AUM MHAPANKAR

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin

Bachelor of Sciences and Arts, Biology, BSA Honors

Health Science Scholars Honors Program

Business Healthcare Certificate Health Professions Certificate

Overall GPA: 3.9022

EXPERIENCE

MD Anderson – Clinical Research Finance Intern; Houston, TX

Summer 2019

Fall 2016 - Spring 2020

- Worked with the Clinical Research Finance team to help ensure that clinical research at MD Anderson was funded accurately and allocated institutional funds to specific departmental research projects
- Generated monthly and fiscal year financial reports to track productivity, attended Clinical Research Advisory Committee
 meetings to observe research presentations and approvals, engaged in healthcare policy from CMS proposed rulings and
 helped find areas where MD Anderson needed institutional and stockholder input, created summary reports

Dallas Cardiovascular Center – *Medical Scribe*; Dallas, TX

Summer 2017 – Fall 2018

- Navigated electronic medical records to access prior notes, formulated concise patient histories, documented physical exams, and captured treatment plans
- Partnered with a cardiologist to help enhance patient experience

The Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders – Medical Scribe; Fort Worth, TX

Summer 2017

- Gathered and transcribed patients' medical information and increased expertise in clinical documentation
- Worked with an oncologist/hematologist to help deliver efficient, high quality patient care

Wentwood Community Center – Pool Manager and Lifeguard; Southlake, TX

Summer 2017

- Managed other lifeguards and ensured that the pool functioned properly by overseeing water quality and chemical levels
- Monitored pool facility and established patron safety in an outdoor setting

Texas Harris Methodist Hospital - Shadowing Intern; Fort Worth, TX

Summer 2017

- Administered mini-exams to patients to assess mental state
- Shadowed a neurologist and examined the functionality of neurological medical equipment

Parkland Hospital at UT Southwestern - Shadowing Intern; Dallas, TX

Summer 2017

Observed physical medicine and rehabilitation physician in the hospital and in clinic

The REC – Lifeguard; Grapevine, TX

Fall 2015 – Summer 2016

Guarded recreational pool patrons in an indoor setting

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Epidermal Cell Fates Research Lab – Research Assistant, Paid Mentor

Spring 2017 – Fall 2019

- Mentored incoming students by guiding them through experiment protocols and counseling them on research projects
- Restructured Arabidopsis thaliana genome using CRISPR/Cas9 enzyme to edit the PLC7 gene and analyzed new phenotype
 Phelps Lab Research at UT Austin Research Assistant
 Spring 2019 Fall 2019

Analyzed Microtus ochrogaster (prarie vole) DNA to determine whether vole sexual fidelity behavior is genetically based
 Research on Genetic Basis of Roundworm Social Behavior

Spring 2019

Explored and analyzed social behavior of C. elegans strains with natural variants of genes associated with autism

Temple Community Clinic Consulting Project

Spring 2019

Collaborated with clinic to develop surveys for chronic illness, mental health, volunteers, and new and existing patients

Freshman Research Initiative at UT Austin – Undergraduate Researcher

Fall 2016 – Fall 2017

• Studied the build-up of drug resistance in *Pseudomonas fluorescens* and its application on the effectiveness of antibiotics

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

St. David's Medical Center at Austin - Department Lead and Volunteer

Spring 2018 – Fall 2019

- Trained incoming Main Information Desk Volunteers as the Lead of that department
- Assisted visitors, patients, and employees with information, directions, and facility locations
- Organized Orthopedic Rehab and ICU floors to make the facility more accessible for nurses and patients

Global Medical Training – Summer 2018 Peru Trip Leader

Spring 2017 - Fall 2019

- Managed group of 30 students and worked under physician supervision to treat over 800 patients and created Trip Video
- Worked to meet local humanitarian and community needs through volunteering at food drives and Austin Marathon

Health Science Scholars Honors Program – *Ambassador*

Spring 2017 – Fall 2019

- Guided younger students in the program through adjusting to college, selecting courses, and studying for classes
- Helped children investigate science in the Explore UT Organ Exhibit and assisted the set-up of CNS Honors Symposium

Micah 6 Food Pantry – Volunteer

Fall 2018 - Fall 2019

Stocked food on shelves and aided the homeless population in selecting nutritious food and navigating the pantry
 Operation Kindness – Volunteer

Spring 2019 – Fall 2019

Fostered newborn puppies and kittens until they were ready for surgery and adoption

Phi Chi Theta Business Fraternity – *Member*

Fall 2018 – Spring 2019

- Forged a network of students and peers centered on the foundation of business, professionalism, and philanthropy
- Interacted with children of homeless mothers at SLH Starkids, and planted organic crops at the UT Microfarm

Learning Assistant for Introduction to Chemistry

Spring 2018 – Fall 2018

- Facilitated the exploration of various concepts of chemistry and helped foster chemistry students' problem solving skills
- Developed my skills in facilitating discussion, questioning techniques, leading my peers, and helping others learn

Alpha Epsilon Delta (AED) Pre-Health Honor Society – Activity Coordinator, Mentor

Fall 2017 - Fall 2018

- Coordinated and produced large events such as Banquet, Retreat, Campout, Barge, and Field Day
- Volunteered at food banks and events around Austin, such as Micah 6, SURE Walk, hurricane food drives, and Formula 1

Texas Business Healthcare Association – *Member*

Fall 2018 – Spring 2019

Interacted with and explored the managerial, financial, legal, and consulting aspects of the healthcare industry

Texas THON – Fundraising Team Member

Fall 2016 – Spring 2018

Raised funds and awareness for the Children's Miracle Network at Dell Children's Medical Center

UT Intramural Basketball – Team Captain

National Merit Finalist

*Authorized to work in the United States of America

National AP Scholar

Spring 2017 – Spring 2018

Flags for Heroes – Co-Founder, President, Area Coordinator

Fall 2014 – Summer 2017

 Co-founded organization to honor veterans' sacrifices by planting flags on veteran holidays, raised over \$500 for organizations that provide aid to wounded veterans

Students Making Impacts Through Love & Empathy (S.M.I.L.E.) – Volunteering Member

Fall 2016 - Fall 2017

Summer 2016

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Volunteered with children throughout the Austin area at locations such as Dell Children's Medical Center

HONORS

College Scholar Honors (2 years)
 Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
 University Honors (6 semesters)
 Ralph A. Steiner, M.D. College of Natural Sciences Scholarship
 Baylor Regional Medical Center at Grapevine Scholarship
 Carroll Medical Academy Scholarship
 Fall 2016
 Fall 2016
 Fall 2016

<u>SKILLS:</u> Excel, Word, RStudio, Sony Vegas Pro, Java, Python, Microsoft Office, Leadership, Project Management, Teamwork <u>INTERESTS:</u> Basketball, Rock Climbing, Photography, Guitar, Film, Travel, International Cuisine, Tennis, Fitness, Healthcare