

ALLISON BUSTAMANTE

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EDUCATION

Loyola University Chicago

B.S. in Environmental Science

Chicago, IL

December 2024

Relevant coursework: Conservation Biology, Climate Change & Human Health, Energy and the Environment, Environmental Ethics, Principles of Ecotoxicology

EXPERIENCE

Loyola University Chicago

Student Researcher

Chicago, Illinois

January 2023 – May 2023

- Codeveloped a plan to collect air quality data in the city of Chicago to provide individuals with information that directly affects them and their environments.
- Collected air quality data in both North and Southside Chicago neighborhoods with the AirBeam3 on loan from the EPA.
- Delivered conclusive and informative evidence of varying air quality levels in different neighborhoods to the Edgewater Environmental Coalition as well as Loyola's Office of Sustainability.

Schaumburg Christian School

Cashier

Schaumburg, Illinois

September 2019 – February 2020

- Communicated clearly with customers and colleagues to maintain smooth and efficient operations, especially during busy periods.
- Verified scanned items for correct pricing and promotions by ensuring the customer was charged the appropriate amount.
- Managed several tasks simultaneously, such as scanning items, processing payments, and maintaining a tidy checkout area.
- Addressed unexpected issues, such as payment discrepancies or customer complaints, quickly and professionally.

Schaumburg Christian School

Lunch Prep Assistant

Schaumburg, Illinois

September 2019 – February 2020

- Kept work area clean and organized, ensuring that all tasks were completed to high standards of quality.
- Assisted in serving food to customers when needed, ensuring that portions and presentation met standards.
- Worked collaboratively with cooks and other kitchen staff by following directions and efficiently supporting team members during peak hours.
- Demonstrated proficiency at multitasking in fast-paced environments and adapting to changing priorities and demands in the kitchen to maintain the flow of service.
- Assisted in inventory control by monitoring stock levels, receiving and restocking, keeping track of expiration dates, and ensuring proper stocking and organization in storerooms.

LEADERSHIP & ACTIVITIES

Kapwa (Filipinx-American Student Organization)

General Body Member

Chicago, Illinois

September 2020 -- May 2022

SKILLS

- Microsoft Office: Excel, PowerPoint, and Word (Intermediate)
- Data Collection
- Using Instrumentation on Loan (AirBeam3)