

**CAREER ACCELERATION NETWORK®****Résumé format was unchanged since graduating from college****BEFORE...****OBJECTIVE:**

Seeking a position in pharmaceutical research and development that leverages my Biochemistry education and extensive analytical experience.

**WORK EXPERIENCE:****Alcon, Inc.****Hünenberg, Switzerland****Chemical Technician/Analyst:****2001- 2005**

- Performed chemical analysis of lens care, eye care, nutritional supplements, and pharmaceutical formulations
- Knowledge of the FDA Drug cGMPs, FDA 510(k) Guidelines, GLP, and LIMS
- Conducted assays, analyzed, and interpreted data regarding the physical characterization (disintegration, hardness, color, turbidity, package integrity) of marketed products, pharmaceuticals, and new formulations
- **Methods:** UV-VIS, viscometry, densitometry, osmometry, and various titrations (acid-base, peroxide, % ion content), and preparation of stock solutions and buffers
- Wrote Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) and Test Procedures (TPs) for company-wide use of instrumentation, assays, and sample handling

**AFTER...**

**Revision eliminates Objective; replaces it with broader view of experience and accomplishments; organizes skills/abilities into a more reader-friendly document:**

**PROFILE**

Experienced **BIOCHEMISTRY TECHNICIAN** working in **ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY** to support manufacturing and pharmaceutical research and development. Nine years progressively responsible experience employing state-of-the-industry methods and materials in accordance with ISO guidelines.

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

Alcon, Inc.

Hünenberg, Switzerland

2001 – 2005

Chemical Technician/Analyst

Contributed to work of Stability Laboratory in associated with the Alcon pharmaceutical product line. Alcon, Inc. develops and markets prescription and over-the-counter drugs used to treat a wide range of eye conditions, including glaucoma, eye allergies, conjunctivitis, and dry eye.

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Proven ability to use:

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