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## **EDUCATION:**

**University of Houston-Downtown**, Houston, TX

Bachelor of Art in Political Science

Minor- Sociology

May 2018

GPA: 3.4/4.0

## **RELEVANT COURSEWORK:**

**Geopolitics of the Americas**

Fall 2016

- Applied scientific method to the analysis of health care politics
- Designed empirical research project to analyze participant responses regarding Medicaid expansion
- Analyzed qualitative data and utilizing Excel to ensure proper data collection and management

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

**Student Worker**, Campaign Management

Spring 2014

Houston, TX

- Collected information from 1000+ target audiences to determine popular political issues
- Provided relevant information about candidates to target populations
- Informed candidate about various political stances by conducting researches and writing memos
- Provided polling and strategy reports for review and enhancement and organized Make Your Mark campaign from beginning to end

**Computer Assistant**, Lone Star Community College

Spring 2012

Kingwood, TX

- Trained to use Web Course Tools and gained valuable technical skills
- Demonstrated and explained how to access and use specialized computer programs
- Provided trouble shooting instruction and information to aid students with software concerns

## **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:**

**Volunteer**, Memorial Assistance Ministries (MAM)

Aug. 2012-Present

Houston, TX

- Committed to providing service to 50+homeless and low income families daily.
- Empathized with (recipients) individuals and validated the impact of addiction on lives.
- Gained insights into diverse individual and family dynamics by interacting and engaging with clients.

## **ACTIVITIES:**

**Webb Historical Society**, University of Houston-Downtown

Fall 2015-Present

**Student Government Association**, University of Houston-Downtown

Fall 2015-Present

**NAACP**, Houston Chapter Member

Spring 2012-Present

## **SKILLS:**

**Computer:** Microsoft Office- Word, Power Point, Excel, Outlook