

Amber Chen

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EDUCATION

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

2023 – 2027

Bachelor of Arts in Geography, Minors in Geospatial Information Systems & Technologies (GIS&T) and English

- GPA: 3.95
- ALD|PES Honor Societies (VP) | Bruin Bladers & Rollerskaters (Founder) | Con Brio String Orchestra (Historian) | Daily Bruin Student Newspaper (Designer) | Chinese Music Ensemble | Association of Chinese Americans

EXPERIENCE

Freelance, Palos Verdes Estates, CA

Private English Tutor

July 2022 – Present

- Preparing Chinese-speaking Buddhist nuns for IELTS English language exams to acquire Canadian citizenship
- Enhancing grammar & writing proficiency of middle/high schoolers, improving grades & college applications

UCLA Luskin School of Public Affairs, CA

Undergraduate GIS Researcher

September 2025 – Present

- Identifying & assessing census tracts overlapping with Native American reservations, presenting findings to team
- Performing spatial and data analysis to examine housing inequality among Native Americans across the US
- Collecting and cleaning data in Excel; manipulating tables, engineering data, and calculating fields in ArcGIS Pro

Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Atlanta, Remote

Data Analysis Intern

May 2023 – July 2023

- Conducted research project on voter behavior among AAPI/Latinx & low-income communities in Georgia
- Analyzed large sets of raw data (US Census, Georgia Secretary of State) and used Excel to uncover trends
- Developed visually compelling graphs and charts, presented actionable insights to CEO team
- Analyzed back-end temporal data of in-person employees, flagged discrepancies to control for quality
- Collaborated with a team across multiple time zones, managing time efficiently and adapting to schedule changes

ACADEMIC ORGANIZATIONS

Alpha Lambda Delta & Phi Eta Sigma Honor Societies (ALD|PES), UCLA

May 2024 – Present

Community Service Director → Vice President

- Liaised with nonprofits, partnered with UCLA's quarterly food distribution program to address food insecurity
- Addressed low student engagement, single-handedly quadrupling volunteer turnout at service events

Bruin Bladers & Rollerskaters, UCLA

September 2024 – Present

Founder & President

- Creating an inclusive skating community promoting connection & physical/mental wellness through movement
- Developed a free skate rental system to remove financial barriers to skating; managing finances & UCLA funding

SKILLS

- **Technical:** ArcGIS Pro, QGIS, Google Earth, SQL, R, RStudio, Microsoft Office Suite, Adobe Creative Suite
 - **ArcGIS Pro:** Geocoding, Raster Georeferencing, Digitizing, Spatial Analysis, Suitability Analysis
- **Languages:** Mandarin Chinese (Fluent) | Spanish (Limited Working Proficiency)