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## **EDUCATION**

### **Florida State University**

PhD candidate in chemical engineering 08/2019-present  
GPA:4.0/4.0

### **University of Florida**

Master of science in chemical engineering 08/2017-05/2019  
GPA:3.71/4.0

### **Hainan University**

Haikou, China

College of Material and Chemical Engineering  
B.E ng in Chemical Engineering and Technology 09/2013-06/2017  
*GPA:* 80.72/100  
*Thesis:* Investigation on Synthesis Methods of S-2-Amino Amide.

## **Research Experience**

**Nanoparticle used for drug delivery** 02/2018-03/2019

- Investigate the mechanism of Polymerization induced self-assembly (PISA) and build relationship between PISA and drug molecules.
- Investigate the efficiency of drug loading on nanoparticle and improve the efficiency of drug loading.
- The final goal is to improve the treatment of drugs encapsulated in the nanoparticle,

**The changes of nuclear shape after EMT process** 02/2018-03/2019

- Investigated the changes of nuclear shape and made comparison between the normal cell's nuclear shape and nucleus after EMT (epithelial to mesenchymal) process.
- Explored the reason leading to the abnormalities of nucleus.
- Changed culture environment of cells such as cultivating cells in specific micropattern to compare the mobility of normal cells and cells after EMT process.

**Lipase Catalyzed Chiral Separation of Phenylalanine** 10/2015-01/2016

- Investigated on the impact of environmental factors like concentration, reaction time, temperature on the catalytic activity of lipase.
- Literature research for the experimental technique of chiral separation of amino acid
- Employed experimental data for building the chemical reaction kinetic model.
- Analyzed the reaction mechanism.