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EDUCATION

American University, Washington, D.C.
School of Communications/College of Arts and Sciences
Major: Communications: Media and Government
Minor: United States History, Government/Politics, & Society/Culture Since World War II

August 2007 – May 2011
Cum Laude, Cumulative GPA: 3.58

IES Abroad, Barcelona, Spain
Liberal Arts & Business Program, *Spring 2010*

Coursework focused heavily on history, politics, and communications in Europe, and on the role of media in the US, Europe, and under different political systems.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Newseum, Washington, DC
Student Advisory Team Intern
October 2011 – Present
Act as liaison between the Student Advisory Team and the Education Department. Responsible for planning and organizing meetings and events, running and building the Student Advisory Team's website, updating and maintaining the department's Raiser's Edge database, working to expand the social networking reach of the department, and updating the Student Advisory Team and Newseum Education official Facebook and Twitter feeds.

Queens College, Flushing, NY
Communications Intern
September 2011 – Present
Working with the Department of Communications to help them more effectively use social media, researching blogs for the department to reach out to with potential faculty experts that may be of use, update contact information for outlets on media lists, and organize their website in a way easy for students, faculty, staff and visitors to use.

Media Matters for America, Washington, DC
Research Intern
January 2011 – May 2011
Assisted the Research Department in monitoring and flagging misinformation in the conservative media, creating summaries for radio and television programs, identifying and creating potential clips, items, and blogs for the website, researching and writing fact sheets on bills and news items presented in the conservative media, and creating lists and information about advertisers and radio stations.

The White House Project, New York, NY
Communications/Development Intern
May 2009 – August 2009
Supported the Development and Communications Departments by researching and editing the organization's annual Benchmarks Report, writing blogs for the White House Project community, attending and performing as recording secretary in meetings concerning fundraising strategy, researching information on potential donors, writing thank you letters to donors, and coordinating the Vice President of Development's schedule and commitments.

The National Council for Research on Women, New York, NY
Intern
June – August 2006
May – August 2008
Organized annual conference, supported the Director of Communications researching and writing articles for the Council's e-mail updates, traditional newsletters and position letters for newspapers on various women's issues including but not limited to immigration laws, the pay wage gap, and the portrayal of women in politics and the media. Created a historic time line of events and accomplishments for the Council's 20th Anniversary, including research into landmark events and accomplishments of the Council, their members and the feminist movement.

The Drama League, New York, NY
Intern
June 2007 - August 2007
Created master list of contacts for grant opportunities and assisted the Development Officer for Special Events with various critical fundraising events.

Sid Jacobson Jewish Community Center, East Hills, NY
Intern
October 2006 - June 2007
Worked under the Director of Public Relations creating press releases for release to local newspapers and publications about recent and upcoming activities at the Community Center.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

• *The F Bomb*, *Grrrl Beat* **Guest Blogger**: <http://www.thefbomb.com> & <http://www.grrrlbeat.com>
August 2009 – Present
Write regular blogs for a community of young feminists to start up conversation and debate about a wealth of issues including the VH1 show *Too! Academy*, Lisa Simpson, the China One-Child policy, *Mad Men*, and the 2009 Iranian Election.

• *Couch Potatoes with a Cause*, **Creator/Editor**: <http://www.couchpotatoeswithacause.wordpress.com>
August 2011–Present
Founded an online TV Club and destination for Feminists to talk about specific television shows, submit pieces, and encourage analysis regarding the role of women in the media.

• *AU Residence Hall Association: Hughes Hall Council: Communications Chair*
August 2009 – December 2009
Worked in concert with a number of organizations across campus to plan and coordinate events, had sole responsibility for advertising events, and created and regularly updated the group's website and Facebook fan page.

• *AU National Residence Hall Honorary: Vice President of Selection and Induction*
August 2009 – December 2009
Served as the head of the selection process for new members; in charge of coordinating the bi-annual Induction Ceremony and Banquet; and coordinated events to increase the number of applicants to the American Eagle Chapter of NRHH.

• *Freshman Service Experience*, American University: **Leader**
August 2008 – August 2010
References available upon request