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Summary

Persistent graduate intern who is dedicated and well-rounded with the ability to collaborate with all levels of management. Outstanding active listening, interpersonal, writing, and communication skills, as well as analytic, quantitative, and qualitative skills in research. Experience in human resources & social media management, as well as several years of study abroad in Europe and Asia. Native/bilingual speaker in Spanish, and knowledgeable in French and Mandarin Chinese. Educated and passionate about international studies/relations, foreign & public policy, political economics, security studies, public health, and environmental governance.

Education

University of Washington

M.A. in International Studies
Seattle, Washington
Sept. 2021 to May 2023

- Awarded *Margaret Mykut Fellowship* for academic success
- Ph.D. coursework in Political Economics

University of Minnesota

B.A. in Global Studies focused on Political, Economic and Environmental Challenges with a Minor in Political Science
Minneapolis, Minnesota
Sept. 2019 to May 2021

- Puerto Rican Student Association Fall 2019.
- Chinese Language & Culture Club Fall 2019.
- *Dean's List Spring 2020.*
- *Graduated Cum Laude 2021.*

Universitat de Barcelona

Study Abroad - Exchange Program through International Studies Abroad (ISA)
Barcelona, Catalonia, Spain
Jan. 2019 to May 2019

- *Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Certification - C1 Level highly completed in Spanish & English native/bilingual level proficiency.*

Saint Cloud State University

Undergraduate Coursework
St. Cloud, Minnesota
Aug. 2017 to Dec. 2018

- Chinese Language & Culture Club Fall 2017 - 2018
- *Dean's List Fall 2017.*

- *Study Abroad & Chinese Sociology Research Coursework at the **Beijing Institute of Technology & Jilin University** with the **Confucius Institute of China** Summer 2017.*
- *Dean's List Fall 2018.*

Winona State University

Chinese Courses

Winona, Minnesota

Sept. 2017 to Dec. 2018

(Three semesters of Mandarin language courses partnered with Saint Cloud State University and the Confucius Institute of China).

Work Experience

Taiwan Studies Program Assistant

Jackson School of International Studies at the University of Washington

Seattle, Washington

Oct. 2021 - Current position.

- Administrative and social media support for the Taiwan Studies Program. Duties include assisting with marketing support, planning and promoting events, writing for the college and department's website, updating social media accounts, and creating social media content

Private Spanish Tutor

Universitat de Barcelona

Barcelona, Catalonia, Spain

Jan. 2019 to May 2019

- Private tutoring for 4 months to non-native Spanish speakers in Spanish coursework from the Universitat de Barcelona.

Intern Camp Counselor

Concordia Language Villages

Bemidji, Minnesota

Jul. 2017 to Sept. 2017 (Summer Position)

- Assisted camp counselors in planning, conducting, and evaluating designated activities and lesson plans in day-to-day Spanish lessons, and educated campers in the diverse cultures associated with the language.

Professional Skills

- Strong work ethic
- Great team building
- Highly adaptable
- Excellent oral & written communication skills
- Competent problem solving and research skills
- Experience in analytic, quantitative & qualitative research studies
- Experience in human resources & social media/data management
- Knowledgeable with Microsoft Office (Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Adobe Acrobat & Outlook)
- Native/Bilingual speaker in Spanish
- Knowledgeable of French and Mandarin Chinese

References

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