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EDUCATION

Skidmore College

Saratoga Springs, New York

Major: Undecided* (*Potential*: B.S., Health and Human Physiological Sciences)

Graduating: May 2023

Relevant Coursework: Intro to Health and Human Physiological Sciences; Principles of Chemistry; Human Anatomy & Physiology; Early Childhood Education and Development.

African Leadership Academy (ALA)

Johannesburg, South Africa

Cambridge International Examinations (CIE) AS/A-Level

September 2017 – June 2019

Relevant Coursework: A-Level Courses (Biology, Calculus and Statistics, Geography); African Studies; Entrepreneurial Leadership; Writing & Rhetoric.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

African Leadership Academy (ALA)

Johannesburg, South Africa

Global Programs Intern

January 2020

- Worked as administrative assistant for visiting schools' program, organizing tentative schedules and creating lesson slides.
- Led campus tour for visiting university and chaperoned visiting high school students on excursions around Johannesburg.

ALA Build-in-a-Box Program

Soweto, South Africa

Educator/Facilitator

June 2018

- Organized and ran a 3-day summer leadership camp for 30 high school students from Fons Luminis Secondary School, alongside a team of 4 other facilitators.
- Facilitated leadership workshops in which students were taught how to identify root-cause problems, find needs-based solutions and effectively pitch these solutions to potential investors, through in-class discussions and experientials.
- Mentored students through the process of brainstorming and presenting their own comprehensive solutions for needs identified in their own communities.

Nova Pioneer Academy

Johannesburg, South Africa

Teaching Assistant

June 2018

- Worked alongside pre-primary and primary school teachers to foster a child friendly work and leadership environment.
- Supervised children during lunch breaks and assisted in class work activities such as math, reading & writing, and arts & crafts.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

African Leadership Academy

Johannesburg, South Africa

Interact Club

2017 – 2019

- Attended bi-weekly meetings to discuss community outreach agendas and social awareness programs on-campus.
- Organized clothing donation and stationery drives.
- Visited underprivileged communities for community service excursions.
- Raised awareness during breast cancer awareness day by setting up a community awareness wall and handing out pink ribbons.

Northcliff High School

Johannesburg, South Africa

Netball

2014 – 2017

- Played competitively across junior varsity and varsity teams.
- Competed in provincial trials for the Gauteng U-17 provincial team for three consecutive years.
- Selected to represent Gauteng U-17 provincial team in a national tournament.
- Awarded Senior Honors for netball.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Skills: Facilitation, Organizational skills, Interpersonal skills, Microsoft Office Suite.

Interests: Writing, Sports.

Additional Activities: ALA School Choir, ALA Volleyball Team, Beach and Indoor Volleyball Club Teams, North cliff High Track Team, Skidmore African Heritage Awareness Club, Skidmore College Dining Services.