

Medha Nair

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Daily Tar Heel, Chapel Hill, NC

Journalist for Lifestyle desk | September 2024 – Present

- Reporting and writing about events, people, and art honestly and ethically.
- Collaborated with editors and communicated with sources.
- Interviewed and connected with many members in the community.

Texas Steakhouse and Saloon, Morrisville, NC

Server | May 2023 – September 2023

- Marketed new menu items to customers and offering excellent customer service.
- Helped train new servers and kept a positive attitude.
- Relayed information effectively to kitchen staff and bar staff and delivered food to in a timely manner.
- Always encouraged customers to come back and had regulars returning to visit.

Brecotea, Cary, NC

Barista | February 2022 – August 2022 , February 2024 – August 2024

- Opened and closed café, ensuring stock availability and preparing beverages according to standards.
- Provided excellent customer service and maintained positive customer relationships.
- Helped train new employees.

Dunkin' Donuts & Baskin Robbins, Cary, NC

Cashier/Barista | May 2021 – August 2021

- Prepared drinks and food items, served customers, and maintained high sanitization standards.
- Assisted customers with ice cream selections and ensured adequate supplies were available.
- Achieved customer happiness goals through post-visit surveys.
- Demonstrated high morale and teamwork with shift leaders and team members.

SKILLS

Communication
Leadership
Organization

Creative Writing
Public Speaking
Memorization

LANGUAGES

English
Malayalam
Intermediate Spanish
Basic Hindi

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Speech and Debate Instructor for EXPLORE Summer Online Program - Taught essential speech and debate skills to 23 middle school students.

- Developed students' communication abilities through interactive lessons.
- Planned and conducted lessons twice a week for a period of 5 weeks.
- Helped raise \$1,300 for underprivileged students.

French Instructor for EXPLORE Summer Online Program

- Collaborated with a co-instructor to design lessons for 15 students in a 6week non-profit summer program.
- Actively engaged students in live sessions, focusing on pronunciation and answering questions.
- Contributed to raising \$1,700 in donations for hospitals fighting against COVID-19.

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Bachelor of Arts in Media and Journalism; Anticipated 2026

Macaulay Honors College at Baruch

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism; GPA: 3.94 (Studied 1 year)

Green Level High School, Cary, NC

Graduated 2026

