

# UAV + UGV DRONES LAB

## Unmanned Aerial & Ground Vehicles



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### MINDS-i STEM INTEGRATED ROBOTICS: UAV + UGV DRONES LAB

Take STEM learning to new heights with cutting-edge, drones and rovers. Students explore programming, electromechanical systems, and aerodynamics with the UAV + UGV Drones Lab.

**UAVs:** Design, build, and program drones for aerial search and rescues, GPS-guided crop dusting, autonomous deliveries to remote locations, and other compelling industry-related challenges.

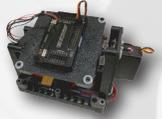
**UGVs:** Build and configure rugged rovers to manually and autonomously navigate challenging outdoor terrain, avoid obstacles, and perform complex tasks.

### SPARK AND SUSTAIN STUDENTS' INTEREST IN STEM

MINDS-i Robotics engages students in an energizing STEM learning environment with easy to build, program, and modify robots. Technologically advanced rovers and drones perform impressive real-world tasks that build excitement for STEM careers. The curriculum encourages collaborative problem-solving and the open-source Arduino® C++ programming language fosters endless creativity. With outstanding technical support, teachers are empowered and students are inspired to build whatever they envision in their "mind's eye."

### COURSE DESIGN

Each lab is one semester (90 Hours) and designed for 3-5 students. Foundations is the recommended prerequisite to the Drones Lab + Curriculum.



GPS & COMPASS

ENCODER

DASHBOARD

DRONE MODULE

RC CONTROL

FLIGHT SIMULATOR

GIMBAL KIT

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## I CURRICULUM OUTLINE - 90 HOURS

### Unit 1: Introduction to MINDS-i

- 1.1 Introduction to MINDS-i
- 1.2 Student Performance Development Process
- 1.3 What is a Drone?

### Unit 2: UGV - Unmanned Ground Vehicles

- 2.1 Unmanned Ground Vehicles
- 2.2 UGV Chassis Build

### Unit 3: Electrical Engineering & Energy Transfer

- 3.1 Energy Types & Transfer
- 3.2 Parts & Purposes
- 3.3 Electric Motors
- 3.4 Volts, Amps & Watts
- 3.5 Batteries

### Unit 4: Drone Code & Sensors

- 4.1 Testing the Micro-Controller
- 4.2 Parts & Purposes
- 4.3 Core Syntax Review
- 4.4 Drone Technologies - Part 1
  - 4.4.2 Compass Heading
  - 4.4.3 Gyro & Accelerometer
  - 4.4.4 UGV Drone Build
  - 4.4.5 Power Level Monitoring
- 4.5 Drone Technologies - Part 2
- 4.6 Waves & Information Transfer

### Unit 5: Applied Systems Thinking

- 5.1 Systems Thinking
- 5.2 Interrelationship Diagram

### Unit 6: Physics of Flight

- 6.1 Physics of Flight
- 6.2 UAV Build

### Unit 7: UAV - Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

- 7.1 Unmanned Aerial Vehicles
- 7.2 Flight Dynamics
- 7.3 Simulated Flight
- 7.4 Autopilot & PID Tuning
- 7.5 Manual Flight
- 7.6 FAA Pilot Certification

### Unit 8: Culminating Project

- 8.1 Preparing for the Challenge
- 8.2 Cleanup / Organization

## I STEM INTEGRATED ROBOTICS DRONES

This curriculum covers a multitude of engineering concepts including

- » Programming
- » Physics
- » Mechanical Systems
- » Electrical and Electronic Systems
- » Hands on Activities and Capstone Projects in each Semester



## MINDS-i DASHBOARD SOFTWARE & MEGA 2560 HARDWARE

- » Open Source Software / Windows 10, OS X & Linux Ready
- » Easy to use Graphical Interface
- » Drag and Drop Installation (w/Radio Driver)
- » Save and Load GPS Paths
- » Live Location Tracking
- » Wirelessly Adjust Settings
- » Capable of Navigating to 100 Waypoints
- » Customizable Graphs: Latitude, Longitude, Yaw/Direction, Pitch, Roll, Ground Speed, Voltage, Amperage and Altitude
- » Full Telemetry Logging
- » Inclinometer Gauges

