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McCary's work focuses on multi-domain analysis and optimization (MDAO) to integrate commercial, government, and SAIC legacy tools into one platform. In doing so, this connects both analytical and architectural models for a complete end-to-end digital solution that transforms legacy programs, one of them being the Space Missile Systems Center.

Her experience at Northrop Grumman in operational analysis, mission engineering, and MDAO delivered significant value when hired by SAIC in 2018. Among her many achievements, McCary uses the practice of MDAO to integrate multiple models like Cameo, MATLAB, SolidWorks, and AFSIM into a single framework for an end-to-end digital engineering solution for customers.

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