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EDUCATION	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN Ross School of Business, School for Env. and Sustainability Master of Business Administration, Master of Science (4.0 GPA), April 2020 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Emphases: Human Capital and Social Impact; Behavior, Education, and CommunicationLeadership: Erb Institute SAB Director of Recruiting, Center for Positive Organizations +LAB Fellow, Ross MBA Council DEI Committee Member, Co-founder of the Fundación Maria Amor Women's Business Empowerment Center, Author of "Leadership WIZBITS: A Changemaker's Guide", Rackham DEI Professional Certificate Graduation SpeakerAwards: SEAS Dean's Fellow, Dow Masters Fellow, U.S. Peace Corps Coverdell Fellow, Rackham Non-Traditional Fellowship Finalist, Erb Institute Recruitment Award	Ann Arbor, MI
	MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY Bachelor of Arts (summa cum laude, 3.98 GPA), May 2010 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Marquette Outstanding Leadership Award, Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society, Founder of the Marquette Triathlon Club (New Student Organization of the Year Award)	Milwaukee, WI
EXPERIENCE 2018-Present	APARAJITHA CORPORATE SERVICES Global Impact Fellow <ul style="list-style-type: none">Designed framework for launch of innovative coaching program which trains business managers and entrepreneurs as data-driven decision-makers in emerging economiesDeveloped coaching curriculum content, coach position description and hiring guide, train-the-trainer workshop, and curated business education platform for novice coaches	Madurai, India
2018	ROSS OPEN ROAD Open Road Fellow <ul style="list-style-type: none">Analyzed landscape for affordable childcare in Detroit and created cost-benefit analysis with strategic recommendations for expanding childcare agency portfolio of servicesInterviewed diverse stakeholders affiliated with Asheville-based staffing agency, revised onboarding strategy, and designed training materials to decrease employee attrition rate	Ann Arbor, MI
2014-2017	UNITED STATES PEACE CORPS Regional Leader and Leadership Training Consultant, 2016-2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Managed 30 volunteers in 4 provinces via peer-mentoring, coaching, and personalized site visits, resulting in improved relations between remote volunteers and senior staffAnalyzed volunteer attrition problem and created innovative community network, increasing volunteer retention, engagement, and third-year leadership applicationsCollaborated with senior staff members to revolutionize volunteer training methodology; developed over 50 unique training sessions which increased volunteer productivity Business Development Consultant, 2014-2016 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Managed 24 business development consulting projects nationwide, resulting in new product launches, improved organizational effectiveness, and expanded market shareAssembled 10-person management team which re-founded Peace Corps' El Clima Magazine, growing quarterly readership to 10,000 and strengthening the Peace Corps Ecuador brand	Cuenca, Ecuador
2011-2013	HOSEA'S HEART INC. Co-Founder and Director of Financial Accountability <ul style="list-style-type: none">Created visionary business plan for start-up international NGO; recruited 30-person team of volunteers, board of directors, and legal advisors resulting in the launch of a girls' homeLaunched \$100K fundraising campaign, attained 501(c)(3) IRS tax-exempt status, and managed lean NGO accounting systems which lowered overhead and increased donor trust	Manzini, Swaziland
2010-2013	LEGACY COLLEGE FUNDING Co-Founder and Director of Operations <ul style="list-style-type: none">Analyzed and revised 8 years of parent company financial records to pass IRS audit; evaluated and restructured \$100K of company debt, leading to first year of company profitInitiated partnerships with 20 community organizations to present 50 college funding workshops, growing client database and increasing financial product sales by 200%	Madison, WI
ADDITIONAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Spanish (advanced); Trans America Bike Race finisher; AT hiking enthusiast; IRONMAN	