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EDUCATION

MASTER OF SCIENCE | Arizona State University | Fall 2021 - Current

School of Social Transformation – Justice Studies | Cumulative GPA: 4.0

MASTER OF PUBLIC POLICY | Arizona State University | Fall 2021 - Current

Watts College of Public Service and Community Solutions | Cumulative GPA 4.0

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE | University of Utah | Class of 2020

Major: Health, Society, and Policy | Minor: Sociology | Major GPA: 3.87, Minor GPA: 3.83

Awards: Dean's List, Ivory Experiences Mentee, Undergraduate Research Scholar

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCES

PRESENTATIONS

Lukasinski, V, *Accessing Education: Health Equity and Educational Capacity*, 21st Annual Local to Global Justice Forum and Festival – February 25-26, 2022, Tempe, Arizona

Lukasinski, V, *The Impact of the Non-Fatal Strangulation Protocol in Salt Lake County on Protective Orders*, National Conference on Undergraduate Research – April 12 – 14, 2021, Salt Lake City, Utah

Lukasinski, V, *The Impact of the Non-Fatal Strangulation Protocol in Salt Lake County on Protective Orders*, Utah Conference on Undergraduate Research – February 19, 2021, Salt Lake City, Utah

Lukasinski, V, *Visualizing Gender-Based Violence: Policy Data Collection for the State of Utah*, Virtual Undergraduate Symposium – December 4th, 2020, Salt Lake City, Utah

Lukasinski, V, *The Impact of the Non-Fatal Strangulation Protocol in Salt Lake County on Protective Orders*, Virtual Undergraduate Symposium - April 20th, 2020, Salt Lake City, Utah

PUBLICATIONS

Fukushima, A., Lukasinski, V., Gonzalez-Pons, K. 2022, *The Coordinated Community Response to Non-Fatal Strangulation in Intimate Partner Violence: A Pilot Program*, Utah Women and Violence

Lukasinski, V., 2020, *An Evaluation of the Non-Fatal Strangulation Protocol in Utah*, University of Utah Undergraduate Research Journal

GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT | ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

TEMPE, ARIZONA | FEBRUARY 2022 – Current

- Collaborated with the Center for Work and Democracy with the School of Social Transformation on policy analysis, and with the Knowledge Enterprise on researching strategic areas of interest, and conducting ad hoc analyses.

COMMUNITY COLLABORATIVE INITIATIVES FELLOW | ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

TEMPE, ARIZONA | AUGUST 2022 – Current

- Participated in community-based transformative projects with CCI housed in the School of Social Transformation.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT | UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | SEPTEMBER 2019 – DECEMBER 2020

Awarded Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program Grant Spring & Fall 2020 Semesters

- Collaborated with the YWCA Utah Family Justice Center to analyze the efficacy of a protocol implemented in the Salt Lake County in 2019 responding to non-fatal strangulation in gender-based violence in the Spring 2020 semester

- Participated in the Gender-Based Violence Consortium meetings led by Dr. Annie Isabel Fukushima

- Collected various gender-based violence policy data to assist with the creation of a visual, interactive platform

NATIONAL INTERN | HINCKLEY INSTITUTE OF POLITICS

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | AUGUST 2020 – DECEMBER 2020

- Assisted the Office of Regional Operations within the Administration for Children and Families of the Department for Health and Human Services with outcome measurement and tracking of strategic initiatives

LEGISLATIVE INTERN | HINCKLEY INSTITUTE OF POLITICS

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | JANUARY – MAY 2020

- Assisted a local civic engagement group with research, policy tracking, and content creation during Utah's Legislative Session

STUDENT POLICY FELLOW | SORENSON IMPACT CENTER

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | MAY – DECEMBER 2019

- Developed a Forbes-associated competition for Opportunity Zones, including the creation and maintenance of an online application utilizing Qualtrics software and development of scoring/ranking methodology

- Researched and presented information on policy elements and key marketplace actors

