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I. EDUCATION

Emory University, Atlanta, GA, USA

B.A. 2013

Major: Psychology

GPA: 3.4/4.0

Major coursework in psychology with emphasis on neuroscience; assistant in Sherryl Goodman's lab studying maternal depression. Additional coursework equivalent to philosophy minor.

University of Salamanca, Salamanca, Spain

Study Abroad, Fall 2012

Placed into most advanced Spanish language class upon entry; received highest marks upon completion. Completed coursework in Spanish history, European politics and psychology.

II. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The Conversation, US | Atlanta, Georgia

Associate Editor, Politics and Society, May 2016 – Present

- Commission and edit research-based, daily news analysis written by college and university professors for the general public.
- Launched partnership with Women & Girls of News Deeply to produce multimedia content on women in the developing world.
- Implemented new software for editors to improve accountability and internal communication on incoming story ideas.

Southern Regional Education Board | Atlanta, Georgia

Communications Specialist, June 2014 – April 2016

- Conducted focus groups in five states; summarized findings and developed recommendations for state education agencies.
- Played key role in designing, editing and maintaining an interactive data tool that explains elements of complex education policies.

Miami Herald | Miami, Florida

Freelance Writer, Oct. 2013 – March 2014

- Wrote articles for Health section as needed.
- Covered news and crime in North Bay Village; penned a series of articles on anti-bullying events in Miami schools.

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Federal Defender Program, Inc., Northern District | Atlanta, Georgia

Habeas Unit Assistant, Sept. 2010 – May 2012

- Conducted extensive, time-sensitive news and policy research on the death penalty, lethal injections and gangs.
- Summarized findings into memorandums used by attorneys and investigators in preparation for capital trials.

Alexandria Times | Alexandria, Virginia

Summer Intern, May – August 2011

- Assisted colleagues with fact-checking, copy-editing and research via phone calls, follow-up interviews and database searches.
- Updated weekly calendar of events, posted new stories to web, wrote weekly crime report.

III. HONORS & AWARDS

Community Building and Social Change Fellowship

2013 Fellow

- Applied coursework in theories of community building to support Atlanta neighborhood leaders in writing a five-year action plan using \$2,000 grant from county government.
- Gathered and synthesized data and stakeholder input into comprehensive plan to improve education and safety.
- Planned and hosted event that brought together police, government officials, business owners and more than 50 residents to discuss community planning; the neighborhood coalition that emerged continues organizing today

Phi Sigma Tau, Emory Philosophy Honor Society

Member, 2012-2013

Hispanic Heritage Foundation

Scholarship Recipient, Outstanding Achievements in Journalism, 2009

IV. EXTRACURRICULAR & SERVICE

Ethics and Servant Leadership Forum

Participant, Sept. 2011 – May 2012

- Partnered with Atlanta non-profit ForeverFamily to provide recommendations on how to improve programming for children with incarcerated parents.
- Participated in leadership retreat and a small weekly student forum that covered topics in ethics and factors that influence moral thinking and decision-making.

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Emory Waller Scholars

Co-President, Oct. 2009 – May 2012

- Developed engaging activities to facilitate dialogue about education, race, class and gender among Atlanta high school students.
- Planned monthly presentations on options for higher education, college life, financial aid, courses, career opportunities, etc.

Emory Bioethics Society

Executive Secretary, Sept. 2011-2012

- Coordinated luncheon about public health ethics for students and ethicists at the Center for Disease Control.
- Helped plan debates and speakers around the theme “value of life.”

V. PUBLISHED WORK

Essays

Douez, Danielle. “Papa, Am I Black?” *50 Shades of Black: The Conversation*. Comp. Carlton Mackey. 1st ed. Vol. 1. San Antonio, TX: Vision Creative Services. 2013. 38-39. Print.

VI. TRAINING, PRESENTATIONS AND TRAVEL

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting 2018 | Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Presenter and panel moderator, Aug. 2018

Title: “Shaping and informing public conversations by sharing your scholarship”

- Presented best practices for translating academic expertise into relevant, engaging content for the general public.
- Moderated panel of scholars who discussed challenges including institutional recognition for public engagement and measuring impact.

Emory Journeys of Reconciliation | Johannesburg and Cape Town, South Africa

Participant, May 2018

- Participated in an educational 10-day trip with students, faculty and staff through South Africa to engage with community leaders on issues related to race, memorial and reconciliation led by Emory faculty.
- Gave pre-travel presentation on best practices for documenting information and ethical concerns related to travel photography and writing.

Nieman Foundation Covering Nuclear Issues Workshop | Cambridge, Massachusetts

Invited participant, March 2018

- Completed intensive training for journalists on covering a variety of nuclear issues including security, international treaties and regional conflicts.