

# Chantel Hope

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## EDUCATION

**Barnard College of Columbia University**, New York City, New York

May 2027

*Bachelor of Arts, Environmental Science and English; GPA: 3.7*

**Relevant Coursework:** Climate Change & Law; Chemistry; Physics; Biology; Geology; Humans, Nature, & the Future

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Asian Charity Services**—Research Intern

2024

- Interviewed, synthesized, and presented on the role of NGO funding trends in Hong Kong
- Worked with corporate consultants (PWC) and NGO leaders to build long-term financial models
- Collaborated with corporate volunteers, HK NGO leaders, and family foundation to create a hackathon curriculum for 70 NGO CEOs and organized a symposium
- Created Figma and Canva marketing content and managed social media

**Columbia Daily Spectator**—Deputy

2023 – 2025

- Lead generation for clients, advertisement creation, pitching technical sales proposals to potential clients, negotiating prices and contractual terms, renewing service agreements, and maintaining client relationships for Columbia University's largest newspaper. Heading Donations & Grants Center.

**Thistle Whistle Farms**—Sustainability Intern

June 2023

- Studied sustainable agriculture; assisted water piping, transplanted crops, laying drip tape, cared for animals, recovered greenhouse, assisted with sales, and hosted events for 40+ customers in a remote area

## SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

**Wilderness Orientation Program**, Colorado Rocky Mountain School (CRMS) — Leader

August 2022

- Selected to lead a 10-day backpacking orientation with 11 students alongside two faculty members in the wilderness
- Led trail maintenance and building service projects with the National Forest Service

## COMMUNITY ACTION INITIATIVES

**Walk the Talk**, CRMS — President & Founder

2021 – 2023

- Founded a community-based organization to educate, fundraise, and volunteer for student changemakers
- Fundraised for the Navajo Water Project and the Aspen Indigenous Foundation, Reefsappers Maldives, and Advocate Safehouse (domestic abuse home), Yemen Food Crisis Relief, Total Raised: \$3500
- Organized volunteering with Lift Up (Local Food Bank), and Habitat for Humanity (affordable housing NGO)

**Environmental Club**, CRMS — President

2020 – 2023

- Collaborated with Conservation Colorado to lobby Colorado Representatives at the Colorado State Capitol
- Worked with CRMS board members to eliminate carbon emissions through solar panels and fund divestment
- Held scorecard meetings and kickoff events with State Representatives and organized letter-writing campaigns bi-weekly

**Global Culture Education Initiative**, CRMS — Representative

2021 – 2023

- An international coalition of students from Tanzania, India, and the United States is working together to find connections between our areas' water and food problems and to better solve them within our regions by sharing techniques in conservation, community organizing, and policy work.

**Columbia Policy Institute: Energy and Environment** — Research and Lobbying Lead

2023 – 2025

- Leading coordination with the New York Conservation League of Voters to support student lobbying and environmental policy research and worked on campus divestment strategy and letter to the Attorney General

## SKILLS

Proficient in Java, Excel, Blendr, Powerpoint, CPR Certified, Figma, Canva, Salesforce, Microsoft

