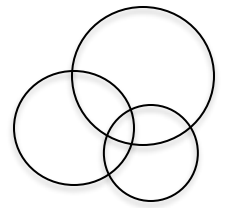


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Education

Louisiana State University
Bachelor of Science in Plant and Soil Systems
Minor in History
Current GPA: 4.03

Baton Rouge, LA

expected December 2018

Work Experience

Research Assistant LSU AgCenter, Baton Rouge, LA August 2015- Present

Sweet Potato Breeding

Assist in the LSU's sweet potato breeding program. Tasks include nursery installment, plant maintenance, seed collection, field test-plot planting, harvesting, and cultivar evaluation.

Horticulture Assistant

Assist horticultural researchers in completing tasks related to current projects including vegetable cultivar trials, herbicide efficacy trials, plant identification guides for state 4-H competitions, managing the operation of LSU's Hill Farm greenhouse, and other projects related to community gardening. Tasks performed include data collection, planting, harvesting, pesticide application, irrigation, and the use of MS PowerPoint and Excel.

Resident Assistant LSU Residential Life, Baton Rouge, LA July 2016- Present

Conduct floor meetings and formulate community standards necessary to the establishment of an environment characterized by involvement, mutual respect, and academic success. Show flexibility and adaptability in the performance of duties in order to respond to changing needs, situations, and personalities of students. Develop positive, appropriate interpersonal relationships with each student resident. Recognize and respond promptly to individual crises, emergencies, and discipline matters with promptness, dependability, and in a manner that shows care and consideration for individual needs and differences. Serve as an information referral resource; advise and support residents as needed.

Community Council Liaison

Serve as a mentor in a resident organization aimed at community building, engagement, and improvement. Link between students and executive staff to bring proposals into fruition. Tasks performed include program planning, advertisement, proposal writing, and facilitation of group discussion.

Advisory Board Member

Serve as staff representative with to Residence Education leadership. Work with fellow board members to develop and implement improvements in Residence Educational policy.

Property Maintenance Manager Charles Burd LLC, New Orleans May 2013-August 2015

Assessed and repaired property damage and performed landscaping management on two properties. Landscape management included pruning trees and shrubs, as well as maintaining property cleanliness and aesthetics.

Professional Development

US A.I.D. Sponsored Agriculture Tour of Honduras

April 2017

Visited several Honduras' Agricultural Universities (U.N.A.) over a 10-day period. Viewed production, processing, and shipping practices of small and large operations for many of Honduras' staple crops such as banana, pineapple, cacao, and oil palm, while also having the opportunity to experience the culture of Honduras.

Agriculture Future of America Crop Institute

July 2017

Experienced multiple facets of the agriculture industry of North Carolina ranging from organic and conventional tobacco production to the operations of larger corporations like Cotton Inc. and John Deere, and also the research that is performed by North Carolina State. Also given the opportunity to interact with industry executives and fellow students interested in entering the agricultural industry.

Community Service and Organizations

Student Chair of Gardening Benjamin Franklin High School, New Orleans, LA August 2014-May 2015

Plan club activities and lead a team of students to plant, maintain, and harvest school vegetable and native Louisiana plant gardens. During school service days, assist faculty in leading outdoor service projects around the campus.

Member of LSU Horticulture Club LSU, Baton Rouge, LA August 2015- Present

Prepare plants to be sold at our fall and spring sales, as well as LSU's Spring Garden Show. At sales, answer questions about and sell citrus trees. Skills gained from being a member: an array of plant propagation techniques, such as seeding, cuttings, air layering, division, saddle grafting and T-budding; knowledge of citrus trees; and plant care and maintenance strategies.

Volunteer in Campaign for City Council New Orleans, LA October 2012- November 2012

Interacted with community members through door to door campaigns and telephone calls.

LSU Community Bound Baton Rouge, LA August 2015

Assisted in the clean-up and repair of minor maintenance issues at elementary schools in the Baton Rouge area.