



## ENGR 361: Scientific Research Communication

### **Assignment #3 – Personal History Statement**

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A Personal History Statement is required for all applicants to the A State University graduate program. In your Personal History Statement, please discuss how your personal background—including any relevant educational, familial, cultural, economic, or social experiences, challenges, or opportunities—informs your decision to pursue a graduate degree. Please describe your career goals, your research interests, and your experiences that prepared you to become an outstanding researcher. Describe how/why you think the ASU graduate program and its faculty can help you to achieve your research and career goals.

**First Draft.** Include a header with your name, location, contact information. No more than 2-pages doubles spaced. Submit a \*.docx file to BeachBoard.

The professor will provide some feedback using MSWord Track Changes and upload the edited document to BeachBoard for reference while writing the second draft.

**Final Draft.** Include a header with your name, location, contact information. No more than 2-pages doubles spaced. Submit a \*.docx file to BeachBoard.

Hint: Perform a Google search to see examples.

**Grading will be based on completion of all components of the assignment, submission of all documents by the specified time, and quality of the work (format, readability, spelling, and grammar).**