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# EDUCATION

**Master of Arts in Criminology & Criminal Justice,** University of Maryland **Expected May 2023**

**Bachelor of Arts in Criminology, Sociology,** University of Florida, Honors College **December 2020**

**Minor in Studio Art,** University of Florida **GPA:** 4.00/4.00

# WORK EXPERIENCE

**Children Beyond Our Borders, Inc.**

***Administrative Intern* October 2019 to December 2020**

* Managed and organized operational documents, updated data, and coordinated meetings with executive management
* Tracked the completion of contracts, orientation, and other materials for interns and managers

**The Bob Graham Center for Public Service,** University of Florida

***Mentor* January 2020 to April 2020**

* Chosen as one of seven students to mentor undergraduate student researchers for Barometer Florida
* Supervised student researchers as they explored climate change and preparedness in southeast Florida counties

***Graham Civic Scholar* January 2019 to April 2019**

* Researched and wrote a report on affordable housing in Highlands and Okeechobee County, Florida
* Chosen out of the program’s group of students to report on two counties
* Interviewed housing officials and key players about the critical issues concerning affordable housing in their county

***Graham Civic Scholar* January 2018 to April 2018**

* Researched and wrote a report on access to voting in Indian River County, Florida including topics like electoral primaries, minority access to voting, voter registration, and voter turnout
* Interviewed the Supervisor of Elections for Indian River County and office officials about the critical issues concerning access to voting in their county

**Individual Work for Dr. William Marsiglio**

***Research Assistant*  May 2019 to August 2019**

* Assisted Dr. Marsiglio’s *Kids Who Tri* in the book’s final stages by editing the text and endorsements, creating an index, and reviewing advertising options
* Researched historical and popular culture examples for a second book in its beginning stages
* Collaborated on a theory regarding group bonding

# LEADERSHIP AND INVOLVEMENT

**UF Criminology and Law Honor Society,** University of Florida

***Member*  August 2018 to December 2020**

* Participated in community service, social events, and professional networking

**Martin County Jail,** Stuart, FL

***Volunteer*  June 2018 to August 2018**

* Completed 54 hours of clerical work for various deputies and sergeants
* Filed confidential paperwork, worked in reception, and organized regulatory information

**2018 Future of Florida Summit,** University of Florida

***Attendee*  February 2018**

* Chosen from Florida’s brightest college students from schools across the state
* Shadowed some of Florida’s top environmental scholars while learning about multiple environmental concerns facing Florida, focusing especially on water
* Drafted environmental policy that would be submitted to a board of policy experts