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**G***iovanni Montesano, P.Eng., is pursuing his PhD in Aerospace Engineering at Ryerson University. His research focuses on developing and testing an advanced composite material for use in aircraft turbine engines, as well as developing analytical tools to assess the behaviour of this material. An improved understanding of such materials means stronger and lighter aircraft, improved safety and reduced fuel consumption.*

*Committed to making a positive contribution to the well-being of society, Giovanni believes that all engineers should be motivated to move toward sustainable development and design.*

