RAYMOND E. BRENNAN IV

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OBJECTIVE: To obtain a position with opportunities for personal achievement and career.

EDUCATION: Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

M.S., Ceramic and Materials Engineering, May 2003, G.P.A. 3.8

"Development of Piezoelectric Single Crystals by Fused Deposition of Ceramics"

Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

B.S. Ceramic and Materials Engineering B.A. Psychology, May 2000 G.P.A. 3.1

EXPERIENCE: Center for Ceramic Research, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ

Graduate Student, July 2000 to present

- Involved in research project to grow PMN-PT single crystals
- Gained experience using Solid Freeform Fabrication techniques

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Piscataway, NJ

IEEE-UFFC Senior Student Representative, March 2001-October 2002

- Promoted new student membership into society (20% increase over term)
- Developed and distributed promotional posters, postcards, fliers
- Presented bi-annual reports at Administrative Committee meetings (Seattle; Atlanta; Chicago; Munich, Germany)

Graduate Housing Office, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ

Resident Graduate Hall Director, May 2001-May 2002

- Directed and managed residence life of 96 graduate students
- Planned and organized resident activities, conducted sanitary inspections, and aided in mediation of resident problems

Center for Ceramic Research, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ

Teaching Assistant, Engineering Laboratory III, September 2001-December 2001

- Taught and aided junior level undergraduate students in setting up experiments and gathering and analyzing collected data
- Evaluated and assigned grades for laboratory write-ups to encourage improvement of technical writing

Center for Ceramic Research, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ

Undergraduate Technician, January 1998 to June 2000

- Aided graduate students and professors with various research projects
- Gained experience working with Fused Deposition of Ceramics equipment

Skyweb Inc., Old Bridge, NJ

Web Page Designer, February 1995 to May 1995

- Designed web pages for various businesses and organizations
- Provided technical support for Internet customers

Ranney School, Tinton Falls, NJ

Senior Counselor, June 1994 to August 1997

- Supervised, coordinated, and trained junior counselors
- Organized and involved campers in educational and recreational activities

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PUBLICATIONS:

R.E. Brennan; "Growth of PMN-PT Single Crystals by Fused Deposition of Ceramics and Templated Grain Growth"; *Thesis Proposal*; Rutgers University; April 2002.

R.E. Brennan, M. Allahverdi, M.E. Ebrahimi, and A. Safari; "Growth of Net-Shape PMN-PT Single Crystal Components by Fused Deposition of Ceramics (FDC) and Templated Grain Growth (TGG) Techniques"; Proceedings of IFFF-ISAF; Nara, Japan; May 2002.

M. Allahverdi, A. Hall, R. Brennan, M.E. Ebrahimi, N. Marandian Hagh, and A. Safari; "An Overview of Rapidly Prototyped Piezoelectric Actuators and Grain-Oriented Ceramics"; Journal of Electroceramics; vol. 8; pp. 129-137; August 2002. R.E. Brennan, S. Turcu, A. Hall, N.M. Hagh, and A. Safari; "Layered Manufacturing for Prototyping of Novel Transducers"; Ferroelectrics, vol. 293, p. 3-17, 2003.

PRESENTATIONS: "Growth of PMN-PT Single Crystal Components by Layered Manufacturing and Templated Grain Growth Techniques"; American Ceramic Society Presentation (St. Louis, MO; April 20th, 2002)

"PMN-PT Single Crystal Research"; U.S. Navy Workshop on Acoustic Transduction Materials and Devices Presentation (Baltimore, MD; May 14th, 2002)

"Growth of PMN-PT Single Crystal Components by Fused Deposition of Ceramics and Templated Grain Growth Techniques"; IFFF Conference Presentation (Nara, Japan; May 31st, 2002)

"Growth of PMN-PT Textured Components by Layered Manufacturing and Templated Grain Growth Techniques"; American Ceramics Society Presentation (Nashville, Tennesse; April 28th, 2003)

Growth of PMN-PT Textured Components by Layered Manufacturing and Templated Grain Growth Techniques; U.S. Navy Workshop on Acoustic Transduction Materials and Devices Presentation

(University Park, Pennsylvania; May 7th, 2003)

ACTIVITIES:

Member, Association of Ceramic Engineers, September 1997 - present

Member, IEEE-UFFC, September 2001 – present

Member, Intramural Athletics Board of Directors, September 2003 - present

Tour Guide, Department of Ceramic and Materials Engineering, September 2001-present

Captain, Intramural Flag Football Team, October 1998 – present

Captain, Intramural Indoor and Outdoor Soccer Teams, September 2001-present

Captain, Intramural Softball, April 2001-present

COMPUTER

Working knowledge of Microsoft Office, Internet, HTML, Windows,

SKILLS: Adobe Photoshop, Quick Slice