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About me

I am a multidisciplinary researcher, teacher, project assistant, and assistant to the marketing and relationship manager, specializing in crafting tailored strategies to help you achieve your goals efficiently. My skills extend to conducting research, generating warm leads, and nurturing clients to ensure campaign success.

Employment

Assistant to the Marketing and Relationship Manager of SecureDNA Foundation, Kirsten Engel February 18, 2024 - Present

I help generate organic and warm leads, as well as position SecureDNA as a thought leader in synthetic biology.

Project Assistant II (November 6, 2023 - September 30, 2024)

Enhancing the the conservation and breeding program of the Philippine spotted deer, Rusa alfredi using molecular-based approaches for natural resiliency

Silliman University

Hibbard Avenue, Poblacion 5, Dumaguete City 6200

I assist in sampling collection, prepare financial and procurement forms, ensure logistics, create publication materials, and organize meetings.

Data Entry Operator (August 1-31, 2023)

Project SHIPS (Survey of Heatwaves in the Philippine Seas) University of the Philippines Cebu Gorordo Avenue, Lahug, Cebu City 6000

Inventory Coordinator (August 1-31, 2023)

University of the Philippines Alumni Association Cebu Chapter University of the Philippines Cebu Gorordo Avenue, Lahug, Cebu City 6000

STEM Academic Tutor, Freelancing since 2018

Education

Bachelor of Science in Biology (2023)

University of the Philippines Cebu, Cebu City, Philippines Graduated

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Strand Senior High School (2019)

University of Cebu - Banilad, Cebu City, Philippines

Graduated with Honors

Research

Impact of living conditions and human interaction on the behavior of campus cats (*Felis catus*) at the University of the Philippines Cebu

Undergraduate Thesis; Advisor: Dr. Florence C. Evacitas

Reblocking of Students and Reassigning of Advisory: Its Implications on Academic Performance

Capstone Project; Advisor: Sir Geoffrey Gapol Award: Best Research Paper Award (2018)

Generating Electricity from the Internal Organs of Rastrelliger faughni (anduhaw fish), Thunnus albacares (bariles fish), and Sardina pilchardus (tuloy fish)

Junior High School Research

2nd Placer in the Mandaue City Division Science Fair (Physical Science - Individual Category), October 21, 2016

Grants and Scholarships

2023	Conference Grant, Animal Behaviour Collective	£200
2019 - 2023	Department of Science and Technology – Science Education	
	Institute RA 7687 Scholarship	
2012 - 2019	Visayan Electric Company Junior and Senior High School	
	Scholarship	

Oral Research Presentation

2023 **Marco, G**. Impact of living conditions and human interaction on the behavior of campus cats (*Felis catus*) at the University of the Philippines Cebu. 37th International Ethological Conference or Behaviour 2023, Bielefeld University, Germany.

Leadership and Service

2022 - 2023	Chairperson, University of the Philippines Cebu Sciences Federation
2022	Co-founder, University of the Philippines Premedical Society Cebu
2021 - 2022	Inaugural Secretary, Animal Welfare Committee, University of the Philippines
Cebu	
2021 - 2022	College of Science Representative, University of the Philippines Cebu University
	Student Council

Skills:

Proficient in: Microsoft Office Suite, Google Workspace, Canva, BORIS, Megadetector, and R **Specialties:** Behavioral video coding and data analysis