CHERISE TROTMAN



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PROFILE

- 5 years of experience in the international public sector providing operational/logistics support on regional and multilateral development projects
- Knowledgeable in CARICOM and CARIFORUM trade relations/WTO Agreements
- Proficient speaker and writer of business level Spanish (Intermediate B2)

EDUCATION

MSC. INTERNATIONAL TRADE POLICY (Distinction)

2014-2015

University of the West Indies - Bridgetown, Barbados

- Modules: Intellectual Property Rights & International Trade Policy, International Public Law
- Thesis: "Barbados' International Trade Potential: Evidence from a Gravity Model Analysis "(A)
- Awards: Emerging Leaders of the Americas Scholarship Carleton University, 2015

BA (HONS.) INTERNATIONAL STUDIES & ECONOMICS

2009-2013

York University -Toronto, Canada

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ASSOCIATION OF CARIBBEAN STATES (ACS) - Trinidad & Tobago

Advisor – P2 (Directorate for Disaster Risk Reduction, Environment and the Caribbean Sea) Sept. 2019 – Aug. 2021

• Managed a team of 3-5 support staff in the daily implementation of the Directorate's work programme and stakeholder engagement with direct reporting lines to the Director and Secretary General.

Project Assistant (Consultant - Sandy Shorelines Project)

Jan. 2018 - Sept. 2019

 Provided project management support for the Sandy Shorelines Project – a USD \$ 4 million project funded by the Korean International Cooperation Agency (KOICA).

Research Assistant (Directorate of Trade, Transport & External Economic Relations)

Feb. 2016 – Dec. 2017

 Delivered operational support as well as led research activities of the Directorate. Research output included publications, papers, briefs and updating databases.

KEY SKILLS

Project Management/Coordination Proficient Stakeholder/Team Relations Proficient Research Proficient Data Visualisation Basic Data Wrangling Basic Data Analysis Basic