

## Vita

James J. Venezia, Jr. (Jaime) was born on February 9, 1971 in Norristown, PA, where he attended Bishop Kenrick High School. After graduating in June 1989, Jaime attended Montgomery County Community College for three years during which he worked as an automobile mechanic. He graduated with an Associates Degree in General Studies and transferred to Virginia Tech in the Fall of 1992. He obtained his B.S. in Mechanical Engineering in the Fall of 1995. While at Virginia Tech, he co-oped for E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company, assisted on the SAE Formula Car Team, and participated in an undergraduate research project. He continued his graduate studies at Virginia Tech in the Mechanical Engineering Department with an emphasis on signal processing and vibration analysis. After receiving his M.S. in Mechanical Engineering in May 1997, he moved to Greenville, SC to work for Michelin North America Incorporated as a test driver. Jaime will also be competing professionally in the Pro Toyota Atlantic Race Series.

