

# ARIANA SALAH

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## EDUCATION

B.S. Environmental Health Science, Purdue University

May 2017

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## SKILLS

Strong leadership; Organization budgeting and finance; Proficient in Microsoft Office programs; CPR and first aid certified in 2017; Organizing and leading groups.

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Minerva Ventures (environmental consulting) – Intern, San Jose, CA**

May 2017-Present

- Worked with team to propose an 80-page climate action plan for city of Sunnyvale
- Confirmed that all requirements for the city were met on the proposal
- Researched approximately 170 of the Bay Area companies' environmental initiatives
- Provided data support for outreach program

**Bret Harte Middle School – Cheerleading Coach, San Jose, CA**

May 2017-Present

**PepsiCo – Frito Lay EH&S Intern, Charlotte, NC**

Summer 2016

- Helped initiate a sustainable path to zero landfill
- Researched different waste stream improvement options
- Led cross team efforts to increase company awareness through Green Week initiative
  - Started with \$150 and reached out to corporate for extra funding, ending with \$3k for initiative
- Monitored Heat Stress Index levels throughout the workplace and developed efficient method of communicating levels
- Performed ergonomic job risk assessments on multiple jobs
  - *Key Takeaways:* Furthered communication skills between local, regional and nation levels; lead key projects; created awareness program for other PepsiCo sites to utilize; and built strong relationships with fellow team members

**Breathe California, of the Bay Area (non-profit) – Intern, San Jose, CA**

Summer 2015

- Worked with donated Continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP), CPAP Auto, and BIPAP machines to prepare and distribute them to low-income recipients
- Part of team who organized and led the annual Asthma camp for 40 children (ages 6-12)
- Team leader for local low-income children who were learning how to control and live with their asthma
- Planned a week's worth of educational field trips, activities, and lesson plans
  - *Key Takeaways:* Gained better experience working with a diverse range of individuals; received a more in depth education of lung diseases including COPD and asthma; educated young children on their respiratory health

**National Student Leadership Conference – Teaching Assistant, Seattle, WA**

Summer 2014

- Supported conference for 9<sup>th</sup> through 11<sup>th</sup> grade students about health careers
- Led team building exercises and individual leadership activities
- Conference included lectures from Professionals in the health care industry, hands on dissections, and field trips to local museums

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## CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Silicon Valley Energy Summit Volunteer (June 2017)
  - Alpha Phi International Fraternity (2013-2017) | Director of Finance (2015-2016), managed 300K budget
  - Global experience: Semester Abroad – Florence, Italy (Spring 2016); International Public Health Topics, United Kingdom (March 2015); Fresh water resource project in Nicaragua (July 2012)
  - Winterization to help local community of elderly and disabled to prepare for winter (2013)
  - Red Dress Gala for women's heart health (managed finances, overall fundraised \$35k annually) (2013-2017)
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