Colton Grainger

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Education

2012–2016 **B.S. Mathematics-Physics**, *The College of Idaho*.

Senior Independent Study

title Applications of Galois Theory: Monodromy Groups and Fuchsian Differential Equations

adviser Dr. Jonny Comes

description I approached solutions to the hypergeometric differential equation with Galois theory.

Experience

2016- Clerk, Dept. of Case Management, YMCA International Services, Houston, TX.

Facilitated Medicaid coverage and financial assistance programs.

Typeset resource guides in English, Spanish and Arabic.

Created database of 50 local, low-cost clinics.

Summer WWOOF Ranch-Hand, Sonnwendhof Biofarm, Möckmühl, Deutschland.

2016 Posted and strung up electric fences.

Planted a sustainable garden.

2015 Course Grader, The College of Idaho, Caldwell, ID.

Reliably graded assignments belonging to one section of General Physics.

2015 **Dishwasher**, *The Griddle*, Meridian, ID.

Kept clean a 100 m² commercial kitchen.

2011–2013 Server/Host, The Griddle, Eagle, ID.

Turned tables at a breakfast restaurant.

Involvement

2016 - Fellow, Texas Episcopal Service Corps, Houston, TX.

Lived in community with other fellows. Connected to metropolitan service projects.

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2014–2016 **Athlete**, *College of Idaho Ski Team*, Caldwell, ID.

Skied Slalom and GS in Idaho, Oregon, Washington and Montana.

Summers Counselor, Gem Boys State, Nampa, ID.

2011-2015 Guided high-schoolers through a camp on American Government.

Computing Skills

Programming Python, C++ Markup Lagrange Markup

Algebra SageMath, Mathematica Operating Debian GNU/Linux

Honors

2012–2016 Heritage Scholar (merit award) 2013, 2015 Top Putnam score at C of I