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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Psychology & Bachelor of Arts in Spanish May 2020
Furman University, Greenville, SC Overall GPA: 3.5/4.0

Honors: Dean's List (All semesters)

Universidad Antonio de Nebrija, Madrid, Spain Fall 2019

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

Community Outreach Intern Summer 2019

Red Shoe Society – Ronald McDonald House Charities, Greenville, SC

- Responsible for promoting RMHC programs via email, monthly newsletters and social media; created Snap Chat and Twitter pages to promote fundraisers/events and expand outreach
- Assisted with recruiting new Red Shoe Society (RSS) members, and maintaining strong relationships with current members; increased new membership by 10%
- Worked closely with the RSS committee and 10 volunteers and acted as a liaison between the committee, volunteers and the RSS
- Communicated with new members, current members, volunteers and donors regarding membership dues, Junior RSS Nights, the Ronald Cup, Charity Day, general cleanup, background checks, and additional volunteer opportunities
- Performed office duties as assigned, including answering phones, emails and assisting walk-in visitors

COMMUNITY SERVICE EXPERIENCE

Translator, Make-A-Wish Foundation, Charlotte, NC Spring 2019

- Translated for non-English speaking families to help children make wish decisions, and helped communicate rules, regulations and information between families and staff
- Participated in training to become a Wish Granting Volunteer, which helped children make decisions about their wish and brainstorm possibilities
- Communicated with Make-A-Wish staff members to help coordinate and grant wishes

Connections Count Mentor, Pendleton Place, Greenville, SC Summer 2018 and 2019

- Provided support and mentorship to three at-risk young adults, ages 17-19 through telephone, email and in-person correspondences 2-4 hours per week
- Planned individual and group trips to build stronger helping relationships
- Participated in six training sessions in order to adequately use problem solving, critical thinking and communication skills
- Developed strong communication and supervisory skills

SKILLS

Language Skills: Fluent in Spanish

Computer Skills: Proficient in Microsoft Office, Intermediate usage of Adobe Suite, proficient in Social Media