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

PARTNER LIAISON/ADVANCED CASE MANAGER | VALLEY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | JANUARY 2020 – MARCH 2022

- Participated in pilot care navigation team to improve responses to crises, hospitalizations, and other barriers to treatment
- Utilized Tableau Reports to track various key performance indicators
- Tracked and coordinated civil commitment process for high acuity clients
- Assessed individual client needs and referred clients to appropriate community resources

CASE MANAGER | ODYSSEY HOUSE

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | AUGUST – DECEMBER 2019

- Assisted clinicians with integrative care addressing co-occurring disorders in the local county jails
- Monitored client engagement and treatment compliance, along with overall program outcomes
- Adapted and authored curricula to aid in the facilitation of psycho-educational and life-skill groups

PARAEDUCATOR | GRANITE SCHOOL DISTRICT

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | JANUARY – DECEMBER 2017

- Taught mathematics and literacy skills to students in need of extra support in Title 1 School
- Monitored and assessed student progress towards identified goals
- Supported social integration for non-native English-speaking students

RECOVERY ASSISTANT | VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | SEPTEMBER 2016 – SEPTEMBER 2017

- Assisted and monitored male and female clients throughout the detox process in recovering from substance use
- Ensured client safety with regular observations of vital signs, medication distribution, and client check-ins
- Maintained positive relationships with various community partners

SKILLS

LANGUAGES

ENGLISH – NATIVE LANGUAGE
POLISH – BILINGUAL PROFICIENCY
SPANISH – ELEMENTARY PROFICIENCY
FRENCH – ELEMENTARY PROFICIENCY

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

COMMUNITY EDUCATION – PROFICIENT KNOWLEDGE
OUTCOME TRACKING – INTERMEDIATE KNOWLEDGE
PROJECT MANAGEMENT – INTERMEDIATE KNOWLEDGE
RESEARCH – INTERMEDIATE KNOWLEDGE

SOFTWARE

QUALTRICS – BEGINNER KNOWLEDGE
TABLEAU – BEGINNER KNOWLEDGE
STATA – INTERMEDIATE KNOWLEDGE
R – INTERMEDIATE KNOWLEDGE

SERVICE EXPERIENCES

OFFICER | LOCAL TO GLOBAL JUSTICE

PHOENIX, ARIZONA | FALL 2021 – CURRENT

- Supported community-oriented group committed to connecting local diversity, sustainability, and social justice issues to larger global struggles.

MEMBER | MULTICULTURAL SOLIDARITY COALITION

PHOENIX, ARIZONA | FALL 2021 – CURRENT

- Supported and advocated with student-led organization focused on improving multicultural excellence initiatives and campus safety at Arizona State University.

MEMBER | ASU SUN DEVILS AGAINST SEXUAL ASSAULT

PHOENIX, ARIZONA | FALL 2021 – CURRENT

- Supported and advocated with student-led organization focused on mitigating rape culture and sexual assault at Arizona State University.

MEMBER | UNSAFE U

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | SUMMER 2020 – SPRING 2022

- Supported content creation and event planning with student-led organization focused on raising awareness of campus safety, specifically on topics of gender-based violence, police brutality, and COVID-19 responses.
Content available: <https://medium.com/@unsafeU>

MEMBER | SALT LAKE VALLEY COALITION TO END HOMELESSNESS

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | JANUARY 2020 – SPRING 2022

- Participated in Safety, Legal Rights, Criminal Justice, Health and Wellness, and Community Engagement focus group meetings aimed in preventing and ending homelessness in the Salt Lake Valley

PARTICIPANT | GLOBAL URBAN TREK

MOKATTAM MOUNTAIN, CAIRO, EGYPT | JUNE – AUGUST 2016

- Provided daycare services, for toddlers and infants, and facilitated a camp for at-risk youth, for working families in garbage slum with the Missionaries of Charity

DIRECTOR | WARMED AND FILLED

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH | OCTOBER 2015 – DECEMBER 2016

- Developed and coordinated weekly breakfast services outreaching to local homeless encampments