# **Amine Mohamed Oueslati**

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**EDUCATION** 

University of California, Berkeley

Berkeley, CA

M. Eng, Fung Institute for Engineering Leadership & Material Science and Engineering

**GPA: 3.7** 

Anticipated May 2016

University of Maryland, College Park

College Park, MD

B.S., Material Science and Engineering, Specialization: Advanced Energy Systems

**GPA: 3.76** 

May 2015

#### PROJECT MANAGER EXPERIENCE

#### **Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory**

Berkeley, CA

Project Manager, Low Cost Disposable Battery for the Developing World (Project Numa)

Fall 2015 - Present

Goal: Design, prototype and optimize a novel iron battery that can operate an LED and charge a mobile phone

- Lead materials selection, electrode engineering and hands on electrochemical testing
- Design an impermeable plastic housing that contains the cell and is compatible with a mildly corrosive solution
- Direct a market study and financial analysis on the commercialization of the battery
- Qualified and currently participating in the Big Ideas Competition at UC Berkeley

## Capstone Design Competition, University of Maryland

College Park, MD

Spring 2015

Project Manager, Laser Induced Graphene Sponge

Goal: Design and prototype a new effective, economic and environmental material to clean up oil spills

- Lead the finite element computational modeling team to simulate oil sorption of Laser Induced Graphene
- Conducted lab scale experiment to evaluate samples fabricated by the renowned James M Tour group at Rice University
- Managed the finances of a team of five engineers and completed the project in 9 weeks meeting a budget of \$1000

### **Energy Research Center, University of Maryland**

Project Manager, Shape Memory Paper

**College Park, MD** Fall 2014 – Spring 2015

Goal: Design and prototype a new shape morphing composite that operates in dry environments at low currents

- Collaborated with Dr. Jinsong Tao to select the appropriate organic and metallic counterparts for the composite
- Conducted and documented various electrical and strain related tests to evaluate performance and reliability
- Research publication is currently under review

#### REASEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### Robert A. W. Carleton Lab, Columbia University

New York, NY

Summer 2014

Research Assistant, Neutron Diffraction Stress Measurements in Suspension Bridge Wire Bundles

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- Developed an algorithm to synchronize and extrapolate force and strain data on a single time stamp
- Processed Stress-Strain data to analyze slipping behavior during neutron diffraction using Matlab
- Presented weekly reports involving findings, roadblocks and required experiments to advance algorithm development

#### Laboratory for Nanoparticle Based Manufacturing and Metrology, University of Maryland

**College Park, MD** Fall 2013 – Spring 2014

Research Assistant, 3D and 2D Printing of Nanoenergetic Materials

Goal: Develop a printable nanothermite ink in order to increase thermite welding efficiency

- Assisted in customizing a Makerbot Replicator (3D Printer) to print liquids using an in-house pressure system
- Evaluated numerous formulations of inks using light microscopy and burning tests
- Presented a poster with printer design, printing data and burning properties on Undergraduate Research Day

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

## University of California, Berkeley

Berkeley, CA

Finance Team Member, Berkeley Hyperloop Project

Fall 2015 - Present

Goal: Raise \$500,000 for project development and compete in the SpaceX Hyperloop Pod competition

- Design sponsorship packages and directly communicate them with various company Human Resources departments
- Act as a technical liaison for potential investors in order to gather necessary social and financial support

## Coleman Fung Institute for Engineering Leadership

Berkeley, CA

Leader, Student Career Representative Team

Fall 2015 – Present

Goal: Work closely with career services to help plan, communicate and implement career-related events

- Participate in Student Leadership Committee to organize student initiatives
- Act as liaison with potential employers and promote their workshop/event to the student body

## **SKILLS**

**Proficient in:** Advanced manufacturing Modeling, Battery manufacturing and testing, 3D printing, Matlab, Microsoft Office, Arabic and French **Exposure to:** LabView, Origin, AutoDesk, CAD, JAVA, Design of Experiments, R, Electrical and pneumatic circuit design, Statistical analysis

#### **HONORS & GRANTS**

- University of California, Berkeley College of Engineering Opportunity Grant
- Tau Beta Pi (National Engineering Honor Society)

- Alpha Sigma Mu (International Honor Society for Materials Science and Engineering)
- Dean's List & Academics Honors University of Maryland

## INTRESTS/ACTIVITIES