

MPH and JD/MPH Incoming Class of 2021 Resume Book



**Department of Health Policy and Management
School of Public Health
University of Pittsburgh**

Department of Health Policy and Management

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Program	Students	PA Residents	Foreign Citizens	Graduated from PA Undergraduate Institution	Full-Time Work Experience	Full-Time Student	Part-Time Student
MPH	14	7	1	10	5	13	1
JD/MPH	4	2	0	2	2	4	0
Totals	18	9	1	12	7	17	1

Undergraduate Institutions:

University of Pittsburgh (7)
 Allegheny College
 Carnegie Mellon University
 Gachon University
 Georgia State University
 Muhlenberg College
 Rutgers University
 Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania
 University of Michigan
 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
 University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown
 University of Washington

Undergraduate Majors:

Political Science (3)
 English (2)
 Public Health (2)
 Biochemistry
 Biological Sciences
 Biology
 Biology, Health, and Society
 Business Administration
 Criminal Justice
 Economics
 Emergency Medical Technology
 Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies
 Health Services
 History
 Marketing
 Media and Professional Communications
 Natural Sciences
 Neuroscience
 Psychology
 Sociology

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EDUCATION

- 2024 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Juris Doctor
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2020 **Muhlenberg College**, Allentown, PA
Bachelor of Science in Neuroscience
Minors: Political Science, Public Health

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 06/2021–07/2021 **Tucker Arensberg, P.C.**, Pittsburgh, PA
Summer Law Clerk
- Researched various legal questions in Business & Finance, Insolvency & Creditors' Rights, and Litigation Groups
 - Wrote legal memoranda to advising attorneys
- 01/2018–05/2020 **Muhlenberg College – Dr. Gretchen Hanson Gotthard's Lab**, Allentown, PA
Research Assistant
- Read and presented relevant literature on memory, reconsolidation, and disruption of reconsolidation in animal and human models
 - Handled lab rats 4-5 times a week and maintained vivarium cleanliness
 - Ran human participants through a Virtual Reality simulated game
 - Recorded and analyzed data gathered during experiments
- 08/2016–05/2020 **Muhlenberg College Office of Student Engagement**, Allentown, PA
Student Worker
- Worked closely with vendors to set up, run, and clean night and weekend activities
 - Engaged with students to foster feelings of inclusiveness
 - Completed clerical tasks to assist office manager during the week

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 08/2021–Present Staff Editor (Volume 83), *University of Pittsburgh Law Review*
- 08/2021–Present Webmaster, Pitt Law Women's Association
- 12/2017–12/2018 President, Muhlenberg Activities Council
- 10/2017–12/2019 Student Advisor, Seegers Union Student Advisory Board
- 08/2017–05/2020 Biology Learning Assistant, Muhlenberg College Academic Resource Center
- 01/2017–05/2020 Chemistry, Biology, and Psychology Peer Tutor, Muhlenberg College Academic Resource Center
- 01/2017–12/2019 Active Member, Cardinal Key Society

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2020 Excellence for the Future Award-Torts, CALI–The Center for Computer-Assisted Legal Instruction
- 2020 Student Activities Award, Muhlenberg College
- 2015 Gold Award, Girl Scouts of America

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2021 Student Member, Allegheny County Bar Association
- 2018–2020 Secretary, Alpha Epsilon Delta Honor Society

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2019 **University of Washington**, Seattle, WA
Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry
Minors: Chemistry, Music

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 02/2021–04/2021 **Orange County Public Health**, Aliso Viejo, CA
COVID-19 Vaccination POD Worker
- Handled line/parking control, temperature checks, and patient registration
 - Effectively communicated with medical staff, county officials, and patients
- 03/2018–06/2018 **ASTHMA Inc. Clinical Research Center**, Seattle, WA
Volunteer
- Organized the testing rooms, recruited patients, gathered medical supplies
 - Communicated with medical staff to address various research situations
 - Ensured database was complete and up to date
- 09/2017–12/2017 **University of Washington Housing and Food Services**, Seattle, WA
Food Worker
- Worked in the Husky Union Building Food Court
 - Responsible for clean and tidy work environment, including sanitation/disposal
 - Operated cashier, food preparation, closed store at the end of shift

