

# Kaiyang Diao

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## EDUCATION

University of Arizona

Tucson, AZ

*Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering | GPA: 3.55/4.0*

*Expected Graduation: May 2025*

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### Undergraduate Researcher

*Department of Biomedical Engineering, University of Arizona*

*Feb 2023 - Jul 2023*

- Under Dr. Nima Toosizadeh
- Testing the Effects of Stochastic Noise Applied to the Ankle Muscles and How That Affects Proprioceptive Performance

### Undergraduate Researcher

*Department of Biomedical Engineering, University of Arizona*

*Aug 2023 - Present*

- Under Dr. Jennifer Barton
- Designing motion system and software of the multiphoton microendoscope system for minimally invasive detection of Cancer

### Undergraduate Researcher

*Wyant College of Optical Sciences, University of Arizona*

*May 2024 - Present*

- Under Dr. Travis Sawyer
- Multiphoton microscope imaging and machine learning

## PROJECTS

**MeArm**, *Intermediate Engineering Design, University of Arizona*

*Feb 2023 - May 2023*

- Developed a 4-axis parallel-mechanism robotic arm with a camera for motion detection.
- Programmed both manual and automatic modes by using Python and Raspberry Pi.
- Attended Final competition which involved throwing and defending balls.

**My Cardio Coach**, *Medical Device Design, University of Arizona*

*April 2021 - June 2021*

- Developed a low-cost calf band that monitors heart rate, blood oxygenation, and step count.
- Used I2C protocol to ensure simultaneous Communication between multiple sensors with one controller.
- Designed PCB board to ensure functionality while keeping the size within 3x3cm.

## Publication

**Poster:** Diao, K., Adams,Z., Young, L., Valenzuela, L, K. Barton,J..(2023) Helically Scanning Multiphoton Microendoscope System for Early Detection of Cancer

## SKILLS

- **Technical:** R, MATLAB, C, Python, LabVIEW, SolidWorks, AutoCAD
- **Languages:** English, Mandarin, and Cantonese

## AWARDS

- Dean's list from Fall 2022 to Spring 2024
- Academic Year Academic Distinction 2023, 2024
- 2nd place in the 2024 BME Day Student Poster Competition, University of Arizona