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EDUCATION

Colgate University <i>Bachelor of Arts, Major in Computer Science, Minor in Art and Art History</i> Dean's Award with Distinction	Hamilton, NY May 2021 Fall 2017
Randolph High School Graduated with Honors in Top Decile	Randolph, NJ June 2017

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Colgate University, Pen Pals <i>Co-President</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Founded a club with purpose of mentoring, fostering relationships and connecting with young children at Sherburne Elementary School in Hamilton, NY and Colegio Calasanz PP Escolapios, a high school in EcuadorOrganize an exchange program of writing letters by teaming up with a studentCollaborate with both elementary school administrators to plan for a proposed budget for Budget Allocation Committee fundingCurrent organization exceeds 50+ members	Hamilton, NY February 2018 – Present
International Volunteer HQ <i>Volunteer</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">IVHQ was established in 2007 to help volunteers to connect with children abroad and heighten global awarenessEstablished a strong bond with elementary school students teaching daily lessons in English, science, math, and historyDeveloped lesson plans and utilized interactive teaching methods to inspire student learning through arts and crafts and musicRaised money and purchased school supplies for each student at Eliray Rose Day Care, a Zambian under-resourced school	Livingstone, Zambia June 2018 – July 2018
Adopt-a-Classroom <i>Volunteer</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Mentor students at Sherburn Elementary School to promote healthy lifestyle choices and encourage the importance of academics	Hamilton, NY September 2017 – Present
Community Soup Kitchen <i>Volunteer</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Organized and distributed free groceries to local citizens in need of healthy food optionsServed hot meals at soup kitchen on a monthly basis to those in need	Morristown, NJ February 2014 – June 2017

ACTIVITIES

Colgate University, NCAA Division I Varsity Track & Field Team <i>Sprinter/Jumper</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Train 30 hours per week year-round to improve strength and agility while balancing a full academic course load	Hamilton, NY September 2017 – Present
Piano/Guitar <i>Musician</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Competed at Carnegie Hall and received outstanding medals for five consecutive years	Randolph, NJ 2003 – Present
Randolph High School Varsity Track Captain <i>Sprinter/Jumper</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Led the Girls Winter and Spring Track teams to excellence. Team enjoyed a successful NJSIAA championship seasonFacilitated warm ups, created workouts regimens to support the team through inclusivity and camaraderie	Randolph, NJ September 2016 – June 2017

WORK EXPERIENCE

Party City <i>Cashier/ Sales Assistant</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Provided customer service, maintained inventory and worked cashier when needed	Randolph, NJ Fall 2017
Harbor Hills Day Camp <i>Counselor</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Responsible for managing 15 first-grade girls at an all-day summer camp through their planned activitiesAssessed and created weekly reports for each child and their experiences	Mendham, NJ Summer 2016

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- Computer Skills: Proficient in Python, Java, HTML, CSS, Photoshop, Microsoft Office, Social Media
- Interests: Photography, Drawing, Running, Music