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EDUCATION	Hamilton College Candidate for Bachelor of Arts degree, May 2013 Concentration: Psychology and Education GPA: 3.522/4.0 Senior Thesis: "High School Dropouts: Factors that Contribute to the Process of Disengagement" Peddie School Graduated May 2009	Clinton, NY Hightstown, NJ
HONORS	<i>Psi Chi</i> : Inducted into the Psychology National Honor Society; Spring 2013 Dean's List: Fall '10, Spring '11, Fall '11, Spring '12, Fall '12 <i>Cum Laude Society</i> : Inducted for secondary school scholastic achievement; May 2009	
EXPERIENCE	Sauquoit Valley Elementary School, Social Work Intern <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisted in implementation of the Bully-proof Your School ProgramCoordinated and carried out Banana Splits and social skills therapy groupsWorked 1:1 with students in PK-4 to develop positive coping mechanisms Exploration Junior Program, Instructor and Arts Center Coordinator <ul style="list-style-type: none">Served as a counselor for a group of 12 girls in a dormitory settingDesigned and taught a three-week painting course for 3rd and 4th grade studentsOversaw the arts center, including coordination of daily activities and arts and crafts Child Development Center at JBFCS, Intern <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisted in a classroom with children ages 3-6 with various developmental disabilitiesShadowed and assisted in children's art, occupational, and speech therapy sessions Hamilton College Department of Sociology, Teacher's Assistant <ul style="list-style-type: none">Met with college students outside of class to discuss course materialAssisted in developing and grading assessments Middle Settlement Alternative Academy, Tutor and Mentor <ul style="list-style-type: none">Tutored 7th grade students in math at a school for at-risk youthMentored and assisted high school students on college applications Hamilton College Department of Psychology, Research Assistant <ul style="list-style-type: none">Conducted an empirical study regarding the effect of social, cognitive, and moral intelligence on relational aggression in children ages 4 – 5Contacted elementary schools, conducted individual interviews with children, coded sessions, and performed data entry for statistical analysis Presbyterian Homes and Services, Waitress and Hostess <ul style="list-style-type: none">Recipient of a scholarship given for outstanding serviceProvide care and food service for the residents of the retirement community	Sauquoit, NY Fall 2012-Present Southborough, MA Summer 2011 & 2012 Harlem, Spring 2012 Clinton, NY Fall 2011 New Hartford, NY Fall 2011 Clinton, NY Spring 2011 Hightstown, NJ Aug 2006 - Present
ACTIVITIES	Hamilton Action Volunteer Outreach Coalition, Member <ul style="list-style-type: none">Participate in numerous volunteer activities on and off campusVolunteer weekly with individuals with Autism at Root Farm New Student Orientation, Leader <ul style="list-style-type: none">Organized group activities and discussionsMentored a group of ten first-year students	Hamilton College Sept 2009 - Present Hamilton College August 2010 – 2012
LANGUAGES	Basic knowledge of oral and written Spanish, Basic knowledge of American Sign Language	
INTERESTS	Yoga, Photography, Cooking, Outdoor Activities, Painting, Crafting, Yearbook, Theater, Ceramics	