JEONG YEON KIM

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin

Bachelor of Science and Arts in Biology, Honors

Business of Healthcare Certificate

GPA: 3.93

Health Science Scholar

EXPERIENCE

Freshman Research Initiative (FRI): Functional Genomics – Peer Mentor; Austin, TX

Aug 2018 - Present

May 2021

- Taught new FRI students essential lab techniques and protocols
- Supervised students in lab experiments and aided in project development

Varsity Tutors – *SAT/ACT Tutor; Austin, TX*

Jan 2019 - Present

Tutored students in SAT and ACT

Peer-Led Undergraduate Studying (PLUS) Facilitator – Discussion Leader; Austin, TX

Jan 2019 – May 2019

- Led students in weekly discussions over the learning material in Biochemistry course
- Discussed learning material weekly with professor and other peer coordinators

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Freshman Research Initiative (FRI): Functional Genomics – Undergraduate Researcher; Austin, TX

Spring 2018 – Present

- Utilized molecular biology techniques such as CRISPR/Cas9 and recombinant DNA technology to genetically modify yeast
- Humanized yeast cells (S. cerevisiae) by systematically replacing the Swr1 yeast gene with the EP400 human histone variant gene
- Determined the functional viability of the human EP400 gene as a substitute to the Swr1 yeast gene via phenotypic screening

Freshman Research Initiative (FRI): Summer Research Fellowship – Summer Fellow; Austin, TX

Summer 2018

- Continued independent research project from the Functional Genomics Stream
- Transformed yeast by replacing yeast histone genes with their corresponding human histone variants

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

Texas Pre-Dental Society – *Member and Volunteer; Austin,* TX

Fall 2017 – Present

- Professional pre-dental student organization that prepares students for dental school
- Attended presentations from speakers in the dental field, including Dean of Admissions of dental schools, local Austin dentists, and dental volunteering advocates
- Volunteered for various opportunities in the local community offered by Texas Pre-Dental Society

Texas Missions of Mercy (TMOM) – *Volunteer; Austin, TX*

Summer 2018

- Provided dental care to the uninsured population of Austin to serve their needs
- Assisted dentists in makeshift dental clinic and interacted with patients

Texas Healthy Habits – *Treasurer; Austin, TX*

Spring 2018 - Present

- Presented to elementary and preschool children in the Austin area about public health and dental health
- Informed students about healthy living habits

Global Medical Missions Alliance – *Member and Volunteer; Austin, TX*

Fall 2017 - Spring 2019

- Attended a medical mission trip to Zaragoza, Mexico and provided free medical and dental care
- Assisted dentist in the dental clinic and served the needs of the patient

Shadowed Dentists

Spring 2018 – Present

- Dr. R. Shad Hattaway, DDS 29 hrs
- Dr. Jae Yoon, DDS 17 hrs

- Dr. Jim Tyree, DDS 14 hrs
- Dr. Christina Walker, DDS -

Micah 6 Food Pantry – Volunteer; Austin, TX

Fall 2017 - Present

• Distributed food and groceries to the homeless and impoverished population of Austin

Sandy Lake Rehabilitation and Care Center – Volunteer; Coppell, TX

Summer 2017

- Assisted and interacted with the elderly patients receiving end-of-life care in the nursing home
- Coordinated weekly events with the event planner

HONORS

Health Science Scholar
University Honors
CNS Academic Scholarship
Fall 2017 – Spring 2019
Fall 2017 – Spring 2018

• National AP Scholar

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Computer Skills: R Studio, Python, MS Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Canva

Languages: Fluent in Korean

Work Eligibility: Eligible to work in the U.S. with no restrictions