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EDUCATION

The University of Chicago

Chicago, IL

B.A. in Sociology; Double Major in Media, Arts, and Design

Expected May 2025

- Cumulative GPA: 3.98 / 4.00; SAT: 1580/1600; Honors: Robert Maynard Hutchins Scholar, Metcalf Award
- Relevant Coursework: Introduction to Game Design; Transmedia Puzzle Design; Digital Media and Social Life; Computing for Social Sciences; Critical Videogame Studies

WORK EXPERIENCE

The University of Chicago

Chicago, IL

Research Assistant

Jul 2023 – Sep 2023

- Conducted in-depth academic research under the guidance of Professor Augustus Rose on the contemporary Art scene, San Francisco tech culture, and the social dynamics of auctions.
- Engaged in qualitative research through extensive analysis of primary sources, including personal accounts and news articles, focusing on art fairs to understand the nexus between the contemporary art scene and San Francisco's tech culture.
- Conducted a comprehensive interview with an industry professional in art dealing, gaining firsthand insights into the valuation process of art, further enriching the study's depth on social dynamics in auctions.

UChicago Jeff Metcalf Program

Chicago, IL

Digital Humanities Project Management Intern

Jun 2022 - Jul 2022

- Cooperated with Southern University of Science and Technology in China to develop a virtual laboratory for humanities research projects, communicated with program director on logistics, and reduced language barriers.
- Secured a grant of \$4,000 from UChicago, and researched 10+ top U.S. universities' virtual laboratory projects.

Pilgrim Education Shenzhen, China

Academic Writing Specialist

June 2021 – September 2021

- Reviewed and critiqued students' essays prior to their submission for the John Locke Essay Competition, ensuring clarity, coherence, and academic rigor in their arguments.
- Offered guidance on effective historical research techniques, advising students on how to identify and analyze both primary and secondary sources to enrich their essays.
- Delivered constructive feedback on writing style and structural organization, helping students enhance their analytical writing skills and argumentative precision.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Shenzhen Green Rose Social Work Center

Shenzhen, China

Volunteer

July 2020 – September 2021

- Spearheaded the organization and execution of a summer camp in Shenzhen, China, collaborating with three other volunteers to provide support and enrichment for twenty children from migrant worker and single-parent families.
- Designed and delivered weekly mathematics and English classes, engaging up to 10 elementary-school students per class, adapting teaching methods to meet diverse educational needs and language proficiency levels.

Christians on Campus Chicago, IL

Events Coordinator

Sept 2021 – Present

- Organized events annually including coordinating food and transportation logistics for weekly discussion meetings, information sessions, and special cultural events engaging broader UChicago student body
- Led event planning workstream for team of 30; delegated key tasks and communicated expectations to juniors while overseeing ideation and execution receiving positive feedback from members

SKILLS

Languages: Native in Mandarin Chinese; proficient in English; conversational in French; elementary Latin **Skills:** Experienced in MAXQDA, Reason Studios 12, Adobe Premiere Pro & Photoshop; proficient knowledge of R, RStudio, HTML, and CSS; Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint