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EDUCATION

University of Southern California: Aug 2021- May 2025 (Expected Graduation)

Walled Lake Central High School: Sep 2017 – May 2021 GPA: 3.9 (unweighted)

INTERNSHIPS & FELLOWSHIPS

Michigan School of Social Work Summer Intern (Jun. 2020-Aug. 2020)

- Amplify the voices of young people regarding inequalities, prejudice, and discrimination
- Create visual media including scripting, starring, filming, and editing to highlight inadequacies in education
- Collaborate with other interns and provide feedback on their social justice focused project

University of Michigan Social Justice Fellow (Oct. 2019-Aug. 2021)

- Plan campaigns focused on inclusive curriculum in the Michigan education system
- Communicate policy recommendations to Michigan education officials
- Design interactive social media content to increase engagement

Megan McAllister State Representative Campaign Junior Fellow (Jun. 2020-Aug. 2020)

- Worked closely with campaign organizers, other fellows, and local volunteers to promote the candidate
- Supported a State Representative grassroots campaign, participating in weekly team meetings and providing updates
- Engaged with potential supporters through phone banking and canvassing

WORK EXPERIENCE

Naked Fuel Juice Bar Barista (Jul. 2019-Feb. 2020)

- Managed store operations: maintained inventory, placed orders, fulfilled orders, and led a team of baristas
- Trained new employees on product knowledge, customer service, equipment usage, and cleaning procedures
- Communicated ingredients and their health benefits to customers

George Stewart Sports Photography Consultant (Dec. 2016-Jun. 2017)

- Acted as a liaison between photographer and client
- Communicated packing, pricing, and special offers to customers
- Mastered editing software to build photo collages

ACADEMIC ORGANIZATIONS

Student Council Executive President (Jun. 2020 -present); **Junior Class President** (Jun. 2019- Jun.2020); **Member** (Sept.2017-Jun.2021)

- Responsible for organizing student programming including fundraising, events, and encouraging school spirit
- Lead the executive boards for all grade levels

National Honor Society Member (Apr. 2020-present)

- Support the school and community through volunteer work
- Tutor high school students in social studies and science coursework to promote academic excellence
- Assist teachers by assuming classroom responsibilities including grading work and preparing documents

High School Democrats of America Founder & President (Jan. 2020-present)

- Founded this chapter of a national political youth organization at Walled Lake Central High School
- Facilitate discussions about political issues that stimulate student awareness and participation in government

Lakes Valley Conference Student Representative (Sept. 2019- present)

- Plan teamwork and leadership training activities for 30 students across 9 schools
- Network with local youth leaders and share ideas to improve the social environment in the respective schools

Tree Hugging Environmentalists Club Member (Sept. 2019-June 2020)

- Participated in weekly recycling initiatives and increased awareness surrounding environmental issues
- Promoted environmental stewardship locally and globally

ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES

Competitive Dancer- ballet, tap, jazz, hip-hop, contemporary, modern, lyrical

- Independent (May 2019-present)
- Power Dance Company (Commerce Twp) (Jun. 2017-May 2019)
- The Art of Dance (White Lake) (Jul. 2015-May 2017)

Varsity Pom Pon Dancer (May 2016-Mar. 2019)