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EDUCATION University of Wisconsin-Madison Madison, WI

Bachelor of Science, May 20xx

Major: Economics, Certificate: Environmental Studies

GPA: 3.89/4.00

HONORS Dean's List: 4 semesters

Mary Claire Phipps Scholarship

EXPERIENCE Wisconsin Center for Education Research (WCER)

Junior Economist (January 20xx – Present)

Student Hourly (September 20xx – January 20xx)

- Investigate sustainability of Teacher Incentive Fund (TIF) Merit Pay Programs after expiration of grant
- Co-write brief and presentation given by WCER Director at annual TIF Conference in Washington, D.C.
- Interview 100+ teachers in Chicago and Milwaukee public schools to audit student-teacher linkage data
- Collaborate with PhD economists to develop value-added models
- Co-write and prepare data analysis and graphics for value-added model technical reports

Best Buy

Sales Associate (September 20xx – Present)

Madison, WI

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- Utilize extensive knowledge of products and services to assist customers in product selection to best fit their needs
- Manage team of five associates and promote a collaborative environment resulting in a successful team that consistently surpasses monthly sales goals
- Resolve customer issues in a prompt manner and proactively work to prevent future issues

Greater University Tutoring Services (GUTS), UW-Madison

Academic Tutor (September 20xx – May 20xx)

Madison, WI

- Explained complex economics concepts to 12 students in a clear manner
- Devised time management plans for students to improve their study habits and provide a weekly goal to attain
- Successfully aided 8 students in improving course performance

ACTIVITIES Student Foundation, UW-Madison

Founder (December 20xx – Present)

Madison, WI

- Promote culture of giving for a campus of 43,000+ students by showcasing past gifts of senior class and how gifts have helped current students
- Established the We Are Wisconsin scholarship and met fundraising goal of \$2,012 for 12 student scholarships two months ahead of schedule
- Provide feedback to various campus constituents on ways to improve student experience with the goal of increasing donations in the future
- Utilize social media to promote events and "Why I Give" features resulting in a significant increase in followers and engagement with students and alumni
- Plan monthly outreach events held at high-traffic campus areas to increase engagement