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EDUCATION

University of Missouri

Columbia, MO

Bachelor of Science in Biology | Minor in Psychology | Anticipated Graduation: May 2025

- Current Status: Sophomore
- Relevant Coursework: Genetics, Psychology, General Biology 1, Chem I&II, Calculus
- Research: Under Dr. Lei Lei working with mice ovaries with an interest in ovarian cancer

WORK EXPERIENCE

Biology Office Assistant 2021-2022

Saint Louis University · Saint Louis, MO

- Assisted students and faculty with completing registration and enrollment forms, including maintaining updated confidential student data forms and other paperwork on a regular basis.
- Assisted the program coordinator with developing and implementing programs to recruit and retain underrepresented and First-Generation students within the biology department.

Retail Associate 2018-2021

Ted Drewes Frozen Custard · Saint Louis, MO

- Worked collaboratively with the owner of the gift shop to help understand which items customers most often looked for to increase sales 11% quarter over quarter.
- Pursued resolutions to achieve complete customer satisfaction, including tracking down hard-to-find merchandise at diverse locations.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE & ACTIVITIES

Treasurer:

University of Missouri-Columbia

• Oversees club finances, collects dues, and ensures that adequate budget and financial controls are maintained for Published With Intent accounts. Collects donations, fundraising planning, and budgeting.

Program Chair

University of Missouri-Columbia

• Plans and organizes community service and events, may create ad hoc committees for the planning and execution of events, serves as the primary source for event information.

Student Council President

Rosati-Kain High School · Saint Louis, MO

• Facilitated, supported, and coordinated all activities of the student council.

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- Developed, promoted, and conducted a variety of extra curricular programs for students
- Established and maintained conducive environment for student learning, in an efficient manner

PRESENTATIONS

Moderator: Medical Mistrust in the Black Community with SNMA Region II, Virtual

• Held informative discussion to Region II M2/3 students, pre-medical students, and high school students about Henrietta Lacks, Tuskegee Syphilis Study, and medical ethics.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Skills:

- Conversational Spanish
- Ability to handle conflict, and quickly adapt to challenging situations
- Demonstrates reliability and willingness to take on new tasks and responsibilities
- Strong planning and organizational skills

Interests: Crocheting, Study Tik Tok Account, Black Mizzou Store, Reading, Medicine