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EDUCATION

Ed.M., Harvard Graduate School of Education, May 2020

Cambridge, MA

2020 Intellectual Contribution Award

B.A., Louisiana State University, May 2014

Baton Rouge, LA

History major with concentration in secondary education; Communication Studies minor. Spent equivalent of junior year (February 2012 – November 2012) abroad at University of Auckland.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

KPMG

Auckland, NZ

Talent Acquisition Manager (July 2020 – Present)

Oversee recruitment and hiring for new employees in KPMG's Auckland office. Manage team of three, including conducting annual reviews and taking responsibility for team KPIs. Serve on diversity, equity, and inclusion committee to ensure all voices are heard and that KPMG lives up to its values both internally and with external stakeholders such as prospective clients or new hires.

Goldman Sachs

Remote

Associate, Campus Recruiting (July 2020 – July 2022)

Liaised with colleges and universities to establish pipeline into finance and operations roles at Goldman Sachs for recent graduates. Recruited remotely and on campuses, answering questions and facilitating connections between hiring managers and prospective applicants. Tasked with major data analysis projects, including revamping recruitment schedules and frequency of events during COVID-19 pandemic.

Nelson College

Nelson, NZ

Social Sciences Teacher (May 2017 – June 2019)

Taught levels 2-3 Classics and levels 1-3 History at New Zealand's oldest state secondary school. Assistant coached rugby team, helping develop students' physical well-being and mental toughness. Performed dorm responsibilities for boarding students, including routine wellness checks, floor-wide bonding activities, and conflict resolution when necessary.

Teach for America

New Orleans, LA

Middle School History Teacher (August 2014 – June 2016)

Selected from over 46,000 applicants nationwide to teach for two years in an under-resourced public school. Completed rigorous job training under the supervision of current history teachers. Developed fun, engaging lesson plans with an emphasis on culturally responsive pedagogy. Built trusting relationships with students and families; collaborated with other teachers and administrators to cultivate a welcoming and supportive environment despite limited funding and resources.

LSU Sport Shop

Baton Rouge, LA

Cashier (January 2011– May 2013)

Manager (June 2013– May 2014)

Worked at the official gift and merchandise shopping center of LSU athletics. Sold apparel, assisted customers, and emphasized school spirit; promoted to manager for senior year.

FELLOWSHIPS

U.S. Department of State – Fulbright Program

Medan, Indonesia

Fulbright English Teaching Assistant (August 2016 – April 2017)

Developed and taught English language classes at a public secondary school. Participated in Indonesian language classes, improving my ability to communicate with locals and immerse myself in local culture. Organized pen pal program between Indonesian high schoolers and high schoolers from Baton Rouge, LA.

Harvard University Graduate School of Education

Cambridge, MA

Teaching Fellow: “Higher Education and the Law” (January 2021– May 2021)

Assisted professor Phil Catanzano with lesson-planning, grading, and course management during remote offering of “Higher Education and the Law”.

Equity and Inclusion Fellow (September 2019– May 2020)

Selected to be one of twenty Equity and Inclusion Fellows (EIF). Completed field placement work with Boston Public Schools’ central office. Worked alongside cohort of driven educators who shared a commitment to equity in education.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Holy Apostle’s Soup Kitchen

New York NY

Volunteer (July 2020 – July 2022)

ESL for Everyone

New York NY

Volunteer ESL Teacher (November 2020 – July 2022)

Big Brothers Big Sisters of America

Baton Rouge, LA

Big Brother (September 2010 – June 2014)

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- Proficient in Tableau and Adobe Photoshop
- CPR certified
- Louisiana State Notary Public
- Avid LSU sports fan – Geaux Tigers!
- Enthusiastic and knowledgeable New Zealand Tour Guide
- Afrobeats fanatic