Allison Chapin

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EDUCATION

Northeastern University, PhD program in World History, Boston, MA **Colgate University**, BA, Hamilton, NY

Expected Graduation May 2021

May 2016

- Major: History
- Minor: English Literature
- Major GPA: 3.83/4.00; Cumulative GPA: 3.77/4.00
- Magna Cum Laude
- Honors in History
- Scott Saunders Prize, Department of History (Spring 2016)
- Dean's Award for Academic Excellence (Fall 2012, Fall 2013-Present)
- Phi Eta Sigma First-Year Honor Society (Fall 2013-Present)

Colgate History Study Group, London, UK

Spring 2015

- Researched and compiled an original thesis paper, "International Solidarity? The British TUC and Refugees from Nazi Germany, 1933-1939," using documents from UK archives
 - o Won prize for best thesis written in this study group
- Gained understanding of city's history and culture

EXPERIENCE

Rose Hill Mansion, Docent, Geneva Historical Society

May 2015-Present

- Convey history of a 19th century mansion and the people who lived there through house tours
- Interpret history using artifacts throughout the mansion
- Monitor tour group to ensure they do not linger and touch artifacts
- Consult texts and coworkers to improve knowledge of history and answer questions

Learn to Skate Program, *Skating Coach*, Colgate University

Spring 2013-Spring 2016

- Taught people of all ages basic skating skills
- Coached skaters of varying skill levels
- Collaborated with other coaches to determine skill level of students and lesson plans

COLGATE ACTIVITIES

Colgate Figure Skating Club, Colgate University

Event Coordinator

Fall 2013-Spring 2014

- Cooperated with athletics department to set up skating performances during hockey games
- Advertised for club showcase each semester
- Coordinated skaters to put together the program for each showcase

President

Summer 2014-Spring 2016

- Cooperated with athletics department to complete paperwork and keep club in good standing
- Managed other club leaders, ensured they knew what their responsibilities were and that they fulfilled them
- Informed club members of any information and responsibilities they had relevant to the club
- Improved the image and expanded campus awareness of the club

History Club, Secretary, Colgate University

Fall 2015-Spring 2016

- Collaborated with other club officers to found and organize the club
- Recorded minutes at club meetings
- Distributed club information and decisions to members