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EDUCATION

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Atlanta, Georgia

4.0 GPA | Bachelor of Science in Public Policy | Minor in Women, Science, and Technology

August 2022- May 2026

 Significant Leadership Activities: President/Founder of Georgia Tech's Chapter of Voters of Tomorrow, Wrek Radio Co-host for specialty shows: Girl Rock! & Wrek the News

EXPERIENCE

CITY OF ATLANTA | HARTSFIELD-JACKSON ATLANTA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Atlanta, GA

Government Affairs Intern

• Organized and planned a day for a "Behind-the-Scenes Congressional Staff Tour" for invested parties in DC.

June 2025 - Present

- Managed daily tasks on behalf of the Government Affairs Director including meetings, communication, and research.
- Arranged appointments with the Congressional staffers of Georgia Senators.

9TO5 Atlanta, GA

Legislative Policy Intern

Jan 2025 – May 2025

- Conducted policy research, develop power maps, and share insights to support 9to5 GA's economic justice initiatives while assisting with grassroots organizing by increasing membership and cultivating core leaders.
- Contributed to communications, member support, and campaign events, helping to enhance the organization's voice and impact.

PRINCE RUPERT PORT AUTHORITY

Prince Rupert, BC

Government Relations Summer Intern

May 2024 - August 2024

- Monitored, researched, and wrote about federal and provincial government bills, policies, and announcements.
- Furthered PRPA's Northern BC Corridor stakeholder engagement.
- · Organized and provided port tours and events with government officials and external stakeholders.

PROJECTS

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Atlanta, GA

Capstone Project: Policy Consultant for the Georgia Council on American Indian Concerns (GCAIC)

- Developed recommendations for the GCAIC to strengthen organizational capacity to better serve the 215,000 Native Americans in GA Policy Memo: Reversing the Ban on Gender-Affirming Care in Georgia
- Authored an evidence-based policy memo proposing actionable strategies to restore access to gender-affirming care in Georgia Economic Analysis: ACA Medicaid Expansion & Maternal Mortality Disparities in the US
- Conducted quantitative and qualitative analysis to evaluate the impact of Medicaid expansion on maternal mortality rates across the US

EXTRACURRICULARS

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Atlanta, GA

President & Founder of Georgia Tech Chapter of Voters of Tomorrow

September 2022- Present

- Developed the club into 50+ members, emphasizing the importance of voting.
- Created a social media presence to expand the club's network.
- Collaborated with the ACLU, Georgia Democratic Party, and Georgia Youth Justice Coalition.

Wrek Radio Co-host: Girl Rock! & Wrek the News

September 2022- Present

- Co-hosted and produced segments for Girl Rock!, promoted diverse female artists and fostered an inclusive radio experience.
- Contributed to Wrek the News by researching and delivering accurate and engaging new content on current events

Vice President of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion / Alpha Chi Omega

November 2023- August 2024

- Facilitated the expansion of the chapter's efforts of DEI through conversation, presentations & coordinating outside speakers.
- Highlighted the various cultural and personal identities in our chapter by creating a form of sensitivity training.
- Created opportunities to educate the chapter and harbor an environment of continuous learning and growth.

SKILLS/INTERESTS

Languages: Spanish (professional), English (native)

Skills: Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign, CANVA, grassroots organizing, public speaking

Awards: Hispanic Scholarship Fund Scholar, Georgia Tech Faculty Honors (2022-2025), Gold Towers Award Recipient (2023-

2025), OMED Challenge Alum, Zell Miller and HOPE Recipient

Activities: HSF Scholar, GT Honors Program, Wrek Radio, Omicron Delta Kappa, ORGT, GT Women's Lacrosse

Volunteer: Appalachian Service Project, Bloom Closet, ValhallaFest, Edge of the World Festival