

Rebecca Smith

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Education

Pacific Lutheran University – Tacoma, WA Expected May 2024
Bachelor of Arts – Political Science

- Pre-Law track

Study Away Program (POLS) – Athens, Greece Fall 2021

- Received education on the issues related to immigration, citizenship & nationalism in Europe.
- Participated in several tours around Athens to learn more about the culture and environment of Greece.

Highlighted Experience

PacificSource – Tacoma, WA Spring 2022
Government Relations Intern

- Collaborated with 4 fellow interns on several public policy projects by researching scholarly journals and engaging with the community.
- Applied knowledge on Political Science topics when developing projects for government relations.

WA State Legislature – Olympia, WA Spring 2021
Intern

- Received academic credit for participating as a member of the caucus staff in policy and communication fields within the legislature.
- Attended a networking event held by the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL) and conversed with several political figures to learn more about state legislation.

Additional Experience

Pacific Lutheran University – Tacoma, WA Fall 2021 – Present
Front Desk Assistant - Political Science Department

- Assisted with daily operations within the office such as answering over 25 phone calls & emails from students or the general public.
- Applied knowledge of topics learned in political science courses to assist in developing 6 educational school events for students.

McDonald's – Spanaway, WA Spring 2018 – Summer 2021
Crew Trainer

- Trained up to 12 new employees by reviewing the company's handbook and demonstrating preparing the food to ensure that they were familiar with the processes, rules, and regulations of the store.
- Ensured all prospective employees gained the proper interpersonal skills to thoughtfully serve customers and manage conflict.