# Tu Nguyen

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**Objective** 

Seeking a challenging position in the R&D field with an emphasis on design, fabrication and testing of mechanical, electromechanical or medical products.

**Education** 

2005 - 2008San Diego State University (SDSU)San Diego, CA• Valedictorian for College of Engineering (over 2000 students)2007-2008• Outstanding Graduate for the Mechanical Engineering Department2007-2008• B.S. - Mechanical EngineeringMay 2008

GPA: 3.90 / 4.00: Summa Cum Laude

**Experience** 

Interests

2009 - Present Neomend, Inc. Irvine, CA

## **R&D/Manufacturing Engineer**

- Designing new and next-generation of products
- Designing product packaging (labeling, custom pouches, trays, cartons and thermal shipping containers)
- Improving and automating existing tests and processes
- Screening and qualifying vendors
- Designing, testing and qualifying test fixtures, equipment and processes
- Creating and releasing product specifications, technical drawings, quality procedures, test protocols and reports, operating procedures, manufacturing procedures and work orders; training personnel

2008 - 2009 Nordson Asymtek Carlsbad, CA

## **Mechanical Engineer**

- Designed and integrated special tooling and accessories for complex automatic fluid dispensing systems
- Reworked, upgraded and fabricated machine components and testing fixtures
- Created and released mechanical component and system specifications, technical drawings (using SolidWorks) and other documentation packages

2005 - 2008 SDSU Mechanical Engineering San Diego, CA

### **Mechanical Designer**

- Designed and built custom test fixtures and custom equipment to support engineering research projects
- Created detailed drawings and Bills of Materials (BOMs)
- Generated machining tool paths using MasterCam 9.0 and X
- Operated CNC milling machines such as the HAAS, ProtoTrak and Anilam, to fabricate a variety of custom parts from micro to medium size
- Compiled and analyzed test data to establish performance standards for new designs and products

2002 - 2005 Arctic Automotive San Diego, CA

#### **Automotive Mechanic**

- Performed engine work on cars and light trucks including engine overhaul and repair
- Executed electrical work on cars and light trucks including engine system troubleshooting, diagnostics, and audio/video systems upgrading

**Skills** Problem-Solving / Reasoning / Creativity Analytical / Research

Excellent Communication Bilingual – English and Vietnamese

Flexibility / Adaptability Leadership / Management

Designing, building and testing projects related to the field of engineering (automotive, aviation)

**References** References are available upon request.