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## WORK EXPERIENCE/SERVICE

#### **UHDS FOOD SERVICE WORKER · UHDS**

#### **FALL TERM 2019 – WINTER TERM 2020**

 Provided customer service by doing various tasks such as greetings students, preparing food, answering questions, cleaning up and shutting down the dining hall in several concepts

### **RESIDENT ASSISTANT · UHDS**

#### **SUMMER TERM 2020 - PRESENT**

 Peer leader for first year college students that facilitated a sense of community, ensured a safe living environment, and promoted social justice education and residential education for over 700 students overall in the dormitories

#### SCHOLAR HOUSING ASSISTANT · UHDS

**SUMMER TERM 2020** 

• Collaborated with a small team and developed an extensive plan to coordinate different tasks preparing for residence hall transition in accordance with COVID-19 regulations as well as prepped and organized linen for scholar housing guests

### TEACHING ASSISTANT · OSU DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

**FALL TERM 2020 - PRESENT** 

• Led small break out groups during zoom lectures and facilitated in-person learning for the General Chemistry series at OSU, independently taught several small lab sections, held office hours

#### **LEARNING ASSISTANT · OSU DEPARTMENT OF MATH**

**FALL TERM 2020** 

- Assisted in the learning for Math 251 students (differential calculus) in synchronous remote learning and e-campus modality by answering questions promptly in chat and referring to resources
- Led studios, graded assignments and held office hours for CHE331: Fluid Transport Phenomena.

#### **CHEMISTRY TUTOR · HONORS COLLEGE**

**FALL TERM 2021 - PRESENT** 

Led Discord server for General Chem and Organic chemistry within the Honors Dorms. Posted weekly worksheets, answered
questions, held weekly office hours, scheduled 1:1 appointments and held group review sessions

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCE/PROJECTS

## SUBRAMANIAN RESEARCH GROUP

**WINTER 2021 - PRESENT** 

- Synthesized solid solutions of nonstoichiometric compounds using traditional solid-state synthesis techniques and characterized data of various solid solutions to better understand structure-property relationships through various compositions
- Synthesized a series of layered double perovskites to characterize and obtain enhanced thermoelectric properties

## MATERIALS AND DISCOVERY LAB

SPRING 2021 – PRESENT

- Sole researcher for use of reticular synthesis of chiral metal-organic frameworks (MOFs) for enhanced enantioselective drug separations
   Honors College Thesis, present biweekly research
- Sole researcher in optimizing and comparing the catalytic activity of differing oxidized metals in MOFs for the conversion of carbon dioxide to value added products

#### **ELECTROCERAMICS RESEARCH GROUP**

FALL 2021 – PRESENT

 Collaborated with an international company in development and synthesis a new type of ceramic capacitor to be placed within cellphones with desired properties

## **EDUCATION**

## HONORS B.S. CHEMICAL ENGINEERING · OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY

**SPRING 2023** 

- 3.67/4.00 GPA
- Chemistry minor · Material Science minor

## **AWARDS/RECOGNITIONS**

### **Goldwater Scholar Nominee**

**JANUARY 2022** 

-Nominated as one of the five students from OSU to represent the institution for the national prestigious Barry Goldwater Scholarship, a scholarship for undergraduate researchers with the highest potential to pursue a Ph.D. degree. Awaiting scholarship selection in spring.

## **Dianne Finklein Memorial Scholarship**

2021

-Residential education award for upholding the ideals and memory of Dianne Finklein who was a resident director at Oregon State. Awarded for positive contribution and involvement in my on-campus living community.

## **Peter and Rosalie Johnson Scholarship**

2021

-Academic merit scholarship for those within Chemical, Biological, and Environmental Engineering.

## Daniel T. Bain "Embrace Life" Memorial Scholarship

2020

- Competitive scholarship for students who have overcome mental health barriers, sought treatment, and plan to "embrace life".

## **Weatherford Education Fund**

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-Academic merit scholarship for those within Chemical, Biological, and Environmental Engineering.

## **Edna Galaster Endowment Scholarship**

2020

-Academic merit scholarship for those within Chemical, Biological, and Environmental Engineering.

## OTHER INVOLVEMENT

Tae Kwan Doe Club FALL TERM 2021

Participate in practicing of skills related to self defense and performing martial arts

CBEE Club FALL TERM 2021

Informational club for chemical, biological and environmental engineers to engage with faculty and guest speakers to learn about experience, engineering opportunities, and development of important skills for the profession.

### **AICHE Member**