Veronica Hume

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Education

- Massachusetts Institute of Technology (class of 2014)
 - o Candidate for S.B. in Chemical-Biological Engineering, Cumulative GPA: 4.5/5.0
 - o Relevant Coursework: Gen. Chemistry, Intro. Biology, Organic Chemistry I, Intro. to Chemical Engineering, Gen. Biochemistry, Chemical & Biological Engineering Thermodynamics, Fluid Mechanics, Transport Processes, Intro. to Experimental Biology & Communication, Genetics, Engineering Innovation & Design

Leadership

MIT Energy Club

(October 2010-present)

Undergraduate Energy Community

(September 2011-present)

- Organize & publicize events as a member of the Undergraduate Executive Team, Secretary (September 2011-March 2012), Vice President (March 2012-present)
- Lead organizer for fall Energy Internship panel, IAP Energy Showcase & spring Energy Majors Study Break (2011-2012)
- Co-led Fall 2012 Undergraduate Energy Kick-off
- MIT Energy Conference- Friday Night Energy Showcase

(October 2011-March 2012)

- O Coordinate logistics as a member of the logistics sub-team for the Friday Night Showcase event, which typically has 1500 attendees & over 100 presenters
- MIT Clean Energy Prize- Marketing Team

(October 2011-present)

- Market the MIT CEP competition through outreach campaigns & various forms of media to encourage participation & garner public interest
- Gordon-MIT Engineering Leadership Program

(September 2012-present)

o Participating in a year-long program to develop leadership, project management, teamwork & communication skills through classes in engineering innovation design & leadership and the completion of an engineering practice requirement

Experience

• Sun Edison Marketing Development & Strategy Intern

(June 2012- August 2012)

- o Analyzed different customer types & utility tariffs in Californian utilities to create a high-level list of potential customers for the sales team to target
- o Collaborated with an engineer to create a data quality improvement tool in Python
- o Used Visual Basic to create an early-stage version of a program that will automatically classify different types of properties in a large database
- o Presented project findings to the sales and marketing teams
- Undergraduate Researcher in the Langer Lab

(November 2011-May 2012)

- o Assist a postdoctoral fellow on two projects- antibacterial surface coating of implants to prevent infections & skin tissue engineering to treat skin defects
- SVForum Tech Girls Internship

(June 2009-March 2011)

- o Designed & maintained <u>www.girlsfortech.org</u> with a co-intern using Open Source tools
- o Interviewed & wrote articles about C-level panelists at Tech Women events & professors
- o Contributed to 2010 SVForum "Tech Titans of Tomorrow" as a panelist
- Mentored three high school interns

(June 2010-March 2011)

• **Other Activities & Societies**: MIT Undergraduate Practice Opportunities Program (October 2011-present), Society of Women Engineers National Member (February 2012-present)

Honors & Awards

• 2010 NCWIT Award for Aspirations in Computing Bay Area

(June 2010)

Skills

- Computers: Microsoft Office, WordPress, HTML/CSS, Photoshop, MATLAB, Visual Basic, basic Python
- Laboratory: pipetting, cell culture