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EDUCATION

University of Richmond, Richmond, VA May 2021
Cumulative GPA: 3.90
Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Leadership Studies, Dance minor

Danish Institute for Study Abroad, Copenhagen, Denmark June-August 2019
Relevant Courses: Sustainable Development in Northern Europe, field study work in Denmark and Norway
Propaganda, Fakes and Facts: Countering Disinformation, field study work in Denmark and Belgium at the European Union Headquarters

EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

WORK

The Capital News Service, Richmond, VA January 2021-Present
Staff Writer and Team Leader

- Report on the Virginia General Assembly session, including breaking news, event coverage, previews and feature pieces
- Lead a reporting team in developing weekly budgets and assigning stories

The Collegian, Richmond, VA March 2020-Present
Managing Editor

- Read and edit all articles before publication, set and manage deadlines and maintain the publishing schedule
- Review all news tips sent to the newspaper email account to determine newsworthiness and assign stories to section editors and writers
- Manage and collaborate with a staff of 100+ students

News Writer January 2019-March 2020

- Write 1-3 news articles per month for publication and pitch stories at weekly meetings
- Conduct formal interviews with professors, students, local government officials and others in the community

FRONTLINE PBS, Boston, MA June 2020-December 2020
Editorial Intern

- Worked on a variety of tasks for films, podcasts and digital content, including but not limited to conducting research, fact-checking, assessing fair use, finding archival footage, transcribing interviews, vetting story proposals and assisting reporters
- Helped with efforts to diversify coverage and increase transparency

The Writing Center, Richmond, VA January 2019-August 2020
Writing Consultant

- Provided commentary and feedback to students in all fields of study on academic papers
- Prepared by taking a Composition Theory and Pedagogy course which explored the fundamental theories of teaching writing

VOLUNTEER

The Future Center, Richmond, VA August 2018-December 2018
Tutor

- Helped high school students prepare for college and trade school by assisting them on writing college admissions essays, applying for scholarships and aid, and preparing for tests such as the SAT and ACT

ACTIVITIES

Jepson Corps, Richmond, VA September 2020-Present
Member

- Serve as a liaison to new and prospective students of the Jepson School of Leadership Studies at the University of Richmond
- Assist with alumni networking and the interview process for candidates applying for faculty and staff positions

University Dancers, Richmond, VA March 2020-Present
Company Captain

- Serve as a liaison to the director and department faculty
- Run social media accounts, organize group trips, activities, auditions and mentor events

Company Member August 2017-Present

- Balance 15+ hours of dance classes & rehearsals per week along with a full undergraduate course schedule
- Collaborate with guest choreographers, faculty, and other members to create work, perform and work in performance production

UN Women, New York City, NY November 2016-December 2018
Event participant

- Conversed with ambassadors and spokespeople from around the world at the Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women
- Participated in the UN Commission on the Status of Women

HONORS AND AWARDS

Omicron Delta Kappa, national leadership honor society September 2020-Present
The David E. Howard Journalism Scholarship July 2020
Golden Key International Honor Society March 2019-Present
Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society December 2017-Present
Richmond Scholar December 2016-Present
Dean's List December 2017-Present
Advanced Placement Scholar with Distinction Award April 2017