

Join Space Team Aachen

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Recovery Engineer - Testing

Project ASTRID

About Space Team Aachen

The Space Team Aachen is a space science association founded by students of the Aachen universities. Our team is formed of ambitious students from a variety of fields who share the fascination for space exploration. Our team designs, builds and flies experimental rockets and scientific experiments. We set high, challenging goals in order to reach our best performance. We believe in equality and stand for the exchange of our aggregated knowledge.

Your responsibilities

As part of the ASTRID team you will be designing and flying Space Team Aachen's next competition rocket with which we aim to compete in the 3 km SRAD hybrid propulsion category of the European Rocketry Challenge in October 2026.

As a Recovery Engineer responsible for testing the recovery system, your tasks will include:

- Help manufacture and test both parachutes and airbags
- Assist in test campaigns of different subsystems, such as airbag drop and pressurization tests, tensile test article manufacturing and parachute tests

Our requirements

- Sew experience optional
- Experience with textiles optional
- Ability to work in a team together with other students
- Ability to take responsibility and work independently
- High motivation & reliability
- Fluent in English or German

What do we offer

- Be a part of a team of an association with over 200 members and some of the largest aerospace projects in Aachen
- Interdisciplinary teamwork in a highly motivated team
- Apply your theoretical knowledge in a real-world project
- Get in touch with like-minded people
- Participate in the biggest rocketry competition in Europe and have fun!

Interested ?

Send your application to

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