# ANITA MAKINDE

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## **EDUCATION:**

# University of Manchester Sept 2017-2021

BA(Hons) Spanish and Chinese

- Increasing my proficiency in Spanish and Chinese through extensive learning of vocabulary, grammar, reading and writing
- Regularly disseminating information from different historical sources to understand the social and political realms of Spain and Latin America
- Analysing texts and visual pieces to present arguments on Imperial and Modern China

# Dartford Grammar School Sept 2014-May 2016

International Baccalaureate

Higher level: Biology 6, Chemistry 5 and Spanish 6 Standard level: Maths 7, English 6 and Classical Civilisations 4. Overall score 35 points

# Dartford Grammar School for Girls Sept 2009 – June 2014

**GCSEs** 

1 A\* 10As 1B (Including Maths & English)

### **EVENTS ATTENDED:**

- BlackRock Women's Summer Insight Day 12th July 2017
- SEO London ACS/BME Leaders' Conference 30th August 2017
- WCAN Annual Conference 13th September 2017

### **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

Leaders are Readers Dartford Sep 2015 – August 2017

Centre Assistant

- Centre Assistant of a Saturday school for children aged 3-11.
- Liaised with parents and teachers regularly
- Worked within a team of 20 people

# Ades Cash & Carry July 2014 - August 2014

Retail Assistant

- Assisted customers with advice and recommendations on products
- Was responsible for the visual displays for products
- Maintained active till area and hit target sales

# Bedonwell Junior School July 2013

Teaching Assistant

- Responsible for mentoring whilst ensuring they understood subject area.
- Mediated the teacher in the management of pupils and the classroom.
- Provided one-to-one support for pupils.

#### **VOLUNTEERING EXPERIENCE:**

### God's Grace Foundation 2013-Present

- Volunteer at a charity that aids the personal development of young people in the UK and Nigeria
- Mentored young girls aged 11-15 years old on different topics such as education & mental and physical wellbeing
- Organised various events such as public speaking and money management workshops
- Promoted knowledge of social awareness & current affairs within young people

## Social Action Project January 2017-March 2017

- Coordinated a social action project for the homeless in Manchester
- Successfully fundraised over £300 from donor to buy the amenities needed
- Recruited volunteers to help support the delivery of hand outs
- Led a group of 15 people handed out amenities to over 50 homeless people in central Manchester

# Smiley Ark Kids July 2015 – August 2015

- Volunteered at a holiday day care centre and interacted with children of all ages
- Assisted in arts and cultural events held for the children
- Co-ordinating various trips to galleries, parks and a trip to the theatre

# **ACTIVITIES/INTERESTS:**

- Completed the Silver Duke of Edinburgh Award which entailed walk 16km each day for 3 days.
- An active member of the University of Manchester Afro Caribbean Society
- Member of the Biomedical and Ethics Society and would have weekly debates about controversial topics within the biomedical sector during sixth form
- Modern Foreign Language debate in Spanish about the legalisation of cannabis

### ADDITIONAL SKILLS:

- IT (Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint)
- Languages: Spanish (Post A-level) Mandarin (GCE)

# POSTIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

# Media Officer for Nigerian Students Society

September 2017-Present

- Elected by previous committee members
- Oversee all social media accounts for the society
- Create all posters needed for events

# **REFERENCES**: available on request