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*Objective:* Seeking a career solving complex problems using modeling and scientific computing.

## **Education**

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**Cincinnati, OH**

**University of Cincinnati**

**September 2010 - Present**

- Ph.D. candidate in Applied Mathematics.
- M.S. in Mathematics. Graduation date: May, 2015.
- Research Project: Phase Response Analysis of Circadian Oscillators. Optimized phase response curves against experimental data for 6 circadian rhythm ODE models using Simulated Annealing and visual methods. A unique model has been developed using chemical kinetics and bifurcation analysis. Computations executed in MATLAB, Python, and XPPAUT. Physical experiments developing PRCs currently in progress.
- Coursework: Scientific Computation, Math Modeling, Partial and Ordinary Differential Equations, Probability, Numerical Analysis, Systems Biology, Fourier Analysis, Bioinformatics.

**Oxford, OH**

**Miami University**

**August 2006 - 2010**

- B.S. in Mathematics and Statistics, Cum Laude. Graduation date: May, 2010.
- Coursework: Analysis, Differential Equations, Optimization, Hyperbolic Geometry.
- Thematic Sequence: Economics.
- Summer Research (2008): Investigating Hopf Bifurcations in the Mechanical Clock. Developed an ODE model of a clock system and simulated parametric alteration with MATLAB.

## **Employment**

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**Research Assistant**

**Dr. Chris Hong's Lab**

**August 2013-Present**

- Measured *Neurospora crassa* fungus growth in response to light and inducible transcription.
- Became skilled at experimental design/procedure and lab facilitation.
- Funding: NIH (August 2014-Present), DARPA (August 2013 - August 2014).

**Mathematics Instructor**

**University of Cincinnati**

**Summers 2011-2012**

- Taught Linear Algebra (Summer 2012).
- Taught Calculus I (Summer 2011).

**Graduate Assistant**

**University of Cincinnati**

**September 2010-May 2013**

- Instructed and graded for Differential Equations and Calculus 0-III.
- Addressed IT responsibilities and course organization for Calculus I/II WebAssign.
- Tutored for the SRS Tutoring Program and the Math Learning Center.

**Textbook Editor**

**Target Test Prep**

**March 2012-April 2013**

- Edited probability and geometry chapters for a GMAT prep book.

**Tutor****Miami University****August 2007-August 2010**

- Promoted to Head Tutor 2009; managed/instructed tutors.
- Tutored Calculus I-IV students.

**Programming**

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- Proficient in MATLAB, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, XPPAUT.
- Novice in COMSOL Multiphysics, C++, HTML.

**Skills & Abilities**

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• Dynamical Systems	• Systems Biology	• Modeling and Simulation
• Algorithm Development	• Optimization	• Scientific Writing
• Teaching	• Public Speaking	• Leadership

*References available upon request.*