# CHRISTINA WIREMU-BROOK

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#### **EDUCATION**

## Schwarzman College, Tsinghua University

Beijing, China • 8/2022 – 2023 (Expected)

Master of Science in Management in
Global Affairs (Emerging Tech focus)

#### **Middlebury College**

Middlebury, VT USA • 8/2014 – 12/2018

Bachelor of Arts: International
Politics & Economics, Minors:
Anthropology, Privilege & Poverty
GPA: 3.55 (Honours: Cum Laude)

### Middlebury Institute of International Studies • Monterey, CA USA

9/2018 – 12/2018 • **Study-Away:**Master of Public Policy & Business
Administration
7/2016 – 8/2016 • **Graduate** 

**Certificate:** Peacebuilding & Conflict Resolution

### Semester at Sea, University of

**Colorado** • 9/2017 – 12/2017

**Study-Away**: Intercultural education across Germany, Spain, Ghana, South Africa, India, Myanmar, Vietnam, Japan, and China

### Goldman School of Public Policy, University of California, Berkeley

Berkeley, CA USA • 7/2017 – 8/2017
Fellow: Public Policy Analysis and
Law

### Keble College, University of Oxford

Oxford, UK • 8/2016 - 12/2016

**Study-Away**: Political Philosophy, Economic Governance, French

### **United World College Lester B. Pearson** *Metchosin, BC Canada* • 8/2012 – 5/2014

High School Diploma: IB Diploma

#### **PROFILE**

Passionate about finding innovative ways to use emerging tech to alleviate disadvantage. Leveraging experiences consulting senior stakeholders, managing projects, and conducting complex advanced analytics, to bridge the knowledge gap between strategic thinking and data analytics. I hope to transform how the data pipeline serves vulnerable populations to bring about systematic change in public services that equitably serves all communities.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Nous Group | Manager/Senior Data Scientist – Public Policy

Sydney, Australia • 01/2019 - 08/2022

- Conducted complex data analyses with statistical analysis tools to evaluate systems, policies, and programs, and develop strategies for a range of organisations
- Collaborated with teams on projects relevant to social welfare, Aboriginal rights, health, and education
- Facilitated workshops and engaged stakeholders to inform policy recommendations
- Founded and Directed "Women in Data at Nous," supporting professional development for more than 40 colleagues in advanced analytics through workshops, learning sessions, and weekly mentoring

# Middlebury Digital Learning Inquiry, Midd DLINQ | Business Strategy Consultant

Middlebury, VT & Monterey, CA USA • 06/2018 - 01/2019

- Researched and conducted market benchmarking analysis to inform new business strategy to enter the online education market
- Established a business plan for digital/hybrid learning platform
- Engaged with executives and key stakeholders across network of 18 colleges

# **Xinhua News Agency Journalist Program, Middlebury Institute for International Studies | Teaching Assistant** *Monterey, CA USA* • 09/2018 - 12/2018

- Lectured and tutored advanced Xinhua Agency journalists on Trade Law Economics, focussed on China-US relations
- Developed one-hour tutorials and lesson plans on economics concepts and reviewed student assignments

# Maui & The Movement | Founder & Managing Director North Island, New Zealand • 01/2016 - 01/2018

 Founded a non-profit organization; developed and implemented a Māori educational curriculum in high schools to encourage increased school engagement and connection to traditional knowledge

#### **SKILLS**

- Policy development and analysis
- Public speaking and facilitation
- Project planning and management
- Stakeholder engagement
- Interviews with vulnerable groups
- Complex statistical analysis and data visualisation (R, C++, HTML, STATA, SQL, Advanced Excel, Power BI)
- Languages: English, Māori (Intermediate), French (Beginner)

#### **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- Guest Lecturer | 2017; 2018 |
   Presented lectures on Indigenous
   Knowledge at Saint Joseph's College
   and Colorado State University
- United Nations Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues | 2016; 2017 | Represented New Zealand Māori at UN forum, collaborating with other indigenous representatives on policy changes for indigenous rights
- Public Policy & International Affairs and Law Fellow | 2017 | Awarded funding to complete fellowship and tuition scholarship for graduate MPP program
- Projects for Peace Grant Recipient
   | 2016 | 1 of 2 projects awarded
   \$10,000 to support the development of 'Maui & the Movement'
- Shepherd Privilege & Poverty Internship | 2016 | 1 of 5 students awarded the Shepherd foundation \$6,000 internship fund
- College Scholar & Dean's List, Middlebury College | 2014-2018 | College Scholar Fall '16 and '18, Spring '17 and '18
   Dean's List Fall '14, Spring '16
- Shelby Davis Undergraduate
   Scholarship | 2014 | Awarded
   \$430,000 full university scholarship
- TEDx | 2014 | Nominated for talk titled "What is Progress?: the Untouched Perspective" broadcasted to millions as part of the organization, "TEDx"
- NZ UWC High School Scholarship | 2012 | Awarded 1 of 3 \$80,000 high school scholarships

- Authored proposal to secure \$10,000 grant
- Created the business model, policies, and procedures
- Engaged stakeholders, partners, and advisors
- Collaborated with the UNPFII, and other organizations

### **Community Engagement, Middlebury College | Intern** *Middlebury, VT USA* • *08/2015 - 05/2018*

- Assisted staff with event planning, data input, research, and logistical support using InDesign and Illustrator
- Managed partnerships and coordinated with community organizations to enable student opportunities

#### **VOLUNTEERING & LEADERSHIP**

ID Know Yourself | Volunteer Strategy Lead Sydney, Australia • 01/2020 - Present

 Developed strategy and ongoing monitoring tools to evaluate outcomes of mentoring program for Aboriginal children in out of home care

### Middlebury College Student Body Representative | Co-Chair of the Community Council Middlebury, VT USA • 04/2017 – 05/2018

- Elected to represent student body in administrative proceedings, and lead council to enact changes
- Organized projects, managed \$1mil annual budget, and coordinated discourse across various departments

**Evolution Dance Crew** | President; Former Treasurer *Middlebury*, *VT USA* • 08/2015 – 05/2018

 Organized rehearsals, managed \$2,000 budget, conducted performances, and coordinated 30 members

# **Residential Life Review Committee** | Student Rep *Middlebury*, *VT USA* • 08/2015 – 05/2018

- Represented the student body in administrative decisions pertaining to residential life, including interviewing applicants, planning, and implementing residential life programs
- Lead movement and steering committee for full review of residential life, the first since 1990

#### **PROJECTS**

- Evaluated outcomes of pro-social initiatives to improve school engagement for Pasifika and African young people
- Conducted a cost-benefit analysis and developed a business case for a state-wide social housing policy
- Project managed a three-year evaluation of the BreastScreen Australia national program expansion
- Evaluated the impact of an integrated state-wide health system response to violence, abuse, and neglect