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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ALG Research | January 2018⁺–Present

Polling Associate Fellowship |
Washington D.C.

Drafted messages to test in surveys based on analysis of self and opposition research to guide strategic messaging and target recommendations for political campaigns and advocacy groups across the country. Synthesized and analyzed over 40,000 data points for Democratic gubernatorial, senatorial and congressional candidates to help create PowerPoint presentations to guide strategic decisions in the campaign— topics include media market research, voter share and key target demographics. Proofed baselines, crosstabs, time series and other deliverable documents for clients and campaigns.

Lake Research Partners | August 2017⁺ – Present | January 2017- May

Analyst and Polling Internship | *Washington D.C.*

Proofed and edited data reports that involved focus group data, polling, quantitative research on issue saliency, voter targeting and candidates on a local, state and national level. Created scripts for over the phone surveys and in person focus groups.

Hillari For Tyngsboro (Board of Selectman) | March 2017⁺—May

Campaign Advisor and Digital Strategist | *Washington D.C./ Tyngsboro MA*

Managed the candidate's online presence and devised a digital strategy to increase voter turnout and win endorsements from prominent members around the community. Worked closely with the graphic designer to build the candidates brand and foster community engagement through social media on Facebook and Twitter. Advised the candidate during events and wrote, edited and proofed a short speech for a community fund raiser. Candidate won her election and a plurality of votes in every precinct in a competitive election.

Democratic National Committee | May 17⁺ - August

Researcher | *Washington D.C.*

Conducted opposition research on candidates across the country on a local, state and national level at the request of senior researchers. Worked with the communications team on rapid response on press releases and information coming out of the DNC. Maintained and monitored a large video archive and database for research purposes. Constructed transcript reports and opposition books on Republican candidates running for election and or re-election using Boolean searches on LexisNexis

Office of Senator Elizabeth Warren | September 16⁺ - December

Policy Research Intern | *Washington D.C.*

Worked with senior level staffers on policy research on issues involving tax policy, civil rights and health policy. Worked with senior tax policy advisor to research finance and tax data to build a report on multinational corporations and tax loopholes. Represented the senator at policy briefings and built reports on legislation and briefings to advise staffers. Responded to constituent services as necessary and at the direction of the press office and staff assistants.

Office of U.S. Representative Niki Tsongas | May 16⁺ - August

Legislative and Constituent Service Intern | *Washington D.C.*

Tracked and followed legislation moving through the Armed Services Committee. Built reports for senior policy staffers on aging discrimination, LGBTQ issues, civil rights and foreign policy. Built a report and gathered research on the technology used to scan blood for HIV in reference to the blood ban on MSM individuals.

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY|| WASHINGTON D.C.

- (B.A.) CLEG: Communications Legal Institutions, Economics and Government • Spring 2018
- (Minor) International Relations—Foreign Policy/ Nat. Security& Peace, Global Security and Conflict Resolution
- Certificate from the Center for Congressional and Presidential Studies in Campaign Management at American University
- Selected for a competitive 3-year program earning a certificate in Politics, Policy and Law

PROGRAMS AND SKILLS

- Certified in Google Analytics • LexisNexis • NGP Van • SPSS • STATA • Advanced Excel • PowerPoint

