# Paige Heimark

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**Education**: Penn State University, Schreyer Honors College Paterno Fellow.

Graduate Fall, 2013. Major: History, Sculpture

GPA: History 3.85 Art 3.83

### **Employment**

• Duck Duck Go. Dec. 2011- Aug. 2012. Paoli, PA. Startup search engine.

- Responded to customer questions and oversaw distribution of promotional merchandise
- Participated in meetings and led presentations with potential interested parties
- Day-to-day office administration; miscellaneous accounting/ research tasks

### **Leadership Opportunities**

- Founder and President of "The Leftist Symposium", a socialist discussion and activist group at Penn State
- Vice President of Young Democratic Socialists, Penn State chapter
- Represents the Socialist party in monthly debates led by the Political Science Club
- Penn State representative to United Students Without Sweatshops conference 2010.
- Speaks to Comm 110 (media and democracy) each semester about social activism
- Invited panel speaker hosted by the Communications department about the Occupy movement.
- Co-organizer of Occupy Penn State. Responsibilities included running nightly General Assembly

#### **Grants and Awards**

- 2011, Recipient of Discovery Grant, to research, write, and draw a graphic novel about women in turn-of-the-century Philadelphia
- Member of Phi Alpha Theta, History Honors Society
- 2012, Liberal Arts Enrichment award
- 2012, Stelts and Fillipelli Scholarship
- Dean's list

# **Creative Experience**

- 8 weeks, 2010. painting a State College community mural
- 2009. Collaborative mural at local middle school. Painting/design
- 2012, IES Abroad Granada creative blogger
- 2011, Artwork displayed in Spring Juried Undergraduate Art Exhibit
- 2011, Artwork published in FLY magazine for women

### Additional Experience/Skills

- Speaks Spanish
- Other employment experience: Nannying/babysitting. May 2011- Present
- May-August 2010, intern for Philadelphia Volunteers for the Indigent
- 2012, travel writer for MADbudget, an online travel guide featured in Nat Geo
- Spring 2012. Study abroad Granada, Spain
- Proficient in Microsoft Word, Office, Excel, and Powerpoint