

# JONATHAN LEUENBERGER

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## EDUCATION

### **Expected Graduation - May 2027, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces NM**

*Bachelor of Arts – Anthropology, Linguistic/Cultural*

*Bachelor of Science – Computer Science*

- GPA: 3.98/4.00
- Conroy Honors College Student
- Honors Ambassador – Leader Spring 2024 - Present
  - Planned events with other Ambassadors for the Honors College
  - Created personal connection with Dean Camarena and Associate Dean Hubbell
  - Exceeded required volunteer hours
  - Lead other Ambassadors to completing successful events
- Honors First Year Seminar Mentor for Fall 2024/2025
  - Mentor a cohort of first-semester freshman honors students
  - Will plan and lead this group through events to make degree plans, volunteer hours, and become more invested into the Honors College
  - Work closely with Dean Camarena who is the Professor for this course
  - Collaborate with other mentors for the course on class goals, objectives, and assignments
- Vice-President and co-founder of the Hadley Honors College Student Council
  - Worked with the president of Associated Students of New Mexico State University and the Dean of the Honors College to found a new academic council for the Honors College
  - Duties include the allocation of funding for any student event within the Honors College (i.e. conference fees, research costs, club costs).
- Attended the Society for Applied Anthropology conference in March 2024 with the Department Head of Anthropology Dr. Stanford
  - Engaged in workshops and seminars focused on practical applications of anthropological principles in research and real-world contexts
  - Participated in discussions and networking opportunities with leading experts and practitioners in the field

## RESEARCH

### **Research Assistant for Dr. Shiva Darian in the Department of Computer Science**

- Research focuses on Human Computer Interaction. For this study, we focus on refugees crossing the Mexico/American border and their dependence on technology.
- Responsible for creating interview questions to ask refugees concerning their use of technology while crossing the border.
- Gained experience in qualitative coding using NVIVO and in meta-analysis through writing my research article.

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## **Research Assistant for Dr. Bill Hamilton in the Department of Computer Science**

- Our research focuses on Human Computer Interaction. For this study, we are researching phishing attack perceptions and susceptibility on TikTok.
- Responsible for creating the survey with RedCap,
- Gained experience using statistical analysis with R.

## **STUDY ABROAD**

- Honors Global Citizenship Summer Faculty Lead International Program
  - Selected participant in a study abroad program led by the Dean of the Honors College, Phame Camarena.
  - Developed international awareness and intercultural competence through lectures and cultural presentations.
  - Conducted on-site cultural studies and reflections in London, Amsterdam, and Berlin, culminating in a final analytical paper.
- Accepted into the Aggies Go Global study abroad trip for the summer semester of 2025.
  - Will be attending La Salle University in Bogotá, Colombia, where I will meet with university and lab leaders.

## **EXPERIENCE**

### **Lead Student Network Technician, NMSU Information Technology Services, May 2023 – October 9, 2024**

- Installed and repaired network fiber optic cables, Ethernet cables, and other networking cabling and conduits
- Responsible for building network upgrades for all of campus, and regular service for electronic devices
- Excel at understanding and implementing directions
- Became proficient in Python and Cisco coding

## **CODING LANGUAGES WITH PROFICIENCY**

- R (Intermediate)
- Python (Proficient)
- C/C++ (Proficient)
- Java (Intermediate)

## **QUALITATIVE DATA ANALYSIS**

- NVIVO

## **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- Earned the rank of Eagle Scout in Boy Scouts of America (Earned after 10 years)

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- Crimson Scholar (maintaining over 3.50/4.00 GPA)
- Hadley Honors Scholarship recipient
- Bearden Fletcher Engineering Scholarship recipient
- Accepted into the Honors Global Citizenship Program
- First Alternate for the prestigious Boren Award
- Honors Ambassador program student leader

## ACTIVITIES

- Undergraduate Anthropology Organization Member (2023 – Present)
- ASNMSU Roadrunner Internship (Spring 2024 semester)
- NMSU Triathlon club Member (2024 – Present)

## CERTIFICATIONS

- CITI certified for research on human subjects