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EDUCATION

Emory University – August 2023-currently
Doctor of Philosophy
Department of Economics

Texas A&M University, Bush School of Government and Public Service – May 2023

Master of Public Service and Administration:

Track in Public Policy Analysis
Concentrations in Health Economics and Health Policy Analytical Methods
4.00 GPA

Highlighted Research:

Research Assistant for Dr. Dague (Bush School) and Dr. Ukert (Public Health)
Investigating Health Economics and Policy Issues
Research Assistant for Dr. Dague (Bush School) and Dr. Han (Bush School)
Program Evaluation of Policy Changes in HealthCare

Highlighted Courses:

Health Economics Policy
Policy Analysis
Advanced Economic Development
Public Finance
Economic Analysis
Mathematical Economics

Texas A&M University – May 2023

Bachelor of Science:

Major in Economics (Honors)
Minor in Mathematics
Certificate in Quantitative Economic Methods
College of Liberal Arts Dean's List
3.85 GPA

Highlighted Courses:

Economic Data Analysis
Microeconomic and Macroeconomic Theory
Calculus II and Calculus III (Several Variable Calculus)
Linear Algebra
Survey of Managerial and Cost Accounting Principles
Introduction to Econometrics
Special Topics: Policy Economics

London School of Economics and Political Science – August 2022

Certification Study:

Data Science: Text Analysis Using R (Dr. Benoit, Professor of Computational Social Science,
Department of Methodology at LSE)

Colleyville Heritage High School (Colleyville, TX) – May 2019

Academics Honors:

- Class of 2019 rank #19 (out of 487)
- National Honor Society Member (Officer)
- Research 1st Place Award at GCISD District Science Fair (Behavioral Sciences)
“Peer Review: The Effects of Social Comparison on Self-Confidence among Teens”
- CHHS Principal Scholar
- Chemistry Club Member
- Mu Alpha Theta Member (National Math Honor Society)
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WORK EXPERIENCE

Work

- Vanderbloemen Consulting and Executive Search Firm (Houston, TX)
Finance Intern – Labor Economics – collected and analyzed compensation data for executive positions among non-profit organizations nationally and internationally
- Sky Ranch Staff (Van, TX)
Summer Staff as a Senior Counselor and Senior Assistant Counselor

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Volunteer Roles:

- IMPACT College Student Ministry (College Station, TX)
Director of Financial Development – Executive team member
Helped select and lead a team of over 600 volunteers
Provided key financial leadership in raising and managing over \$800k
Co-Chair – provided support and training for small group leaders
Counselor – small group leader of incoming college students 2020
- Scotty’s House: Brazos Valley Child Advocacy Center (Bryan, TX)
Family Care Volunteer (working with children going through the legal process)
- Compass Church Children’s Ministry Service (Colleyville, TX)
Teacher and Assistant Teacher in 3-year-old and 4-year-old class
- International Service and Experience in:
England, Germany, Austria, Italy, Israel and Mexico
- Athletic Coach (Volleyball and Basketball) at numerous club and school children’s athletic camps
- Gatehouse is a supportive living community where women, single or with children, in crisis receive safe refuge, ample time, practical resources and healthy relationships to discover new paths for permanent, positive change (Grapevine, TX)
Child Care Worker and Volunteer

LEADERSHIP

Leadership Highlights:

- Kappa Alpha Theta at Texas A&M University (College Station, TX)
Chief Panhellenic Officer (CPO) Executive team member
New Member Committee

- CASA 5k Committee (Court Appointed Special Advocate)
- Texas A&M University Abbott Family Leadership Conference
 - Delegate – 1 of 35 female students selected for Class of 2023
- Colleyville Heritage High School Student Body Vice-President (Color Run) with CHHS
 - Leadership during Senior year (Responsible as key leader for planning, recruiting, fundraising, organizing, marketing and executing CHHS's largest scale event for the purpose of advocating for state-wide human trafficking non-profit organization)
- Red Jackets – 1 of only 10 females in the Class of 2019 to represent CHHS as a Student Ambassador at district and community events
- CHHS Student Council Officer

ATHLETIC EXPERIENCE

Athletic Honors:

- United States Marine Corps Distinguished Female Athlete of the Year Award 2019
- Texas Association for Volleyball Coaches (TAVC) All-State Teams 2018
 - TAVC All-State Team (First Team)
 - TAVC Academic All-State Team (First Team)
 - Offensive Player of the Year and ACE Award for the Highest GPA
- United States of America Volleyball USAV:
 - United States of America Volleyball Junior Olympic National Championships
 - Multiple medals and top ten finishes including Silver in 2013 and Bronze in 2014 (2013-2019)