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#### Education

Samford University, Birmingham, AL, May 2020 Bachelor of Science, Biology Bioinformatics minor Spanish minor Overall GPA: 3.2

## **Relevant Experience**

Delta Delta, Samford University, Birmingham, AL

November 2016 - November 2017

*Vice President of Community Relations* 

- Held a position on the executive board to help facilitate the establishment of our chapter in the founding year
- Lead committee meetings and mediated discussions in which the philanthropic, public relations, and social needs of the chapter were addressed and planned
- Created and followed, with the aid of the committee, a public relations schedule for social media posts, chapter t-shirts, and event fliers.
- Planned two major philanthropic events and other minor efforts raising over \$22,000
- Coordinated service events with off campus organizations
- Facilitated, through committee delegation, the planning and follow through of all chapter social events from tailgating, to family/parent weekends, to semi/formals

November 2016 - November 2017

Panhellenic Delegate

- Attended bi-weekly meetings where I represented my chapter
- Communicated with the other chapters of upcoming events for my chapter
- Reported back to my chapter any events hosted by other chapters and reported to the executive board any business that needed to be addressed

Spring of 2017 and 2018

Step Show Director

- Scheduled practices taking all participants schedules into consideration
- Collaborated with Delta Sigma Theta members for choreography
- Lead each practice, taught the choreography, and worked with girls with varying levels of experience to prepare for the performance

#### Associated Student Body (student government), Maranatha High School, San Diego, CA

Fall 2015 - Spring 2016

Director Of Events

- Held a position on the executive board to aid in the overall function of the student government
- Facilitated the planning, preparation, and execution of all events for the student body through committee delegation
- Completed all event paperwork and communicated with all vendors and facilities
- Organized and lead committee meetings
- Advised class representatives on how to best to bond their classes

Spring 2013 - Spring 2015

Secretary

- Recorded all meeting minutes for the executive board meetings and the member meetings
- Was in charge of all major communications to the organization body
- Inventoried and organized all resources
- Completed any miscellaneous tasks that were needed

### Samford Undergraduate Research, Samford University, Birmingham, AL

Summer 2018

ASPIRE Independent Research Intern

- Executed multiple procedures independently with occasional guidance from my professor
- Collaborated with my professor to problem solve
- Balanced three projects during the time period and was able to see two through to completion Spring of 2018 to Present.

Lab assistant

- Learned general lab procedures and methodologies
- Tracked and organized progress of projects in a notebook
- Helped maintain stock of needed laboratory supplies
- Made and followed my own schedule to allow for best overall time management (about 3 hours/week)