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EDUCATION

Haverford College, Haverford, PA

B.A., May 2018

Major: Linguistics – Departmental Honors

Minor: Religion | Concentration: Africana Studies

Thesis: “‘Siliminga, hello!’: Negotiating Race, Place, and Language Ideologies, in Post-Colonial Dalun, Ghana”

CAREER HISTORY

Drexel University Dornsife School for Public Health

Center for Hunger Free Communities, Policy & Communications Fellow

August 2018 – June 2019

A community-engaged research, service, advocacy and policy center focused on hunger and economic insecurity in Philadelphia

· Assisting the Center in the conducting research, analysis, and communication of its work to the press, public, and policymakers

Haverford College

Religion Department, Teaching Assistant

January – May 2018

· Provided academic support to students taking *Food & Religion* course

John P. Chesick Scholars Program, Teaching Assistant

May – August 2016

· Provided academic support to students taking *Reading Comics and Religion* and *Literary Politics of South African Apartheid*

The Coop

September 2015 – May 2018

· Performed routine food service activities: tending food service facilities, serving food, cashiering, and assisting customers.

Bookstore

September 2016 – December 2017

· Assisted the Bookstore manager in the organization and operation of the Bookstore and tending to customer service needs

PROJECTS & RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Haverford College

Summer DocuLab 2018: Dizhsa Nabani - Living Language

June – August 2018

· A collaborative web-based documentary series on Zapotec language and identity, <https://doculabs.haverford.edu/dizhsanabani>

Religion Department, Research Assistant

May 2015 – May 2018

· Curated syllabi for *Reading Comics & Religion* and capstone course, *Theoretical Perspectives in the Study of Religion*

· Developed website in assistance of Prof. Ken Koltun-Fromm’s *Comics and Sacred Texts* project

Structure of Zapotec Course: Levanto’s Arte Digital Editon

September – December 2017

· Collaborated on digital transcription and linguistic analysis, <https://ticha.haverford.edu/en/texts/levanto-arte/98/original/>

· Held workshops with Zapotec students to counter discrimination against and foster engagement with Zapotec language use

· Co-created a Zapotec language and culture blog, *EnTuZapoteco*, advised by Zapotec language speakers and activists

Swarthmore College

Blacks in the Diaspora Course & Experiential Learning Program

January – October 2017

· Conducted a semester long research project supported by two weeks of funded ethnographic fieldwork in Cuba and culminating

in symposium presentation, “Generational Differences in Racial Consciousness and the Practice of Santeria”

AfroLatinx Podcast™

January – May 2017

- Project based on interviews on AfroLatinx language, identity, and experience, <http://ds.swarthmore.edu/language-and-identity/>
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FELLOWSHIPS

Haverford House Post-Bac Fellowship, Haverford College

June 2018 – June 2019

- serving as a liaison between Haverford College and Philadelphia communities and as a mentor to current Haverford students
- living in cooperative of fellows committed to social justice, volunteer action, and exploring global citizenship

Lagim Tehi Tuma/”Thinking Together” Fellowship, Haverford College & Bryn Mawr College

June 2017 – August 2017

- collaborative action research internship in Dalun, Ghana, run in collaboration with U. of Ghana & U. of Development Studies
 - Participated in education-focused projects, production of radio programming at Simli Radio, and Dagbani language lessons
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ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP

Community Outreach Multicultural Liaison

October 2017 – May 2018

- Acted as a facilitator and mediator in addressing microaggressive violations of Haverford College’s Social Honor Code

International Student Resource Person

August 2017 – May 2018

- Assisted in the adjustment of International students to negotiating culture and customs at Haverford College and in the U.S..
- Provided students with academic, professional, procedural, and social resources and support

Ambassador of Multicultural Affairs

August 2017 – May 2018

- Guided first-years in exploring new communities and cultures, and navigating Haverford culture and community standards
- Enabled students to create networks via community service, social events, meeting alumni, and offices on campus

Peer Awareness Facilitator

August 2015 – May 2016

- Led discussions for first-years to foster dialogue about identity and social issues
- Provided an off-hall resource for the first-year students; familiarized them with student life offices and resources

Haverford College Clubs

- Black Students’ League (First-Year Liaison ‘14-15, Co-President ‘15-16, Council ‘17-18)

September 2014 – May 2018

- Quaker House Community House (Co-Head and Clerk)

August 2015 – May 2018

SKILLS

Information Technology:

- Proficient in Microsoft Office suite, iMovie, GarageBand, WordPress, Zotero, Adobe Premiere Pro, social media platforms
- Some experience with transcription, metadata entry, manuscript proofing, LaTeX, Praat, and GitHub

Language: Native speaker of English | Basic knowledge of French | Basic knowledge of Spanish