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 12/2019–01/2020 Volunteer/Runner, Project Angkor Medical Mission in Cambodia
- 04/2018–04/2019 Trombone Section Leader, University of Washington Husky Marching Band
- 11/2017–06/2019 Brother, Kappa Kappa Psi Honorary Service Fraternity, Gamma Chapter

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2015–2018 Dean's List, University of Washington

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
Certificate: Gerontology
- 2016 **Carnegie Mellon University**, Pittsburgh, PA
Bachelor of Arts in English; Professional Writing
- 2015 **University of California–Los Angeles**, Los Angeles, CA
Certificate: Creative Producing

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 01/2019–06/2021 **Understood**, New York, NY
Communications Manager, Communications Associate
- Supported strategic communications efforts
 - Wrote content about learning disabilities, special education, and disability inclusion
 - Secured media coverage in top-tier national, regional, and trade press
 - Supported bilingual, national campaign for early identification of learning disabilities
- 05/2017–12/2018 **The Bliss Group**, New York, NY
Account Executive, Associate Account Executive
- Wrote content and surveys for a global \$1B+ tax, accounting, and consulting firm
 - Secured press coverage for firm’s various lines of business
 - Developed marketing strategies based on firm’s business development goals
- 06/2016–04/2017 **FleishmanHillard**, New York, NY
Graduate Development Professional Program Fellow
- Secured press coverage for financial, legal, corporate, and consumer clients
 - Researched clients’ relevant markets and competitors
 - Developed strategic media lists, media audits, and corporate PR analyses

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 06/2020–Present Volunteer, In Service of Seniors Program, Wesley Foundation
- 10/2019–03/2020 Volunteer, PAWS New York
- 05/2017–09/2017 Volunteer, Carlina Rivera for New York City Council
- 05/2015–05/2016 Student Advisor, Carnegie Mellon Department of English
- 10/2014–05/2015 Trip Leader, Carnegie Mellon Habitat for Humanity
- 10/2012–03/2013 Elementary School Volunteer, Peace by Peace Montreal

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2015–2016 Dean’s List High Honors, Carnegie Mellon University Dietrich College of Humanities

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2021 Member, The Gerontological Society of America

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2022 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration; Marketing
Bachelor of Arts in Health Services

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 04/2021–Present **Rob Perkins Law LLC, Pittsburgh, PA**
Legal Clerk
- Review case materials for defense argument consistency
 - Correspond with clients about case matters and legal processes
 - Assist in producing briefs and case filings up to the Superior Court level
- 04/2021–Present **Bishop Law LLC, Pittsburgh, PA**
Legal Assistant
- Produce City and Municipal Court level case filings and motions
 - Analyze case discovery to formulate defense arguments
 - Manage practice software platforms and simplify case documentation
- 05/2019–08/2019 **Garrison Hughes, Pittsburgh, PA**
Summer Student
- Analyzed target market interests for online content optimization
 - Revised digital and print content for accuracy, readability, aesthetics, and grammar
 - Worked exclusively within the UPMC Clinical Marketing team for bariatric, obstetrics, and children’s medicine service lines

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 10/2020–Present Member, Phi Sigma Pi Honors Fraternity
- 12/2018–Present Member and Merchandise Chair, Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity
- 04/2019–04/2020 Vice President of Conferences, Pitt American Marketing Association
- 03/2019–08/2021 Operations Director, Panther Racing Formula SAE Team
- 10/2016–09/2018 Chair and Campaign Founder, Lycoming County Youth Development Task Force

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2019 1st Place in Business Presentation, Formula SAE North
- 2019 1st Place in Business Presentation, Formula SAE Lincoln
- 2019 Poster Presenter, American Public Health Association Annual Conference
- 2018–Present Academic Honor Roll, University of Pittsburgh

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2021 SARS-CoV-2 Contact Tracing Certificate Holder, Johns Hopkins University
- 2018–Present Student Member, Society of Automotive Engineers
- 2018–Present National Student Member, American Public Health Association

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- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2022 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Bachelor of Science in Biological Sciences
Minor: Chemistry

