Olivia Ware

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EDUCATION

Brown University School of Public Health

Providence, RI

Master of Public Health, Epidemiology, 4.0/4.0 GPA

2024 (Expected)

Relevant Courses: Intermediate Methods in Epidemiologic Research, Biostatistics and Data Analysis I, Applied Regression Analysis

University of Edinburgh School of Social and Political Sciences

Edinburgh, Scotland

Master of Science, Public Policy (Merit Award)

August 2022

Relevant Courses: Health Systems Analysis, Education Policy, Global Politics of Public Health, Political Issues in Public Policy, Global and International Social Policy

University of Virginia

Charlottesville, VA

B.A Foreign Affairs, 3.6/4.0 GPA

May 2021

Relevant Courses: Introduction to Statistics, Global Ethics and Politics, Politics of Developing Areas

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Center for Alcohol & Addiction Studies, Research Assistant

Providence, RI | Aug 2022 – Present

Project ARC, Principal Investigator: Dr. Jennifer Merrill

- Oversee recruitment of young adult drinkers from the community including posting advertisements, fielding contact attempts from interested participants, managing screening for eligibility, and scheduling participants
- Train participants in the completion of EMA data collection in accordance with standardized research protocol and provide instruction on the use of an alcohol biosensor
- Track participants during EMA portion using detailed logs; correspond with participants regarding compliance; schedule participants for follow-up appointments, conduct follow-up appointments
- Complete timeline followback method assessment (TLFB) with participants according to protocol

Mental Health Policy Research Program, Research Assistant
Principal Investigators: Dr. Heather Zelle & Dr. Sharon Kelley

Charlottesville, VA | Sep 2020 – May 2021

- Utilized the Washington Post Database on Police Shootings to identify relevant cases of fatal shootings between police officers and persons with mental illness
- Conducted Google reviews for news articles that published the facts of the cases, and transcribed various details about each case into Excel
- Conducted literature reviews and legal research on Miranda Rights violations

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ICF, Incoming Graduate Health Sciences Intern

Reston, VA | Jun 2023 – Aug 2023

Autism Speaks, Field Development Intern

Washington, D.C. | Jun 2020 - Aug 2020

- Conducted community outreach, including recruiting past event participants and donors via phone and emails
- Researched and developed donor prospects to raise funds and procure sponsorships
- Helped plan, manage, and coordinate three significant fundraising walks and community outreach events, including town halls and safety fairs

Bucknellian Newspaper, Copy Editor

Lewisburg, PA | Sep 2017 – May 2018

- Reviewed and revised content for accuracy and quality, including spelling, grammar, punctuation, and syntax in accordance with AP guidelines
- Meticulously fact-checked articles and scanned for plagiarism

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Technical Skills: Proficient in Microsoft Office Suite applications, beginner proficiency in R (statistical software)

Interests: Premier League soccer, cycling, baking