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CORE COMPETENCIES

- Community Partnership Development & Management
- Program Design & Pilot Implementation
- Educational Content Development with Scientific Experts
- Equity-Centered Program Strategy
- Stakeholder & Donor Engagement
- Community Organizing & Outreach
- Curriculum & Workshop Facilitation
- CRM & Database Management (Salesforce, Blackbaud, Airtable)
- Budget Oversight & Fiscal Accountability
- Cross-Cultural Collaboration & Global Networking
- Public Science Communication & Storytelling
- K-12 and Youth Program Development

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CSEA (Civil Service Employees Association) **New York, NY**
Labor Education Specialist *May 2026 – Present*

- Instructional designer and trainer delivering content and instruction focused on workforce development, leadership growth, and member training for the union
- Wrote the department's first training playbook, documenting scheduling, workshop requests, and regional conference procedures previously shared informally.
- Delivered and developed training for newly elected statewide union officers, teaching them how to administer contracts, manage union finances, and build active members, in-person and virtually

Independent Consulting & Advisory Projects **Troy, NY/ Remote Int'l**
Social Impact & Program Design and Engagement *February 2025 – Present*

- Coordinated and delivered program design, curriculum development, and community engagement projects for education nonprofits and social enterprises
- Developed federally funded curriculum for autistic youth transitioning to independent living, aligning educational outcomes with government compliance and family-centered care principles
- Designed feedback and evaluation frameworks for community-based organizations, translating data into actionable program improvements
- Produced professional-grade program prototypes and implementation plans, demonstrating instructional design, staff training, and learner engagement expertise

Schmidt Futures in Partnership with Rhodes Trust, Oxford **New York, NY/ Oxford, UK**
Director of Networking and Community Building, Rise (Hybrid) *May 2023 - September 2024*

Community Partnership & Program Development

- Established strategic partnerships with 20+ leading universities, research institutions, and innovation centers to co-design educational programming and community learning experiences for global youth network
- Cultivated and managed ongoing relationships with community organizations, academic partners, and subject-matter experts to align program content with diverse participant needs and cultural contexts
- Developed pilot programs and learning frameworks serving 400 core participants and 2,000+ community members, embedding continuous feedback loops to assess community needs and refine programming approaches
- Led needs assessments and stakeholder consultations to identify gaps in access and opportunity, designing responsive programs that increased participation by 87% across underrepresented demographics

Program Implementation & Evaluation

- Directed end-to-end implementation of large-scale community convenings, including residential summits and virtual programming, coordinating cross-functional teams and 30+ contractors to ensure culturally responsive delivery
- Managed $1.5M program budget with fiscal accountability, overseeing vendor contracts, expense tracking, and resource allocation to maximize accessibility and program quality
- Created evaluation frameworks and collected qualitative/quantitative data to measure program impact, community satisfaction, and long-term engagement outcomes
- Designed digital tools and CRM infrastructure to maintain ongoing relationships with community participants and track engagement across the program lifecycle

Clinton Foundation **New York, NY**
Deputy Director of Impact and Design, CGI U (Remote) *September 2018 - May 2023*

Community Engagement & Relationship Management

- Managed portfolio of 13,000+ student social impact projects via Blackbaud CRM, providing year-round support and resources to community-based initiatives across 80+ countries
- Built and sustained collaborative relationships with university partners, community organizations, and nonprofit leaders to expand program reach and deepen community impact
- Developed and facilitated 55+ person global mentorship program connecting students with community leaders and alumni experts, providing training and ongoing support to strengthen mentorship relationships

- Conducted extensive outreach to students, universities, and community groups to drive program awareness and applications, resulting in 83% increase in year-over-year engagement

Educational Program Design & Content Development

- Designed and launched the 1st year-round social impact and sustainable entrepreneurship curriculum engaging 2,500+ participants, building complete educational architecture from needs assessment through evaluation (later made available via edX platform)
- Produced 25+ workshops, community events, and virtual trainings annually, focused on community organizing, leadership development, and grassroots project implementation
- Collaborated with subject-matter experts and community practitioners to create accessible, culturally relevant educational content addressing local and global challenges
- Guided fellows and alumni through community-based project planning, public storytelling, and sustainable development strategies

Impact Measurement & Stakeholder Communication

- Oversaw community impact metrics and data collection, producing progress reports and executive briefings highlighting community outcomes and participant achievements
- Prepared program updates and impact narratives for funders and institutional partners, contributing to donor cultivation and grant renewal efforts
- Identified and elevated compelling community stories for foundation communications, media features, and marketing materials
- Engaged with philanthropic partners to align program deliverables with funder priorities and community needs

COMMUNITY SCIENCE EDUCATION & OUTREACH

The Rockstar Anthropologist — **New York, US**
Creator, Educator, Science Communicator — *April 2015– Present*

- Built digital platform and mobile bone lab reaching 25,000+ annual visitors and 5,300+ underserved students across underfunded New York schools and community centers, translating complex scientific knowledge into accessible, hands-on learning experiences
- Designed and coordinated public science and culture education workshops, summer camps, and school-based programs, managing logistics, materials, and community partnerships end-to-end
- Produced digital content, including YouTube series, podcast features, and live events connecting scientists, artists, and local audiences
- **Instructor**, Forensic Anthropology (Tales in Our Bones), Office of Workforce Development and Community Education, Hudson Valley Community College, April 2026; June 2026; September 2026

CREDENTIALS

- **Fellow, Royal Anthropological Institute (FRAI), July 2025**
- **Research Methods Certification, University of London, April 2026**
- **CPD Accreditation Endorsement | Regulated Qualifications Framework (RQF) for UK and EU**
  Accrediting Assessment by Changefactor Limited, UK
  - **Learning & Development / Educational Innovation (2025)**
    - Endorsed at RQF for strategic leadership in education design, learning innovation, and public engagement
  - **Creative Media & Digital Storytelling (2025)**
    - Endorsed at RQF 7–8 for cross-sector expertise in curriculum design, public scholarship, and creative program architecture, specializing in hybrid learners
  - **Social Innovation / Program Development (2025)**
    - Endorsed at RQF 8 for strategic program architecture, participatory design, and capacity strengthening

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS & LECTURES

- "Engaging the Public: Anthropology's Power to Impact Communities," in *Bioarchaeology, Activism and Social Justice: Equitable and Sustainable Global Futures*. Chapter Author, March 2026. Springer Nature.
- University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign: Beyond Traditional Science Communication, Guest Lecture; October 2021–2025, January 2026
- VentureWell OPENMinds Conference: Storytelling for Social Impact, Workshop; March 2023, March 2024

EDUCATION

Master's in Anthropology, Biological and Forensic
City University of New York, Hunter | New York, NY

Bachelor's Honors in Culture and Media Studies
The New School, Lang College | New York, NY

TECHNICAL SKILLS

CRM: Salesforce, Blackbaud, Airtable, Notion

Collaboration: Asana, Slack, Zoom, Microsoft Teams

Content Creation: Canva, Adobe Creative Cloud, Final Cut Pro

Educational Platforms: edX, Moodle, Google Classroom/ Suite, Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Teams, PowerPoint)

**Additional publications, lectures, taught workshops, media features, and professional references available upon request*