

EDUCATION

Nazareth College of Rochester

B.A. in Psychology
Minor in Gerontology
May 2013 GPA: 3.4
Psi Chi, National Honor Society in Psychology

Monroe Community College

A.A.S. in Liberal Arts
May 2011 GPA: 3.0
Alpha Theta Kappa Social Science Honor Society

Selected Coursework

- Statistics and Research Methods
- Behavior Modification
- Adolescent Development
- Principles of Counseling
- Childhood Development
- Psychology of the Exceptional Individual

**RESEARCH
EXPERIENCE**

Effect of Class Year, Campus Involvement and Locus of Control on GPA (Spring 2012)

- Collaborated with peers at Nazareth to design, conduct, analyze and present independent research.
- Utilized ANOVA design with one dependent and three independent variables.
Conducted thorough literature review and processed information obtained thereby in discussions with lab group.
- Obtained permission to conduct research from Human Subjects Research Committee.
- Recruited 108 participants and administered 50 item questionnaires to collect data.
- Analyzed data through use of SPSS, and presented findings in both paper and poster formats.

Social Influences of Pre-School Children, University of Rochester (Summer 2011)

Research Assistant – Aided lead researchers with recruitment of participants. Responsible for organizing and entering data into Excel spreadsheets. Used SPSS to further analyze data, and present basic statistics to researchers. Collaborated with lab group, participated in discussions of related projects, and presented articles to support current research.

**RESEARCH
SKILLS**

- Statistics and Research Methods
- Data Analysis Using SPSS
- Formulating Appropriate Questions
- Literature Review
- Research Design/Survey Design
- Data Gathering Methods

PRESENTATIONS

American Psychological Association Northeast Conference, Danbury, CT (10/11)

Effect of Class Year, Campus Involvement and Locus of Control on GPA – Poster presentation to college students, professors, and Psychologists from 8 states which described research, study, and results of ANOVA design project.

**INTERNSHIP
EXPERIENCE**

Big Brothers Big Sisters, Rochester, NY (5/12-8/12)

Worked one-on-one with youth, ages 4-10, to create murals of their family tree. Supported discovery of positive influences through conversation and artwork. Learned the value of patience and developed a rapport that allowed each student to seek assistance as needed.

**COLLEGE
EMPLOYMENT**

Shults Center, Nazareth College of Rochester (9/11-Present)

Information Desk Assistant – Answer campus-related questions from students, faculty and staff. Process room reservations for meeting and campus events. Maintain customer satisfaction at all times.

**COLLEGE
ACTIVITIES**

Psychology Club, Nazareth College of Rochester (9/11-Present)

Treasurer (9/08-Present) – Plan for and manage club's activities budget.

Nazareth College Psychology Department, Rochester, NY (9/12-Present)

Peer Mentor – Offer individualized support to underclass students majoring in Psychology.

**COMPUTER
SKILLS**

Windows Environment

SPSS, Microsoft Excel/PowerPoint/Word, Internet, E-mail