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EDUCATION

YALE UNIVERSITY

GPA 3.7

New Haven, CT

Class of 2023

B.A. Ethics, Politics, and Economics;

B.A. Psychology;

Certificate in Statistics & Data Science

BURBANK HIGH SCHOOL

Valedictorian; 1/623

Burbank, CA

Class of 2019

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

FAIR HAVEN COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

November 2020 - Present

**English-Spanish Translator for
Monthly Food Distribution Efforts
and COVID Vaccine Rollout**

LA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

May 2014 - Present

Spanish-English Translator, Tutor

STOP SOLITARY CONFINEMENT CONNECTICUT

Social Media Intern

August 2020 - December 2020

Responsible for asset creation, social media maintenance. Created ~30 high impression posts and graphics for the Protect Act to end the inhumane practice of solitary confinement.

RELEVANT SKILLS AND COURSES

Skills

Writing

Website Development

Social Media

Spanish Fluency

Yale Coursework

ER&M 373: Race, Borderlands, and Sexuality

ER&M 223: Race, Politics, and Law

EP&E 216: Classics of Ethics, Politics, and Economics (African-American Perspectives)

GLBL 236: Politics of International Law and Cooperation

WORK

STUDENTS FOR JUSTICE

Political Organizer, Intern

January 2021 - Present

Engage with Rural Electric Cooperatives in Mississippi to empower members of color to have a voice in their community and promote equitable access to electricity. Create networks of volunteers to send postcards and media campaigns to elect new board members.

SILLIMAN COLLEGE, YALE UNIVERSITY

Head of College Events Aide

August 2020 - Present

Execute socially distanced and virtual Silliman dormitory sponsored events.

YALE LAW SCHOOL Lillian Law School Library

Assistant

August 2019 - March 2020

US CONGRESSWOMAN CINDY AXNE (IA-03)

Campaign Fundraising Intern

August 2019 - July 2020

Assist in the coordination and logistics of fundraising events. 100+ hours of phone-banking and speaking to donors and constituents to support Democrat Cindy Axne's ultimately successful reelection.

ARATI KREIBICH FOR CONGRESS (NJ-05)

Campaign Research and Data Intern

March 2020 - July 2020

Assist in acquiring, cleaning, processing, and analyzing data for various campaign related projects. 70+ hours of phone-banking for a progressive Bernie-endorsed campaign focusing on clean energy and racial justice.

KETOPLANTS

Marketing Director, Cofounder

Phuket, Thailand

July 2017 - May 2019

Developed a full-time vertical gardening service that aimed to boost branding for high end hotels in Thailand while addressing current global environmental sustainability concerns and employing Thai farmers. Focused on market research, customer acquisition, financial modeling, and social media marketing.

COMMUNITY

YALE DAILY NEWS

Editorial Board Member, Copy Editor

November 2020 - Present

Represent queer and Latinx student perspectives on the YDN's editorial board. Conduct research, interview parties of interest, and co-author biweekly articles under the editorial board byline.

YALE LGBT CO-OP

**Board Member, First Year Liaison
and Social Events Coordinator**

October 2019 - May 2020

Plan and host weekly dinners, speakers events, and discussion panels to foster inclusivity of LGBTQ+ first years on the board of Yale's umbrella LGBTQ organization.

GOLDMAN SACHS OUT FOR UNDERGRAD BUSINESS

**Campus Ambassador, Program
Participant**

August 2020 - Present

Distribute marketing materials and connecting w/ diversity campus groups to encourage participation in a competitive business program for undergraduate LGBTQ+ students.

BURBANK HIGH MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

2015 - May 2019

**Founder, Family Service Agency
Trained Peer Counselor**

ACEING AUTISM

**Burbank Program Coordinator, Youth
Tennis Instructor**

January 2018 - May 2019

Taught kids with autism how to play tennis. Managed volunteers and worked on expanding the program from 5 to 30 students through Spanish speaking recruitment strategies.

ORGANIZATION INVOLVEMENT

Yale Democrats

Yale Political Union

Yale Undergraduate Legal Aid
Association