JENNIFER A

GEOGRAPHY: Southern California

INDUSTRY: Health/Medicine, Public Health, Scientific Research/Development

EDUCATION

Scripps College, Claremont, CA

Bachelor of Arts in Human Biology, 5/2015

Senior Thesis: *Empacho*: a Gastrointestinal Illness Among Latinos That Is Not Acknowledged by Western Medicine **Gates Millennium Scholar:** Scholarship awarded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation to 1,000 high school seniors who demonstrate outstanding academic and leadership skills.

HEALTHCARE EXPERIENCE

Clinical Care Extender Intern, West Covina, CA, 9/2012 – Present

- Completed 310 service hours at Queen of the Valley Hospital through the COPE Health Solutions Program.
- Volunteered in the following departments: Medical/Surgical Nursing Floor, Physical Therapy, Mother Baby Care Unit, Definitive Observation Unit, Emergency Room, Intensive Care Unit, and Labor and Delivery
- Take patient vital signs, observe clinical procedures, transport patients, feed patients, assist nurses in repositioning patients, place EKG electrodes on patients, clean gurneys and rooms, bathe newborns, prepare welcome kits for new mothers, and take specimens to the laboratory.

Summer Health Program in Costa Rica, San Jose, Costa Rica, Summer 2014

• Gained an understanding of the universal health care program in Costa Rica by taking two health-related courses and interning at a clinic (Clinica Integrada Cooperativa de Tibas).

Minorities in Medicine, Claremont, CA, 11/2013 – Present

• Co-founded a pre-health club that seeks to increase and retain the number of students of color interested in pursuing a career in the health field by creating a supportive environment.

Montclair Clinic, Montclair, CA, 4/2013 – Present

• Spanish translator for medical students at Western University of Health Sciences and resident physicians at Chino Valley Medical Center who serve uninsured and underinsured patients in the Inland Empire and Pomona.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

SACNAS (Society for the Advancement of Chicanos and Native Americans in the Sciences) Claremont Colleges Chapter, *Claremont*, *CA*, 12/2013 – Present

- President of organization on college campus that aims to build community between faculty and students interested in the STEM field.
- Attended SACNAS 2013 and 2014 National Research Conference.

Summer Science Immersion Program (SSIP), Claremont, CA, Summer 2013

• Served as a peer mentor, laboratory research assistant, and residential advisor to 38 incoming first year Scripps, Claremont-McKenna, and Pitzer students for a one-week science orientation program.

SCIENCE RELATED EXPERIENCE

Scripps College Academy Intern, Claremont CA, 9/2011 – Present

- Tutored middle and high school students in Math and Science once a week.
- Lead monthly college presentation to 30-60 middle school female students at Serrano Middle School and Walnut Grove Intermediate Middle School as a College Club Presenter.
- Organized a college campus visit to Scripps College for the College Club middle school students
- Assisted the Assistant Director in planning the Math and Science Scholars Final Day Presentation.

CERTIFICATION AND SKILLS

Certifications: First Aid /CPR/AED certification by the American Heart Association, Healthcare Provider certification by the American Heart Association.

Language Proficiency: Advanced conversational and written Spanish

Computer: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, PC and Mac proficient, social media management