

Electrical Engineer (Part-Time) – SpaceDIRT

- PRemote-first, Canadian-led, Planetary-focused
- 6-10pm, or whenever inspiration strikes
- Incentive based, rich in purpose and possibility

Not getting what you want out of your 9-5?

Tired of debugging coffee machines instead of robots?

Join SpaceDIRT and help build the next generation of space tech.

We're a build focused startup on a mission to make space-worthy drilling and rover equipment using off-the-shelf components and practical design. We're building and testing real hardware today — and could use another brain (and set of hands) to make it happen.

We're looking for **part-time electrical engineers** who want to make **oversized contributions** toward humanity's ability to explore, survive, and build beyond Earth.

What You'll Work On

- Prototyping robust power and control systems for autonomous rovers and drilling rigs
- Designing PCBs for motor control, power distribution, or telemetry
- Testing high-voltage DC setups and battery systems (Mars-capable, but Earth-tested)
- Troubleshooting, iterating, building, and learning with a team that's doing the same
- Designing electrical systems rated for low-pressure and sub-zero environments (think Mars at midnight)
- Integrating power systems with solar charging, battery heating, and thermal control loops

About You

- You're an electrical engineer or an experienced tinkerer with circuit design and debugging chops
- You know your way around microcontrollers (Arduino, Jetson, or similar), motor drivers, and power electronics
- You're curious about real-world limitations of COTS parts in space-adjacent environments
- You care about space, off-grid tech, or building things that last in harsh environments
- You're okay trading some free time for a big stake in something bold



What We Offer

- A chance to work on real space-adjacent tech no PowerPoints, all prototypes
- A collaborative crew of mechanical/electrical/software engineers building cool kit
- Potential for future equity, pay, or full-time work as we grow
- Your name on serious tech that might one day dig into another planet

Sound like your kind of mission?

Shoot us a message with a bit about yourself, your skills, and a project or two you've worked on. GitHub, Hackaday, or pictures of your workshop welcome.

Reach us at shaun.riddell@spacedirt.ca

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