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**EDUCATION HUNTER COLLEGE,** New York City, NY Currently Enrolled

MA: Animal Behavior and Conservation

**EMORY UNIVERSITY**, Atlanta, GA 2006-2010

Bachelor of Arts **Major:** Psychology

Cumulative GPA: 3.83/4.00; Dean’s List 6 semesters

**CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK,** Portal, AZ July**,** 2010

Animal Behavior Field Course at Southwestern Research Station

***Related Coursework***: Animal Behavior, Animal Communication,

Primate Social Psychology, Directed Reading in Animal Behavior

**RELATED GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY**,Atlanta, GAFebruary 2011-June 2012

**EXPERIENCE** *Research Assistant*

**•** Video coding and data analysis using Microsoft Excel and SPSS

**•** Conducting weekly behavioral observations on captive capuchin monkeys

**•** Presenting a poster on graduate research at GSU’s Psychology Undergraduate Research Conference

**•** Managing undergraduate research lab

**ZOO ATLANTA,**Atlanta, GASeptember 2010-June 2011

*Program Animals Intern*

• Performed extensive animal husbandry, enrichment design and creation, and enclosure maintenance

• Developed reptile and mammal handling skills

• Provided hands on animal encounters and visitor interpretation

• Created and executed a training plan for a red-footed tortoise

**MONTSHIRE MUSEUM OF SCIENCE,** Norwich, VT Summer 2008

*Exhibit Explainer, Activity Leader, Exhibit Maintenance*

• Presented patrons with facts and information about special exhibits including Leafcutter Ants and Honey Bees

• Maintained exhibits and animal enclosures

• Lead daily interactive workshops with groups of 5-15 children and adults

• Lead exploratory nature field trips for day camp for children ages 5-7

**HANOVER VETERINARY CLINIC,** Hanover, NH June-July 2006, 2007

*Assistant*

• Provided animal care for boarding dogs and cats requiring special medical attention and handling

• Assisted during procedures such as restraining large animals for injections and neonatal care

• Cleaned and maintained clinic to ensure exceptional animal care and satisfaction of customers

• Maintained detailed inventory of incoming shipments

**VOLUNTEER SPECIAL OLYMPICS,** Atlanta, GA 2009-2010

• Provided detailed and modified swim instruction to Special Olympic athletes

• Organized and timed Special Olympic swim competitions

**HAITI RELIEF WITH MEDISHARE,** Atlanta, GA January, 2010

• Repackaged medical supplies to ship to Haiti

**UPPER VALLEY HUMANE SOCIETY,** Enfield, NH Summer 2005

• Certified for small animal and cat care

• Maintained small animal enclosures

**SKILLS** **COMPUTER:** WelfareTrak, SPSS Statistical Analysis, Microsoft Office, Microsoft Excel

**LANGUAGE:** Advanced French, Intermediate Conversational German

**MISC.:** CPR, First aid, and AED Certified, Cat/Dog First Aid and CPR Certified, ACE certified personal trainer, Certified Open Water Diver, Proficient at Drawing and Photography

**LEADERSHIP/** NCAA Post Graduate Scholarship Recipient Awarded May 2010

**HONORS** Team Captain, Emory University Women’s Varsity Swimming and Diving May 2009- 2010

Emory Scholars (scholarship given to outstanding incoming freshman) Sept 2006-May 2010

Academic All-American (15 Time NCAA Div III All American 2008, 2009, 2010

NCAA Division III National Champion

(200yd Freestyle Relay, 400 yd Freestyle Relay, Team Champion) March 2009,2010

ESPN Magazine Academic All America First Team June 2010

ESPN Magazine Academic All America Third Team June 2009

National Society of Collegiate Scholars Feb 2007