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 06/2019–Present **Mid-Atlantic Mothers' Milk Bank**, Pittsburgh, PA
Research Coordinator
- Analyzed macronutrient content of human breast milk samples
 - Formulated a database of 900+ samples to facilitate easy access to donor information
 - Created two informational brochures highlighting the steps of the donation process
- 05/2016–Present **Presbyterian Senior Care: Longwood at Oakmont**, Verona, PA
Dietary Service Aide
- Daily communication with dietician and residents to coordinate proper meal planning
 - Knowledgeable about dietary restrictions and schedules of residents across healthcare facilities
 - Provided administrative support to dining services staff, including creating weekly menus, coordinating special events, and logging resident meal finances

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 03/2021–Present **President**, Rho Psi Eta Pre-Health Sorority
- 03/2020–03/2021 **Internal Vice President**, Rho Psi Eta Pre-Health Sorority
- 11/2019–04/2021 **Recruitment Chair**, Chi Omega Fraternity
- 04/2019–04/2020 **Marketing Chair**, Chi Omega Fraternity
- 03/2019–03/2020 **Public Relations Chair**, Rho Psi Eta Pre-Health Sorority

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EDUCATION

- 2024 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Juris Doctor
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
Certificate: Health Law Certificate
- 2020 **Allegheny College**, Meadville, PA
Bachelor of Science in Biology
Minor: English

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 07/2021–Present **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Research Assistant
- Research original web-based source materials, including national judicial opinions, legislative and regulatory matters, periodical publications, and academic journal submissions
 - Support my supervisor with research and administrative tasks
 - Review, edit, and provide feedback on original works of writing authored by my supervisor
- 05/2020–08/2020 **Staffing Solutions Organization**, Albany, NY
Contact Tracer
- Educated clients on the specifics of COVID-19 and the quarantine requirements as set forth by the New York State Department of Health
 - Supported my clients' regarding and advocated for assistance with their essential needs, such as food, medical needs, and other household supplies
 - Independently trained new members of the team to handle the tasks of a contact tracer such as speaking with clients knowledgeably and handling difficult situations
- 01/2019–05/2020 **Allegheny College**, Meadville, PA
Teaching Assistant
- Supervised and led course laboratory sessions twice every week
 - Reviewed and revised final lab reports for students and provided guidance on writing scientifically
 - Managed a safe and educational laboratory

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 09/2020–Present 1L Representative/Member, Pitt Law Women's Association
- 09/2020–Present Member, If, How, When
- 09/2020–Present Member, Phi Alpha Delta Fraternity
- 09/2018–Present Member, Delta Delta Delta Sorority

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2018 Trustee Scholarship, Allegheny College

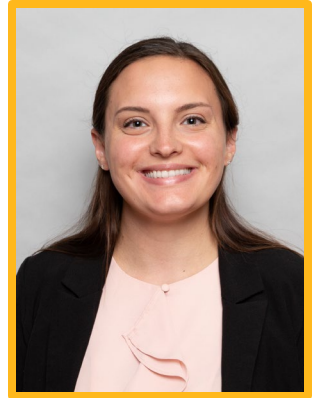
PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2020–Present Member, Allegheny County Bar Association

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2021 **Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania**, Slippery Rock, PA
Bachelor of Science in Public Health
Minor: Health Care Administration and Management

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 07/2016–Present **Salvatore’s Events and Catering**, Pittsburgh, PA
Server
- Communicate with fellow employees to assemble catering equipment for events such as weddings, bridal showers, baby showers and anniversary parties
 - Arrange 300 place settings as well as prepare room set up
- 01/2021–04/2021 **Leukemia & Lymphoma Society**, Eastern Great Lakes Region
Patient & Community Outreach Intern
- Contacted Health Care Providers to identify referral gaps based on referral data from new institutions and new partners who we could educate about LLS Resources
 - Conducted patient follow-up calls and emails regarding educational and financial aid programs
 - Assisted in executing the “Meet the Experts” educational series and entering data into Salesforce systems, documenting outreach, interactions, and hours
- 08/2018–05/2021 **Healthy Outreach Through Peer Education**, Slippery Rock, PA
Peer Educator
- Presented to a group 30+ on a variety of health topics such as drugs to educate students about safe habits
 - Facilitated activities and discussions surrounding sensitive topics to bring awareness and promoted an open atmosphere where students can express themselves and new information acquired
 - Cooperated with team-members to brainstorm and create new programs to provide health education and resources to students
 - Interacted with guests to give them a pleasurable experience

