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EDUCATION

Elon University, *Elon, NC*

May 2024

Bachelor of Arts in Spanish, Concentration: K-12 Education Licensure

GPA: 3.65

- Dean's List: 5 semesters
- Sigma Delta Phi, National Collegiate Spanish Honor Society
- Phi Eta Sigma, Freshman Honor Society

STUDY ABROAD EXPERIENCE

Buenos Aires, Argentina

February 2022 - May 2022

- CIEE Semester-long academic experience and homestay with local host family

San Jose, Costa Rica

January 2021

- Winter Course in Language, Culture and Ecotourism

Shiwa, Japan

June 2020 - August 2020

- Student exchange program; included homestay

LANGUAGE & TECHNICAL SKILLS

Spanish, Fluent; Japanese, Beginner | Microsoft Office (Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook), iMovie

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Student Teacher • *Eastern Guilford High School* • *Gibsonville, NC*

August 2023 - May 2024

- Designed and implemented instruction plans for Spanish level 2, 3, and 4/5 classes
- Evaluated student progress through summative and formative assessments
- Communicated regularly with parents and guardians
- Updated teacher website with student assignments, grades, and additional resources

Cambiando Vidas Intern • *San Juan de la Maguana* • *Dominican Republic*

May 2023 - August 2023

- Taught English to 70 students ranging from ages 8 to 40; planned daily lessons and activities
- Designed and planned a preschool program for the local community
- Constructed affordable houses and led groups of volunteers

Assistant Teacher • *Forsyth Country Day School* • *Winston-Salem, NC*

May 2021 - August 2022

- Collaborated with summer enrichment program supervising teacher on classroom activities for grades 10-12 for two academic years
- Led instruction for one unit in Spanish level 2 class

Tutor • *Alamance-Burlington School* • *Burlington, NC*

August 2020 - May 2021

- Completed 30 hours of tutoring students grades 3-5 in Math and Science

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Student Worker • *Elon African Society* • *Elon, NC*

August 2022 - May 2024

- Facilitated programs to engage students with the history, beauty, and culture of the African diaspora

Student Worker • *Elon Office of the University Advancement* • *Elon, NC*

August 2022 - May 2024

- Assisted in planning for all major university events and council meetings
- Produced PowerPoint presentation for Board of Trustees meeting

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT & VOLUNTEERISM

Habitat for Humanity Volunteer | Baptist Student Union | La Casa de Español Living and Learning Community