

Renea Austin

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EDUCATION

North Carolina State University - B.S. Crop and Soil Sciences - Agronomy
August 2019 - present (expected graduation in May 2021) Raleigh, NC
GPA: 4.0

Caldwell Community College & Technical Institute - A.S. and A.A.
August 2017 - May 2019 Hudson, NC
GPA: 4.0

WORK EXPERIENCE

Chick Fil A Smith Crossroads Team Member (2018 - 2020)

- Served guests efficiently and handled payment in front counter, drive thru, and outside settings
- Solved communication barrier issues for customers with cultural differences
- Performed safety protocols and cleaning procedures during the COVID-19 pandemic

LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

NC State University Food Science Club Member (2019- present), Dinner Committee Chair (2020-present)

- Curated a weekly virtual collection of recipes related to industry speakers
- Organized Public Service Committee members in four volunteer events with Inter-Faith Food Shuttle
- Worked four shifts at the NC State Fair Dairy Bar in 2019

North Hall Council Director of Programming (2019 - 2020)

- Collected and presented data weekly on programming attendance and resident satisfaction
- Conducted two surveys on resident approval of composting initiative and renovation of common areas
- Collaborated with council members to develop cultural diversity and mental health programming

Caldwell Community College & Technical Institute Ambassadors Club Secretary (2017 - 2019)

- Recorded detailed biweekly meeting minutes and published them for club members to view
- Oversaw logistics and human resources for annual Creepy Caldwell Festival
- Guided individual and group tours on the community college campus
- Volunteered as substitute teacher for mathematics and sciences at local middle school

Caldwell County Envirothon Team Soils Specialist (2016 - 2018)

- 1st place in NC Area II Envirothon competition awarded in 2017 & 2018
- 1st place in NC Service Learning Project awarded in 2017 & 2018

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Inter-Faith Food Shuttle (2020)

- Packed grocery bags for senior citizens who are low income and at high risk for contracting coronavirus

Caldwell County 4H Member (2016 - 2018)

- Coordinated stream health management project to reduce erosion and reintroduce native species
- Led forest preservation project to foster education programs and improve infrastructure of state park
- Organized elementary education project to bring awareness to soil and water conservation