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 08/2019–10/2020 HOPE Fair Event Lead, Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania
- 07/2018–01/2019 Seasonal Volunteer, AHN Jefferson Hospital ER
- 09/2017–04/2021 Vice President, PPHA-CC Slippery Rock University Colligate Chapter

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 Cum Laude Honors, Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2020–2022 CITI Certification, Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania
- 2020–Present Basic Certificate in Quality & Safety, Institute for Healthcare Improvement
- 2019–2022 Mental Health First Aid USA, National Council for Behavioral Health

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2021 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Bachelor of Science in Psychology
Certificate: Conceptual Foundations of Medicine

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 05/2021–08/2021 **Morano Brothers Automotive Specialists, Flourtown, PA**
Technician
- Diagnosed and solved mechanical problems for a variety of automobile platforms
 - Adapted to new procedures set forth by manufacturers
 - Learned new skills pertinent to the job scope and followed passion for knowledge and personal development
- 01/2021–05/2021 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Interviewer
- Conducted cold call health surveys as a part of BRFS, a multi-year longitudinal health study of American citizens
 - Surveys are the primary data collection method of the study
 - Contracted to the departments of health in North Dakota, Kentucky, and Pennsylvania
- 01/2019–01/2020 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Peer Advisor
- Served as an ambassador for the Dietrich School Advising Department
 - Managed all front desk operations, including prospective student and parent inquiries
 - Aided studies with their academic needs, including course scheduling, semester management, and advising appointments
 - Liaised between students and academic advisors, creating advising appointments and managing essential paperwork to support student needs

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 12/2020–Present Student Representative to the Subcommittee on Advising, University of Pittsburgh
- 08/2020–01/2021 Section Leader, University of Pittsburgh Varsity Marching Band
- 08/2019–01/2020 Squad Leader, University of Pittsburgh Varsity Marching Band

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 David “Rox” Diecks Memorial Award, University of Pittsburgh Varsity Marching Band

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2021 Fellow, Jewish Changemakers, Jewish Federation
- 2020 Contact Tracing Certificate, Johns Hopkins University

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2022 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science
Minor: Social Work

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 05/2021–Present **Evaluation Institute at Pitt Public Health, Pittsburgh, PA**
Student Interviewer
- Carry out interviews according to prescribed scientific protocol
 - Initiate phone calls and code responses
 - Maintain confidentiality and standards of research while discussing sensitive topics with participants
- 05/2021–08/2021 **West Penn Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA**
Healthy Food Center Intern
- Collaborated with registered dietitians to select healthy food for clients
 - Created recipe flyers and other nutrition resources
 - Shadowed registered dietitians for nutrition counseling
- 05/2019–05/2021 **The Goddard School, Flemington, NJ**
Assistant Teacher
- Collaborated with Lead Teacher on lesson plans for 3-4 year-olds
 - Managed needs of up to 12 toddlers at a time
 - Facilitated conflict resolution and age-appropriate play between children

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 09/2019–Present Mentor/5K Coordinator/Field Trip Coordinator, Strong Women Strong Girls at Pitt
- 01/2019–Present Member/Centennial Celebration Chair, Xi Chapter of Kappa Delta Sorority
- 01/2021–05/2021 Volunteer, Disaster Accountability Project

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 Gamma Sigma Alpha, National Academic Greek Honors Society
- 2019–2021 Dean's List, Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2016 **Gachon University**, Inchoen, Republic of Korea
Bachelor of Emergency Medical Technology
Certificate: EMT

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 02/2018–02/2020 **Severance Hospital**, Seoul, Republic of Korea
Medical Technician
- Interviewed patients
 - Performed first aid (CPR, injury treatment, etc.)
 - Transferred patients by ambulance
- 02/2016–12/2017 **Seoul Metropolitan Boramae Hospital**, Seoul, Republic of Korea
Medical Researcher
- Conducted medical research on cardiac arrest and septic shock
 - Collected and managed data

