Northern Illinois University NIU Robotics Remotely Operated Vehicle

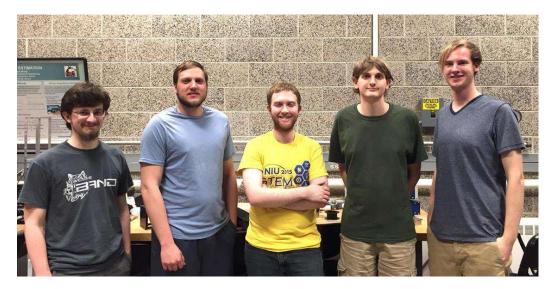
Company Specs:

Members:

Tim Olson – Lead Mechanical Engineer (Junior) Andrew Widmar – Lead Electrical Engineer (Junior) Steffen Kist – Electrical Engineer (Senior) Charles Fortner – Mechanical Engineer (Junior) Joel Rushton – Programmer (Sophomore)

Distance required to travel to international competition: 1,700 km (DeKalb, IL -> Houston, TX)

Team History: First year in the MATE competition



Left to right:

Charles Fortner Tim Olson Andrew Widmar Steffen Kist Joel Rushton

ROV Specs

Safety Features:

- Reverse polarity protection
- Over-current protection
- Propeller shrouds
- Timeout fail-safe

Special Features:

- Adaptable
- Size efficient
- Cost Effective

Total Cost: \$8,000 Build Time: 3,000 hours

