

Ali Mortada

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EDUCATION

University School of Milwaukee

Graduation Year: 2022

GPA: 3.95

- National History Day National Finalist (2018); *Black Hawk Down*
- Independent Science Research (2019): *Crickets: The relation between Substances and Electrical Stimulation*
- Independent Science Research State Finalist (2020): *The Golden Ratio: Social and Behavioral Influences*

Milwaukee Area Technical College

Graduation Year: 2021

- Emergency Medical Technician Course; 5 credits (2021 Fall Term)

Wayne State University

Graduation Year: 2026

- Honors
- Neuroscience Major
- Pre-Med Track

Certifications

ATHLETICS

School Sports

- University School of Milwaukee Soccer Team (2018-2021); Varsity (2019-2021)
- University School of Milwaukee Basketball Team (2018-2020); Varsity (2020)
- University School of Milwaukee Ski Team (2021-2022); Team Manager
- University School of Milwaukee Track & Field Team (2021-2022); Varsity (2021-2022)

Clubs

- University School of Milwaukee Biking Club (2020-2022)

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Dar-Ul-Hikmat Sunday School, TEACHER (2019 - 2021)

- Taught Arabic to lower school students using hands-on learning techniques
- Learned to understand various methods of effective teaching based on age and abilities
- Developed & implemented a unique curriculum in order to maximize retention and level of understanding
- Partnered with other teachers to create joint classes that fostered community and allowed older students to become role models for their younger counterparts

Camp Taha (Michigan), VOLUNTEER, CO-COUNSELOR (Summer 2019 - Present)

- Mentored a cabin full of youth -ages 10-15- by creating personal connections, holding camp values and traditions, and being a role model they look up to
- Served food and cleaned the dining halls after breakfast, lunch, and dinner
- Organized activities like Zip lining, Sports tournaments, Canoeing, and horseback riding

The Muslim Group of USA and Canada (December 2019-Present)

- Serving food, maintaining security, and helping out with events each December

Visiting and Volunteering in Iraq (December 2016)

- Fed and helped improve local orphanages. Played soccer on the streets with orphaned children. Learned to be grateful for what I have and sparked a flame in me that is adamant about helping those in need.

USM Gardening (2020-2022)

- Planted, Watered, and grew various fruits and vegetables at the USM Garden with the objective of providing food to local homeless shelters

Cat Foster (August 2022-Present)

- Providing temporary homes to kittens in need

Served at various Soup Kitchens

- Humbled by serving food to the less fortunate in the Milwaukee area
- Exchanging meaningful connections, recognizing the power of a simple smile
- Cleaned Dining room and Kitchen

OTHER

- Bilingual; Proficient in Reading, Writing, and Speaking Arabic
- Limited Proficiency in Reading, Writing, and Speaking French (2012-2021)
- Personal Business: Selling High-end Shoes (2019-Present)