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 02/2019–02/2020 Chief of EMT, Severance Hospital
- 03/2015–12/2015 Student President, Gachon University
- 05/2015–05/2015 Guide for International Participants, World Education Forum 2015 of UNESCO
- 07/2014–07/2014 Volunteer Caregiver/Social Welfare Program Participant, BAHAY PAG-IBIG in the Philippines

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2016 Best Emergency Room Employee, Boramae Hospital
- 2011–2015 Merit-based Scholarship Recipient, Gachon University

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2017–2020 Advanced Disaster Life Support, National Disaster Life Support Foundation
- 2016–Present Basic Life Support Instructor, American Heart Association
- 2016–Present Emergency Medical Technician, Ministry of Health & Welfare

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2021 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science; Gender, Sexuality, & Women's Studies
Minors: Economics, Legal Studies
Certificate: Global Health

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 03/2021–Present **Allegheny Reproductive Health Center**, Pittsburgh, PA
Counselor and Post Operation Observation Technician
- Inform patients of legal criteria of procedures as well as birth control options
 - Monitor vitals, remove IVs and discharge patients post procedure
 - Ensure understanding of consents and safety of patient
- 08/2018–12/2020 **First Year Programs, University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Undergraduate Teaching Assistant
- Prepared freshman for academic expectations
 - Assisted in creating a multi-faceted curriculum
 - Educate new students on academic and campus resources
- 06/2018–08/2018 **Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services**, Baltimore, MD
Summer Intern
- Reached out to interested parties and stakeholders to inform them of the New Medicare Card, an initiative to replace previous cards that contained Social Security Numbers, potentially leading to identity theft
 - Created schedule of Partner Conferences
 - Developed different mediums to reach out to stakeholders

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 01/2021–05/2021 Member, Phi Alpha Delta Pre Law Fraternity
- 04/2019–04/2020 Vice President on Standards, Theta Phi Alpha Women's Fraternity, Kappa Chapter
- 04/2019–04/2020 Business Manager, Jewish Greek Life Association
- 08/2018–12/2020 Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, University of Pittsburgh First Year Programs
- 12/2017–12/2018 Business Manager, Panthers for Israel

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 Global Distinction, University of Pittsburgh
- 2021 Out of the Classroom Curriculum, University of Pittsburgh
- 2020 Excellence in Chapter Management, Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life
- 2019 Panhellenic Judicial Board, Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life
- 2019 Risk Manager, Theta Phi Alpha Women's Fraternity, Kappa Chapter

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2021 **Georgia State University**, Atlanta, GA
Bachelor of Science in Public Health

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 08/2021–Present **University of Pittsburgh Office of Residence Life**, Pittsburgh, PA
Graduate Assistant
- Assist with Leadership and Wellness Initiatives within the Office of Residence Life
 - Partner with residence life leadership to support Hall Governance
 - Support the holistic wellness of students living on campus
- 06/2021–08/2021 **University of Pittsburgh Center for Public Health Practice**, Pittsburgh, PA
Graduate Student Researcher
- Researched structure of problem-solving courts in Indiana
 - Assisted with various assignments necessary for completion of project deliverables
 - Created professional documents for future presentations
- 08/2019–05/2021 **Georgia State University**, Atlanta, GA
Resident Assistant
- Extensively utilized communication and counseling skills to supervise 50-60 individuals in a residential hall setting
 - Engaged in budget management, team program planning, report writing, and program assessments
 - Managed administrative tasks including room conditions, incident reports, maintenance requests and room changes

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 03/2020–Present **Presidential Ambassador**, Georgia State University, 1913 Society

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2018–2021 **Dean's List**, Georgia State University School of Public Health

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EDUCATION

- 2024 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Juris Doctor
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2018 **Rutgers University**, Newark, NJ
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice; Political Science

