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## **Professional Summary**

A data scientist with a strong background in quantitative analysis from Ph.D. studies and ability to deliver presentations of data to inform, influence, and support recommendations for developing product efficiency.

Education

Ph.D. Chemistry

December 2012

The Johns Hopkins University

Baltimore, MD

M.A. Chemistry

November 2011

The Johns Hopkins University

Baltimore, MD

**B.S. Chemistry with Honors**May 2007
Binghamton University
Vestal, NY

Awards: Scholars Program

# Experience

Senior Engineer

June 2013 – March 2015

Hwaseong, Korea

Samsung Electronics

- Led a research team and submitted patents for new quality analysis techniques to improve key metrics
- Discussed results of analyses with suppliers to influence strategies for improving quality and yield
- Developed an R program for finding differences in datasets to improve yield based on new patterns
- Determined mechanisms for defects based on impurities data to solve issues affecting 1-3% yield
- Presented seminars for defect mechanisms and analytical techniques to multidisciplinary team

# **Postdoctoral Associate**

October 2012 – May 2013

### WCU Center for Smart NanoBio Conjugates

Seoul, Korea

• Analyzed dependency of electrochemical activity based on structure and environment

# Research Associate

August 2007 – October 2012

#### The Johns Hopkins University

Baltimore, MD

- Optimized catalytic yield from nanoparticles by testing reaction conditions against activity
- Determined reaction mechanisms by time series analysis of transient species
- Presented and published research at multiple conferences and taught undergraduate chemistry students

### **Undergraduate Research Assistant**

September 2005 – May 2007

#### **Binghamton University**

Vestal, NY

Optimized nanowire size and quality by varying polymer concentration and composition

### **Academic Mentor**

January 2004 - May 2012

# W.E.S. Learning Center

Hartsdale, NY

• Taught and mentored students in group or one on one settings in high school science subjects

#### **Technical Skills**

**Analytical Techniques:** analytical chemistry techniques, design of experiments, A/B testing **Statistical Methods:** regression models, time series, hypothesis testing, confidence intervals **Software and Programming Languages:** Python, R, HTML, SQL

Personal Skill: communication, presentations, time management, leadership, ability to work under pressure