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**EDUCATION**

**University of Glasgow,** Glasgow, UK December 2019 MSc Infection Biology (Virology) with *Merit*

*Master’s Research:* Identification of structural interaction between Human Rhinovirus and surfactant protein D.

**Bryn Mawr College,** Bryn Mawr, PA May 2018

BA in Biology,

*Senior Research*: Identifying antibiotic metabolites capable of regulating antibiotic production and expulsion in *Streptomyces coelicolor.*

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

*Research Technician*, **University of Glasgow Centre of Virus Research**, Glasgow, UK Nov 2019- Mar 2020

* Generated tomograms from raw cryo-electron tomography data and analyzed viral assembly structure and organization by the Amira software. Developed a semi-automated protocol for efficient segmentation of viral structures and data quantification. Trained lab members in the Amira software.

*Teacher’s Assistant,* **Bryn Mawr College,** Bryn Mawr, PA 2016-2018

* Prepared and maintained reagents, stocks, bacterial and flatworm cultures. Performed high-technology experiments in the introductory biology lab for both undergraduate and post-baccalaureate students.

*Prep Chef,* **Bryn Mawr Dining Services**, Bryn Mawr, PA 2014-2018

*Camp Counselor,* **Alford Lake Summer Camp,** Hope, MESummers, 2016-2018

**EDUCATION RELATED EXPERIENCE**

*Master’s Project*, **University of Glasgow Centre of Virus Research*,*** Glasgow, UK May-Sept 2019

* Conducted a 3-month project involved in the use of viral culture growth and purification, and the use of transmission and cryo-electron microscope instruments for structural analysis. Obtained viral 3-D reconstructions by singe-particle analysis.

*Research Assistant,* **Bryn Mawr College,** Bryn Mawr, PA May 2017- May 2018

* The research, sponsored by the Summer Science Research Fellowship, was with Dr. Monica Chander in the Department of Biology. The multi-disciplinary project involved handling bacterial culture, designing and implementing biochemical and genetic assays and its subsequent analysis.

**LEADERSHIP AND ACTIVITES**

*Student Representative*, MSc Infection Biology, University of Glasgow 2018-2019

* Spoke in the interest of the MSc candidates to the lecturers and course administrators to construct a stronger program.

*Team Captain,* Varsity Badminton, Bryn Mawr College 2015-2018

* Planned and instructed daily lessons for the team. Coordinated the annual Bryn Mawr Mainline Doubles Tournament that included players from across the East Coast

**SKILLS**

*Personal:* Problem solving, data interpretation, professional presentation and excellent communication skills.

*Scientific*: Viral and bacterial culture, qPCR, RT-PCR, qRT-PCR, SDS-PAGE, Bradford assay, confocal microscopy, TEM operation, negative stain and cryoEM sample preparation. Tomogram generation and analysis. HPLC, UV-VIS, MS and tandem MS analysis.

*Computer:* Proficient in MS Office. Experience in SPSS, HTML, Python, Linux/Unix. Knowledgeable in Relion 3.0, Chimera, 3dmod, and Amira softwares.

*Language:* Proficient in English and intermediate ability in French, Hindi, and Urdu

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Michaela is a colleague within my lab at the CVR.