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 05/2021–Present **Edgar Snyder & Associates LLC**, Pittsburgh, PA
Law Clerk
- Preparing various documents for clientele to ensure their needs are being met
 - Work collectively with staff to produce the best product for clients
 - Tackle multiple tasks at once by being organized and efficient to best manage the needs of the firm and clients
- 09/2018–05/2020 **Sullivan & Cromwell**, New York, NY
Legal Secretary
- Worked within the firm’s database alongside attorneys to keep information up to date
 - Edited word documents for attorneys before being sent out to clients or partner firms
 - Assisted with daily workloads of multiple attorneys including sending out documents, booking trips, setting up needs for conferences, and extensively screened phone calls to avoid solicitation from outside companies
- 09/2015–05/2018 **Jumpstart**, Newark, NJ
Team Leader
- Taught pre-school students foundational literacy skills including writing their letters, differentiating between lower and upper case, and noting key words
 - Executed lesson plans that were based on a book for the week
 - Used creative ideas to enhance classroom projects for the students that followed the lesson plan

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 09/2020–05/2020 1L Representative, Black Law Student Association

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2022 **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA**
Bachelor of Science in Natural Sciences
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
Certificate: Global Health

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 02/2019–Present **Magee-Womens Research Institute, Pittsburgh, PA**
Research Assistant
- Investigate THC-usage during pregnancy, patient-provider communication strategies, and adoption of positive health behaviors
 - Utilize qualitative analysis to code patient interviews and extract personal accounts
 - Attend weekly seminars on research-oriented professional development
- 04/2021–08/2021 **The Carter Center, Atlanta, GA**
Guinea Worm Eradication Program Intern
- Qualitatively analyzed case investigation reports regarding humans and animals from the Republic of Chad infected with Guinea Worm disease
 - Brainstormed Guinea Worm eradication intervention strategies by identifying epidemiological links among human and animal infection cases
 - Collaborated with international team of researchers to collectively examine eradication design strategies through implementation science methodology
- 05/2020–08/2020 **Young Women’s Christian Association, Pittsburgh, PA**
Community Health Intern
- Evaluated the effects of COVID-19 within Pittsburgh’s underserved/underrepresented populations to understand health disparities in lower socioeconomic areas by zip code
 - Formulated digital “Community Mobilization Guide” outlining biopsychosocial community resources and methods of transportation to health clinics
 - Collaborated with local non-profit organizations, health clinics, and the Office of the Mayor to address community needs and assist with digital distribution of guide

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 04/2021–Present **Business Manager, Global Health Student Association**
- 09/2020–Present **Founder and Executive Director, empowHER**
- 02/2020–04/2021 **Board Representative, Student Health Advisory Board**
- 10/2018–10/2020 **Project Leader, University of Pittsburgh Make a Difference Day**

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 **Nationality Room Scholarship, University of Pittsburgh Center for International Studies**
- 2021 **Community Research Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh Honors College**
- 2020 **Racism Pandemic Project Fund, University of Pittsburgh Honors College**
- 2019 **David C. Frederick Public Service Award, University of Pittsburgh Honors College**
- 2019 **Brackenridge Research Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh Honors College**

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2022 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Bachelor of Arts in Media and Professional Communications
Minor: Spanish

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 09/2018–Present **University of Pittsburgh Office of Admissions**, Pittsburgh, PA
Pitt Pathfinder
- Delivers personalized, hour-long, group tours of the University of Pittsburgh weekly (with over 90 tours given to date)
 - Exceeds expectations in evaluations in all categories including clarity, vernacular, tone, and guest engagement
 - Member of Pathfinders Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Standing Committee and Training Team
- 05/2020–05/2021 **PittServes**, Pittsburgh, PA
Signature Days of Service Committee Recruitment Chair
- Organized days of service for the University of Pittsburgh student body remotely by planning virtual service opportunities and engagement events
 - Corresponded with service partners in Pittsburgh to best meet local needs
 - Allocated \$10,000 of grant funds to local non-profit organizations
- 05/2019–01/2020 **Cooper Fitness Center**, Dallas, TX
Service Desk Associate
- Assisted fitness center members and visitors with directions and information regarding exercise classes and events
 - Responded in emergency situations by calling 911 and medical staff
 - Scheduled appointments and performed sale transactions

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2019–2021 Dean's List, University of Pittsburgh College of General Studies

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2020 Summer Learning Academy Extern, AT&T

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EDUCATION

- 2024 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2021 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Studies in Law
Specialization: Health Law and Biomedical & Health Services Research
- 2016 **University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown**, Johnstown, PA
Bachelor of Arts in History
Minor: Political Science

