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EDUCATION & AWARDS

Doctorate in Medicine

August 2016 and ongoing

- ✚ **Université de Sherbrooke, QC** (campus in Moncton, New-Brunswick)
 - ↳ Canadian Medical Hall of Fame Award for Medicals Students – 5000\$ (1 award/university/year)
 - ↳ SMNB – NB Student Leadership Prize (1 award in NB/year for a Francophone medical student) (video capsule shown at the prize ceremony <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6JQUwtpUPAw>)
 - ↳ FSSSC – Most involved student award (3 awards/faculty/year)
 - ↳ CNFS – Accord GNB (Engagement communautaire & bénévolat) – \$1000
 - ↳ CNFS – Accord GNB (Engagement recherche) – \$1000

Bachelor of Science, Honours in Microbiology & Immunology, minor in business

Graduated May 2015

EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE

Medical Society President

August 2017 and ongoing

- ✚ Representing and working for the student body (refer to personal statement)

Canadian Medical Association ambassador

August 2018 and ongoing

- ✚ Representing student voices at the national level as a student ambassador

Student representative of the medical class of 2020

August 2016 to June 2017

- ✚ Member of our student council AGÉÉMUS

Student representative for the organization “A Beacon in the Night”

January 2017 and ongoing

- ✚ Serving as liaison between the francophone medical students and this organization specializing in mental health awareness for the medical community

New-Brunswick Medical Society

- ✚ Represented the CFMNB as the student ambassador to all 5 events organized by the NBMS since 2016

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Ronald McDonald Family Room (145h since medical school, 615h total)

May 2013 to Dec. 2017

- ✚ Greet, help, and listen to families and children in a difficult time of their lives
 - ↳ Family Room in the IWK Health Centre in Halifax, then in the Moncton City Hospital

Movember team captain, and main organizer of 6 men’s mental health awareness events

- ✚ Individually raised \$2,139 since 2013 for Movember Foundation
- ✚ Created and led events to promote men’s health in 2016 and again in 2017
 - ↳ Mo’s Fun Run of 1, 2 and 5km with 100+ participants with Mind the Heart Nov. 5/4, 2016/17
 - ↳ Men’s mental health awareness event at Bass Pro Shop with Mind the Heart Nov. 26/18, 2016/17
 - ↳ Moustache party with a contest, guitarist, and food with Mind the Heart Nov. 30/Dec. 1, 2016/17

Multiple sclerosis Bike Ride

June 2017, and 2018

- ✚ Two day, 120km bike ride, with our team the “Cyclopaths”
 - ↳ Helped organize the fundraising events like MS parties at local pub, for two years

EQWIP HUBs – Employability and Entrepreneurship Advisor (8 months)

October 2015 to June 2016

- ✚ Startup of a 5-year program in Dakar, Senegal, destined to educate and support young entrepreneurs between 18 and 35 in concretizing and materializing their business ideas
 - ↳ Took charge of the national baseline study for monitoring & evaluation
 - ↳ Demonstrated leadership, patience, and resilience

PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

1. Ongoing work

- ✚ First author: “A case of dysferlin-related recessive limb girdle muscular dystrophy with two homozygous *TTN* mutations” - Bourcier D., Mamelona J., Marrero A. et al.
 - ↳ Submitted for publication at Neuromuscular Diseases journal
 - ↳ Oral presentation at Muscular Dystrophy Canada's 11th Neuromuscular Symposium May 4, 2108
 - ↳ Poster presentation at 5th Student Symposium in Neurology, Sherbrooke QC April 7, 2018

2. First author & oral presentation

- ✚ Title: “The Misogyny of History; an Unsung Heroine of World War 1 – Marie Marvingt”
 - ↳ MedX Series, student medical presentation series (latest of a series of presentations) March 2nd, 2017

WORK EXPERIENCE

New-Brunswick Summer Internship in Research

- ✚ Paid research position working for a clinical research project
 - ↳ Neurogenetics: Founder effect of rare diseases in New-Brunswick June 19 to July 28, 2017
 - ↳ Characterizing titinopathies in the New-Brunswick population July 23 to August 24, 2018

LANGUAGES

- ✚ Perfectly bilingual in French and English

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Sports

- ✚ Defensemen in the CFMNB hockey team (intramural league) 2016/2017 and 2017/2018
- ✚ Avid rugby player (Dalhousie Varsity, but now at MedGames), skier and golfer

Business

- ✚ Self-directed investing portfolio

Other

- ✚ Built my own cottage from scratch

REFERENCES

- ✚ Available upon request