 - CSWP Original Exam (2003) & 20th Anniversary Exam (2018)
 - CSWP Advanced Topics: Sheetmetal (2008), Surfacing (2014), Weldments (2015), Drawings (2016), Mold Tools (2017)
 - CSWE planned for prior to #SWW2019 (fingers crossed!)



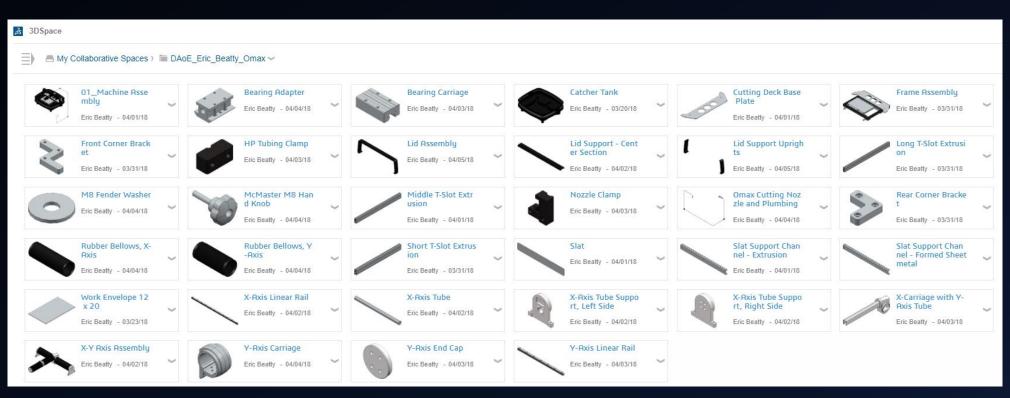
MY MILAN CHALLENGE ENTRY... ...THE PERSONAL WATERJET





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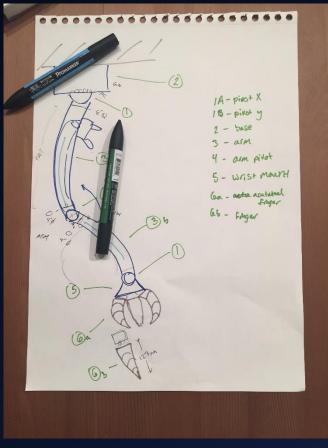
- Full blog article: https://blogs.solidworks.com/solidworksblog/2018/05/eric-beattys-intro-to-solidworks-xdesign.html
- ~36-40 hours of modeling time on multiple devices, including Amazon Fire tablet!
- 35 Components were modeled for this Assembly
 - I Top Assembly
 - 3 Unique Subassemblies
 - 31 Unique Part Models



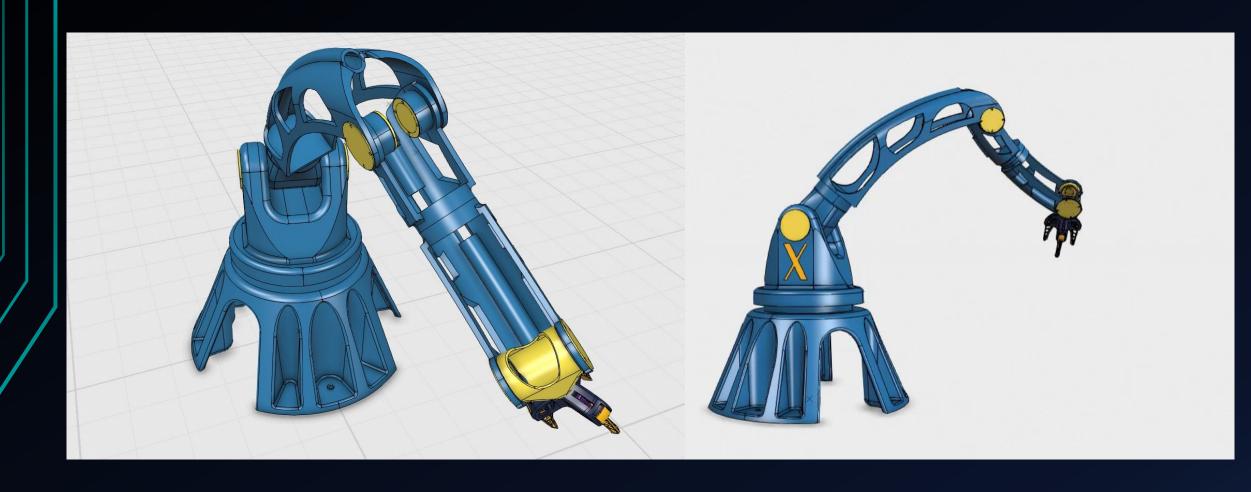
THE MILAN CHALLENGE...

- 5 Designers, 13 hours, 1 common goal ...
- Here's a blog article about the challenge
 - <u>https://blags.salidwarks.cam/salidwarksblag/2018/05/salidwarks-xdesign-hackathan-in-milan.html</u>





OUR ROBOT...



HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED WITH XDESIGN...

- The main webpage for xDesign is
 - xdesign.salidwarks.com
 - The site features videos, case studies, blog entries, feature articles, etc.
- To join the Lighthouse program:
 - https://www.solidworks.com/how-to-buy/join-xdesign-lighthouse-program
 - A button/link to this is on the main xDesign website
- As a Lighthouse beta tester, you'll have direct tech support, provide valuable feedback, submit enhancement requests and guide the product's roadmap
- You'll have the opportunity to enter future design challenges with the possibility of prizes (trips to Italy NOT guaranteed! ©)

