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EDUCATION

Phillips Academy, Andover, MA

June 2022

GPA: 3.92/4

Prep for Prep, New York, NY

June 2017 - Present

A highly selective leadership development program that incorporates a rigorous 14-month academic component to prepare students for placement in leading independent schools and continues to work closely with the students through high school graduation and beyond

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Phillips Academy, Andover, MA

September 2021 - Present

Dormitory Prefect

- Create a fun, inclusive environment in my dorm to welcome all my peers
- Communicate frequently with faculty and underclassmen to ensure the well-being of all dorm residents
- Assist underclassmen in their day-to-day activities and studying habits

Rockefeller University, New York, NY

July 2021 - September 2021

Vosshall Lab Intern

- Worked extensively with mosquitoes
- Sorted animals by sex for future experiments
- Dissected hundreds of antennae from female mosquitoes for single-cell RNA sequencing
- Designed an experiment to find drugs that inhibit the animals' feeding cycles
- Assisted day-to-day lab operations, i.e., picked up packages and built mosquito cages

Tempus Salvis, New York, NY

August 2020 - Present

Fullstack Developer/Founder

- Created a web application designed to mitigate procrastination for students of all ages, through my expertise of Javascript and web design
- Presented and demoed project to over 100 people at a competition in which I won 3rd place

Smart Andover, Andover, MA

September 2019 - Present

Co-President

- Received a \$10,000 school grant to advance the club's initiatives
- Launched a campaign to combat improper film plastic recycling throughout campus
- Oversee the development of a school-wide app designed to reward students for sustainable acts
- Recruit new members who are aligned with the club's mission through club rallies and social media

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Phillips Academy, Andover, MA

- Muslim Student Association, *Member*
- SHED Afterschool, *Student Volunteer*
- Merrimack Valley YMCA, *Food Packager*
- Alzheimer's Awareness, *Board Member*

SKILLS

Languages: Bengali (Fluent), Spanish (Conversational)

Technical: Microsoft Excel (Advanced), HTML/CSS (Advanced), Java (Beginner), Javascript (Intermediate), Python (Intermediate)