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 03/2021–Present **Center for Integrative Medicine, UPMC**, Pittsburgh, PA
Research Coordinator
- Create, update, and maintain documentation for regulatory approval of studies, including the Institutional Review Board (University of Pittsburgh) and the Food and Drug Administration
 - Recruit and retain participant involvement and information, to ensure confidentiality
 - Create, updated, and maintain questionnaires/instruments and databases/procedures for all research activities
- 01/2018–02/2021 **All of Us Research Program, University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Research Recruitment Coordinator
- Managed community outreach efforts to recruit and engage participants in clinical and community settings for research studies and projects, leading inpatient recruitment enrollment at UPMC Magee Women’s Hospital and UPMC Mercy
 - Trained and implemented recruitment practices and educational tools for the undergraduate and graduate interns through the University of Pittsburgh by providing guidance on regulations and directives, effective communication, and assisting with plan development
 - Analyzed qualitative data for engagement methods with the assistance of the data manager, led collection database restructuring of all engagement activities, and meet all reporting requirements

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 06/2021–Present Graduate Teaching Assistant, Pitt Online Healthcare Compliance Certificate Program
- 2014–2016 Co-Chair/Founding Member, Planned Parenthood Generation Action Club, University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2020–Present CPR Certified, American Red Cross

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EDUCATION

- 2023 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2021 **University of Michigan**, Ann Arbor, MI
Bachelor of Science in Biology, Health, and Society
Minor: History of Medicine & Health

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 06/2021–Present **University of Michigan Comprehensive Studies Program**, Ann Arbor, MI
Peer Mentor
- Provide guidance to underserved students arriving at the University of Michigan
 - Building and providing resources to promote successful college experiences
 - Recognizing and addressing disparities in incoming student populations
- 08/2019–11/2020 **University of Michigan Housing**, Ann Arbor, MI
Resident Advisor
- Assist first-year students in the transition to the University of Michigan
 - Create and execute events for students focused on diversity, inclusion, and equity
 - Conduct security and wellness checks to ensure safety of over 800 students
- 05/2019–06/2021 **University of Michigan Health System**, Ann Arbor, MI
Cell Line Assistant
- Support growth of squamous cell carcinoma for research
 - Provide information to researchers regarding use of cell line derivatives
 - Initiate and execute contracts on behalf of University of Michigan for obtaining cell lines

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 06/2019–01/2020 Volunteer, University of Michigan Health System
- 04/2018–04/2019 Vice President for Finance, University of Michigan Residence Halls Association
- 09/2017–04/2018 Allocations and Budgeting Committee Chair, University of Michigan Residence Halls Association

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2018 University Honors, University of Michigan
- 2018 Committee Chair of the Year, University of Michigan Residence Halls Association

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2017–2021 Certified Phlebotomy Technician, National Healthcareer Association

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EDUCATION

- 2024 **University of Pittsburgh**, Pittsburgh, PA
Juris Doctor
Master of Public Health in Health Policy and Management
- 2020 **University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**, Chapel Hill, NC
Bachelor of Arts in Economics; English (Poetry)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 05/2020–08/2020 **Nelson Wealth Advisors**, Raleigh, NC
Intern
- Tasked with writing and editorship of a book for company publication
 - Organized and oversaw other interns in process of editing book, working independently and remotely
- 2017–2019 **Smith and Wright, LLC**, Rome, GA
Legal Office Assistant
- Part-time assistant to a paralegal
 - Wrote and mailed communications, aided in filing legal documents
- 05/2017–08/2017 **ERA-NC Alliance**, Raleigh, NC
Action Team Facilitator
- Wrote organizational literature to be distributed at a local and national level
 - Designed and executed lobbying event at the North Carolina State Legislature
 - Coordinated screening event at UNC with a panel of political leaders

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 2018–2020 Counsel, UNC Undergraduate Student Attorney General
- 2017–2020 Volunteer Teacher, UNC Musical Empowerment
- 2017–2020 Student Desk Assistant, UNC Health Sciences Library
- 2017–2018 Lab Assistant, Abramowitz Anxiety Lab
- 2016–2017 Rower, UNC Women’s Rowing

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2018–2020 Dean’s List, UNC
- 2017 Moxie Scholar, UNC