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EDUCATION

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

Expected June 2022

Candidate for B.A. in American Studies, Environmental Science, and Certificate in Sustainability and Energy

- GPA: 3.84/4.00
- Related Coursework: Advanced GIS, Sustainable Development Design, Energy Law and Policy, Industrial Energy Management

WORK EXPERIENCE

Advanced Energy Group, Chicago, IL

February 2020 - Present

Lead Fellow, Chicago

- Initiate and facilitate 3-4 working groups comprised of energy industry leaders, local government agencies and national laboratories working to advance climate goals and energy innovation in Chicago through stakeholder engagement. Focus of projects include electrification of drayage freight, energy performance standards for Chicago high-rises, sustainable development planning at the Illinois Medical District, and energy sector workforce development in Chicago
- Created 10+ quarterly executive briefs and articles for CEO on topics such as equitable transit and trucking fleet electrification
- Presented on behalf of AEG at Illinois Commerce Commission Beneficial Electrification Workshop in December 2021

Northwestern Office of Admissions, Evanston, IL

July 2021- Present

Admissions Counselor

- Coordinate campus tours and answer all visitor questions about Northwestern University, its programs, and undergraduate admissions at the Northwestern Segal Visitors Center
- Represent Northwestern University during informational sessions for parents, prospective students, and visiting high schools

The Nature Conservancy, Markham, IL

June 2021- September 2021

Youth Program Mentor

- Developed and analyzed community survey on perceptions of nature, climate change and extreme weather with Qualtrics software through collaboration with researchers at the Northwestern Center for Water Research
- Designed weekly climate change curriculum for a cohort of 8 high school interns from the South Side and south suburbs of Chicago. Programming included outdoor site visits, community sustainability interviews, and mapping of nearby environmental justice issues

City of St. Charles, St. Charles, IL

July 2020 - October 2020

Intern, Department of Public Works

- Presented to city staff and environmental commissions in three Illinois cities on behalf of Metropolitan Mayor's Caucus to gain municipal support for a regional sustainability program. All three cities committed to participate in the program beginning in 2021
- Served as liaison between citizen Natural Resources Commission and Public Works staff to advance sustainability initiatives relating to the city's water, wastewater, and municipal electric utility infrastructure

Environmental Law and Policy Center, Chicago, IL

June 2019 – September 2019

Science and Policy Intern

- Initiated independent research evaluating costs and air quality benefits from the electrification of trucking fleets in Chicago
- Collected air pollution data in neighborhoods across Chicago's south and west sides and engaged directly with community youth organizations and air quality experts to craft policy solutions to combat unsafe air conditions
- Drafted reports for the Executive Director detailing the legislative prospects of expanding wilderness designations in Illinois
- Conducted outreach to wind and solar companies that resulted in the Michigan and Wisconsin Clean Energy Supply Chain reports

ACTIVITIES

Northwestern Evans Scholars, Evanston, IL

Fall 2018 - Present

Vice President of Community Engagement

- Caddied over 120 rounds over four years, and was one of nine caddies awarded the full tuition, four-year scholarship to Northwestern University in 2018; the scholarship is based on exemplary caddying, academics, financial need, and leadership in the community
- Elected by chapter to oversee the planning of all social and philanthropy events and to facilitate house improvements. Wrote report on house conditions that resulted in the allocation of \$45,000 for new furniture from the Evans Scholars Foundation

Northwestern Camp Kesem

September 2018 – Present

Teen Leadership Program Coordinator

- Presented on racial inequities of current recruitment strategies using GIS maps of camper representation in Chicago and Census demographic data. Led to formation of intentional recruitment initiative for Chicago region
- Responsible for year-round support and programming for a summer camp hosted for children impacted by their parent's cancer

Skills: Ethnographic fieldwork, R+, GIS, meeting facilitation, public speaking, oral storytelling, and providing energy to Zoom meetings **Interests:** NU Rugby, vinyl collecting, birding, biking the lakeshore path, visiting new Illinois prairies, and anything outside!