Bayan Jaber

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(A) Work Experience

Metro-Detroit, MI

Arab American Institute – Yalla, Vote! Michigan Campaign Director and Field Organizer

September 2016 - November 2016

- Worked as a remote campaign director and field organizer of the Michigan Yalla, Vote! voter engagement campaign.

- Organized a voter engagement rally which hosted Arab-American candidates running for state and local public office.
- Submitted weekly blog posts chronicling on-the-ground Arab-American political engagement and weekly interviews with Arab-American voters.

U of M-D Social Sciences Department – Student Secretary Dearborn, MI

- Worked in the Social Sciences Department assisting office staff and Social Sciences faculty with various tasks. Helped maintain organization and see to every day needs of the office.

United Way for South Eastern Michigan – Summer Public Policy Fellow May 2016 - August 2016 Detroit, MI

- Worked alongside the Public Policy Team at UWSEM to tackle and analyze policy issues that pertain to South Eastern Michigan.
- Projects included policy work addressing Detroit Public Schools, Childhood Nutrition, Paid Sick Leave, and other basic needs policy and advocacy issues.
- Attended Meet Up and Eat Up block parties and engaged closely with community members through policy education, voter engagement and registration, and so on.

Street Outreach Court Detroit – Internship

- Detroit, MI
 - Worked closely with attorneys, 36th District Court Justices, and various community organizations to help address root causes of economic inequality in Detroit and its effect on the native disenfranchised and homeless population.

Childcare Provider

Dearborn. MI

- Experienced nanny
- Skilled in caring for and interacting with young children on a weekly basis
- Provided reliable and responsible care

Supplemental Instruction Leader

University of Michigan-Dearborn, MI

- Working with students to provide a supplemental learning experience targeted at classes with difficult concepts
- Producing lesson plans and study sheets twice a week, every week
- Facilitating weekly study sessions
- Working hands on with students to successfully tackle difficult learning areas
- Past classes: Sociology 201 Social Problems, Sociology 200 Principles of Sociology

(B) Activities and Affiliations

- Student Government Senator
- Vice Chair of Environmental Sustainability Committee
- Supplemental Instruction Leader

September 2014 - Present

January 2016 - April 2016

July 2016 - October 2017

February 2014 - November 2016

- Social Justice League President
- Michigan Model Arab League 2016, 2017
 - o Distinguished Delegate Award; Saudi Arabia on Joint Defense Committee, 2016
 - o Distinguished Delegate Award; Egypt on Political Affairs Committee, 2017
 - o Head Delegate of Egyptian Delegation, 2017
- Blueprints Leadership Program
 - o Comprehensive, semester-long leadership opportunity which helped refine leadership skills, understand the context of leadership through leadership theory education, and become agent of positive social change.
- National Society of Leadership and Success
- French Club
- UM-D College Democrats

(C) Honors and Awards

- High Distinction Graduate
- James B. Angell Scholar
- University Honors
 - o Awarded 5 terms
- French Discipline Upper Level Excellence Certificate

(D) Personal Achievements & Experience

- Women's Conference 2017 Volunteer
- Involvement in various social justice, activism, advocacy and community engagement projects
- Significant creative and artistic abilities
 - o Portfolio includes works in water color, acrylic, charcoal, pencil, ink, clay
- Beginner in Guitar
- International travel includes Lebanon, Syria, Italy, Spain, France, Canada (Montreal and Quebec City)

(Misc.) Education

University of Michigan – Dearborn, Dearborn, MI September 2013 - April 2017
Bachelor of Arts
Major: International Studies

Program Focus: French, International Affairs, Economics

Minor: Political Science
3.73 GPA

American University of Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon Study Abroad Experience

- Class: Constitutional Law of The Arab Uprisings

Dearborn High School, Dearborn, MI

Diploma

- Graduated with Honors Silver Chords
- Student Council Representative
- Peace Club Member
- Arabic Club Member

Skills and Abilities

- Strong interpersonal, written, and verbal communication skills

May 2015- July 2015

September 2009 - June 2013

- Ability to work independently as well as within a team
- Strong work ethic with a determination to problem solving
- Strive under pressure
- Qualified in fundraising activities
- Proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.