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EDUCATION

Elon University | Elon, NC

May 2024

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology | Minor: Criminal Justice

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

City of Summit Police Department | Summit, NC | *Intern*

Summer 2023

- Assisted police officers in daily operations, including patrolling neighborhoods and conducting traffic stops, contributing to a 10% increase in community engagement and satisfaction
- Participated in specialized training in crisis intervention and de-escalation techniques, enhancing the department's ability to handle sensitive situations and reduce use-of-force incidents by 25%
- Coordinated and facilitated community outreach events, promoting the department's initiatives and strengthening police-community relationships, resulting in a 20% increase in attendance

Burlington Police Department | Burlington, NC | *Crime Analysis Unit Intern*

Fall 2022

- Utilized advanced data analysis tools, such as Excel, and SPSS to process and analyze crime data, leading to the identification of crime patterns and trends that contributed to a decrease in crime rates
- Developed crime mapping visualizations, providing actionable insights to law enforcement officers, and enabling more targeted deployment strategies
- Conducted in-depth research on criminal activities and emerging crime trends, producing monthly crime briefings for department leadership
- Collaborated with law enforcement personnel to create crime prevention materials and presentations for community outreach programs, reaching over 500 residents and increasing awareness of crime prevention techniques

WORK EXPERIENCE

Campus Recreation and Wellness | *SPARKS Peer Educator*

Summer 2022 - Present

- Plan, implement, and evaluate health and wellness programs for students and the community
- Cultivate a welcoming and inclusive environment, fostering authentic relationships with 10 peers
- Facilitate ongoing wellness workshops, presentations, and occasional day/weekend retreats
- Collaborate with individuals, groups, and campus/community organizations to empower students in making informed, value-based decisions

El Centro de Espanol | *Student Assistant*

August 2021 – May 2022

Student Assistant

- Assisted with conversational classes at all levels
- Collaborated with center staff to create 4 out-of-class activities for students with 50% participation rate
- Performed tasks associated with daily operations of the center efficiently and accurately

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

SPACE: Students Promoting Awareness, Change, and Empowerment

Spring 2023-Present

Vice President

- Arrange engaging talks and visits from esteemed professionals in the criminal justice sector, providing valuable insights and networking opportunities for club members
- Support local causes and events, actively participating in initiatives like "Walk a Mile in Her Shoes" and "Paint Alamance Pink"
- Collaborated with club members and university organizations to organize field trips, enhancing learning opportunities and exposure to real-world criminal justice practices

Psychology Club | *Member*

Spring 2022 - Present

SKILLS

Fluent in Spanish (native speaker) and English | Microsoft Excel Certified | SPSS | Mental Health First Aid Training