

Daniel Goffer

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EDUCATION

Goucher College, Baltimore, MD, May 20xx

Bachelor of Arts, Sociology with a concentration in Social Justice, *GPA*: 3.52

Honors: Dean's List, Alpha Kappa Delta Sociological Honors Society member

NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS

Co-author, "Still Serving Time: Struggling with Homelessness, Incarceration and Re-entry in Baltimore"

- Published by Health Care for the Homeless, Inc. in *Health Care for the Homeless Advocacy Materials*, 20xx

Governor's Citation, Summer 20xx

- Recognized for service in the nonprofit sector and for completing the Walter Sondheim Jr. Nonprofit Leadership Program.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT and SOCIAL JUSTICE RESEARCH

Independent Research Project, Winter 20xx – present

- Conducted a participatory action research study with several Baltimoreans who have experienced homelessness.
- Teach photography skills to several willing volunteers who have experienced homelessness and help them create photo-journals about topics of their choosing.
- Use participant interviews and photo-journals to write an academic paper about the experience of homelessness as seen by those who have lived it.

Student Government Association (SGA), *Vice-President for Social Justice*, Fall 20xx – Winter 20xx

- Chaired the Social Justice Committee which promotes community-based learning programs, provided advice and guidance to student volunteers and organized public events about pertinent social issues.
- Managed 12 percent of SGA's yearly budget, totaling \$24,000 annually.

National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week in Baltimore, *Student Organizer*, Fall 20xx

- Worked with an intercollegiate group of students, AmeriCorps VISTA members and community members to organize "A Bench is not a Bed", a major annual intercollegiate educational event which teaches students methods of preventing homelessness in their communities.
- Organized a large fundraising concert to support a new grassroots newspaper called *Word on the Street* (www.wordonthestreetbaltimore.org) which features articles that are written by people who have experienced homelessness so as to educate the general public about the issue.

Health Care for the Homeless, Inc., *Student Researcher*, Baltimore, MD, Summer 20xx, 20xx

- Designed research study which focused on issues that those experiencing homelessness face.
- Interviewed several hundred people experiencing homelessness around Baltimore City.
- Processed data gathered from interviews and co-authored a policy report using the research findings.

Social Justice Committee, *Member*, Fall 20xx – Spring 20xx

- Helped to promote and design several events related to social problems in Baltimore and educated students about ways to get involved as volunteers in the city.

Food Not Bombs, *Volunteer*, Spring 20xx

- Helped to cook and serve free healthy vegetarian food to families in low-income communities in Baltimore.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Goucher College, *Barista/Cook*, Baltimore, MD, Fall 20xx – Spring 20xx

- Cooked and served food and drinks to students at the campus café.

Ivy Brand Farm, *Farm Hand*, Harwood, MD, Summer 20xx

- Tended to several acres of crops five days a week for the duration of the summer.
- Planted and cared for crops; harvested produce and cleaned it for sale at the local market.