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РнD	University of Wisconsin - Madison, Nuclear Engineering	Aug 2008 – Aug 2013	
BA	University of Chicago, Physics	Aug 2004 – June 2008	
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Research Experience	University of California - Berkeley, NE Dept., Berkeley, CA Postdoctoral Scholar, Nuclear Science and Security Consortium Data Science Fellow, Berkeley Institute for Data Science Developing computational tools and multiphysics models for advanced reactor safety at		
	Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL Laboratory Graduate Research Appointee, Used Fuel Disposition Campaign Developed a used fuel disposition and generic repository computational model.		
	University of Wisconsin - Madison, NEEP Dept., Madison, WI June 2008 – Aug 2013 Graduate Research Assistant, Computational Nuclear Engineering Research Group Developed and applied CYCLUS, a nuclear fuel cycle systems analysis tool.		
	Idaho National Laboratory, Idaho Falls, ID Graduate Research Assistant, Systems Analysis Campaign Developed software functions and requirements for the Fuel Cycle Simulator concept.		
	Kavli Institute For Cosmological Physics, Chicago, IL Research Assistant, Laboratory for Astrophysics and Space Research Programmed & machined instrumentation. Planned protocol for QUIET polarimeter calibration.		
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Constructed and operated a far from equilibrium granular materials experiment.

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Member, Next Generation Leadership Committee, Waste Management Symposium.	
Editor, Proceedings of the SciPy Scientific Python Conference.	
Co-Founder, Nuclear Pride, LGBTQA Organization.	
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