

REILLY BLAKESLEE

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin	Master of Arts, Economics <i>Overall GPA: 3.61</i>	Expected May 2023
Colorado State University	Bachelor of Arts, Economics Bachelor of Science, Statistics Minor: Mathematics Minor: Global Environmental Sustainability Colorado State University Honors Program <i>Overall GPA: 3.88</i>	May 2022

EXPERIENCE

Colorado State University – <i>Economic Research Intern</i> ; Fort Collins, CO	September 2021 - May 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Performed review of multiple sources of existing literature to determine economic factors affecting mangrove loss• Collected and wrangled various data	
Standish Management – <i>Venture Capital and Private Equity Management Intern</i> ; Denver, CO <i>Private Equity Fund Administration Service</i>	Summer 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developed analytical and organizational skills by managing capital for high net-worth clients• Gained experience and understanding of how the private equity industry operates	
Colorado State University – <i>Tutor</i> ; Fort Collins, CO	September 2020 - May 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mentored student athletes in advanced mathematics, economics, and statistics courses• Tutored 2-4 students weekly	

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Undergraduate Statistics Capstone	Fall 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Completed a comparison of different types of predictive analysis, using IMDB rating of season 1 to predict the season 2 rating• Developed basic data scraping skills• Utilized various types of predictive analysis, including basic regression, random forests, and XGBoost	
Undergraduate Honors Thesis	Spring 2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Performed econometric analysis regarding the effect of emerging renewable energies on market prices and overall use of fossil fuels• Interpreted results in terms of the overall current viability of renewable energy	

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

Women in Economics at Colorado State University – <i>Founding Member</i>	Spring 2021 – Spring 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Founded the CSU chapter of Women in Economics• Planned various opportunities for female-identifying students such as panel discussions and networking events	
Student Fee Review Board – <i>Student Representative</i>	Fall 2021 – Spring 2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oversaw the allocation of over \$68 million in student fees to multiple fee-funded areas across Colorado State University• Worked with various program directors to maximize the efficient allocation of student fees	

HONORS

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cum Laude Distinction at Graduation	Spring 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dean's List	Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2021, Spring 2021, Spring 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Colorado State University Economics Alumni Scholar	

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Computer Skills: R, LaTeX, MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.

Interests: Backpacking, Climbing, Travel, Soccer, Roundnet