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<b>EDUCATION</b>	<b>University of Utah</b> Pursuing Honors, Political Science, and Economics degrees, and a Campaign Management Minor. 3.86 GPA.
August 2003 - May 2007	<b>Internship, Campaign Legal Center</b> Intern with The Campaign Legal Center in Washington, D.C. studying in the areas of campaign finance, redistricting, and media and ethics reform.
May - August 2006	<b>Japan Research Team</b> Accompanied Dr. Ron Walker (University of Utah) and Dr. Clive Thomas (University of Alaska Southeastern) to study interest group politics in Tokyo, Japan. I am currently involved in the interview analysis and write-up process and will contribute to scholarly journal articles covering the findings of the trip.
July 2005 - Present	<b>Legislative Intern</b> 2004 General Legislative Session. Chief of Staff for House Minority Assistant Whip in the Utah House of Representatives.
January - March 2004	
<b>LEADERSHIP</b>	<b>Director, ASUU Government Relations Board</b> Successfully lobbied the Utah State Legislature for increased higher education funding including the renovation of the J. Willard Marriott Library. Responsible for planning and coordinating the student-led lobbying efforts for the 2004 General Legislative Session. Additional duties included speaking at legislative receptions, planning campus events to increase civic engagement, and training the University of Utah delegation to the Utah Intercollegiate Assembly (UIA).
2004 - 2005	<b>Founder/Director, VoteProject U Campus Team</b> Activities included voter registration, education, and mobilization. Organized and oversaw a group of fifty student volunteers that registered over 6,000 students to vote and significantly increased voter turnout among 18-24 yr. olds in Salt Lake City. Our efforts were showcased in both state and national news, radio, and nationally with the Harvard Institute of Politics. VoteProject received the 2004 Lieutenant Governor's award for voter registration.
2004 - 2005	<b>Public Relations/Philanthropy Chair, Interfraternity Council</b> Responsible for academics and philanthropy of fraternity chapters at the University of Utah. Planned service projects that beautified the YWCA and raised over \$2,000 and eight flatbed-truck loads of needed supplies for the Utah Road Home.
February - April 2005	
2003 - 2004	
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>	<b>Assistant, Middle East Center</b> Duties include website design/maintenance, student recruitment, planning and publicizing Middle East Lecture Series, managing the Middle East 3910 class, database management, authoring the 2006 newsletter, and other daily office operations.
May 2004 - Present	<b>Research Assistant, Dr. Joseph Banks</b> Researched state campaign finance laws, provisional ballot usage and electronic voting. My research was used and cited in Dr. Banks publications and presentations to Cal-Tech and MIT.
March - August 2005	<b>Teaching Assistant, Dr. Tom Jones</b> U.S. National Government. Responsibilities included conducting reviews, assisting in forming curriculum, grading exams, and communicating with students.
May - August 2004	
<b>VOLUNTEER</b>	<b>Mentor, Utah's Youth and Families with Promise</b> Mentoring two teens boys with learning disabilities through Weber State University's Youth and Families with Promise Program, which addresses youth problems through early intervention with at-risk youth and their families.
October 2005 - Present	<b>Missionary, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints: Mexico City, Mexico</b> I gained a love for and knowledge of the Mexican people and Spanish language during my two years in Mexico.
August 2001 - August 2003	
<b>AWARDS</b>	<b>Dean's List</b> 2006 Scott M. Matheson Leadership Scholar 2005 John & Anne Hinckley Citizenship Scholarship 2005 Mary H. & J. James Boyd Scholarship