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EDUCATION

May 2020

Penn State University, University Park, PA

*Bachelor of Arts, Biology -
Vertebrate Physiology,
GPA: 3.71/4.0*

May 2020

Penn State University, University Park, PA

Smeal College of Business Certificate

RELEVANT SKILLS

Anatomical Knowledge

Safety Awareness

Strong Communicator

Problem Solver

Detail Oriented

Cooperative

CAREER OBJECTIVE

Aspiring dental student seeking more knowledge and experience in the field of dentistry before applying to Dental School in 2022.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

March 2018-May 2020

Undergraduate Research Assistant

Penn State University, University Park, PA

- Worked under Dr. Peter Hudson and Dr. Kurt Vandegrift
- Leadership position in large scale research lab focusing on disease ecology, population dynamics, and tick virology
- Worked with small mammals and took biological samples from them
- Performed GI tract dissections and identified any parasites present
- Kept lab areas clean and well organized

August 2019-May 2021

Teaching Assistant

Penn State University, University Park, PA

- Worked under Dr. James Strauss in Biol 472: Mammalian Physiology and Biol 437: Histology
- Taught students using a variety of methods
- Held office hours to answer students' questions and walkthrough concepts with them
- Graded exams
- Strong knowledge of the subjects to answer questions as accurately as possible

August 2020-May 2021

Organic Chemistry Grader

Adaptive

Strong Work Ethic

Penn State University, University Park, PA

- Worked under Dr. Katherine Masters in Chem 202: Fundamentals of Organic Chemistry I and Chem 212: Organic Chemistry II
- Graded and gave feedback to students on homework assignments and exams
- Communicated directly with teaching staff about common mistakes seen on assignments