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## **Education:**

Graduate Student, Oregon State University
 September 2011 – Present

 Degree in progress – Master of Science, Nuclear Engineering
 3.55 GPA, Expected graduation date – June 2013.

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Undergraduate Student, Oregon State University
 September 2007- June 2011

 Bachelor of Science, Nuclear Engineering
 Graduated Cum Laude, as a Presidential Scholar, with a 3.54 GPA.

Molybdenum Elements within the Oregon State TRIGA® Reactor"

## **Work Experience:**

- Graduate Research Assistant, Oregon State University

  OSU Hydro Mechanical Fuel Test Facility

  June 2012 Present
  - o Employed by Dr. Wade Marcum on the Oregon State University Hydro Mechanical Fuel Test Facility (OSU HMFTF) project, a Nuclear Quality Assurance-1 (NQA-1) compliant facility designed to provide a database of information to qualify prototypic nuclear fuels.
  - o Job duties authoring and executing procedures, authoring and reviewing quality documentation, performing maintenance and calibration duties, ordering from and interfacing with vendors, and operation of the OSU HMFTF.
- Research Assistant, Oregon State University

  OSU Molybdenum Production Project

  June 2011 June 2012
  - Employed by Dr. Wade Marcum on the OSU Molybdenum Production Project, an endeavor with the goal of producing medical isotopes at the OSU research reactor via specially designed fueled experiments.
  - Job duties performing a thermal hydraulic safety analysis regarding the deployment of fueled experiments into the OSU TRIGA<sup>®</sup> reactor core with the application of RELAP5-3D considering both steady-state and transient scenarios.
- Undergraduate Research Assistant, Oregon State University June 2010 June 2011 OSU Hydro Mechanical Fuel Test Facility
  - Employed by Dr. Brian Woods on the OSU Hydro Mechanical Fuel Test Facility (OSU HMFTF) project.
  - o Job duties writing, reviewing, and editing quality documentation for the OSU HMFTF.
- Undergraduate Research Assistant, Oregon State University
   OSU Molybdenum Production Project
  - o Employed by Dr. Todd Palmer on the OSU Molybdenum Production Project.
  - Job duties performing an analysis with the ORIGEN-ARP program to analyze molybdenum yield from the deployment of a fueled experiment within the OSU TRIGA<sup>®</sup> reactor.