

# WALTER WASHINGTON

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## EDUCATION

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**University of Georgia**, Honors Program Athens, GA  
May 2023  
*Bachelor of Arts, Political Science* | School of Public & International Affairs  
*Bachelor of Arts, Spanish* | Franklin College of Arts & Sciences GPA: 3.73/4.00

**Certificate in Personal and Organizational Leadership** August 2022 - Present

- Participant in highly selective year-long leadership development program of academic courses, personal assessments, experiential learning, team building, and community service

**Study Abroad: Oxford University | Oxford, England** August 2021 - December 2021

- Earned 6 credit hours taught by Oxford faculty using a unique tutorial method

## RELEVANT COURSEWORK

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Leadership and Personal Development, Personal Career Management and Service Learning, Organizational Leadership, Business Spanish, International Organization

## INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

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**Benton, Getchell & Grayson, LLC**, *Virtual Law Intern* | Remote August 2021 - Present

- Contribute to daily operations of workers' compensation and general liability law firm representing employers and insurers through online platforms, including Slack and Zoom
- Draft motions and participate in depositions, mediations, and trial preparation
- Update correspondence of clients, opposing counsel, and physicians with case information

**The Population Institute**, *Intern* | Washington, D.C. June 2020 - August 2020

- Created and negotiated student scholarship program that served 15 students per year
- Managed relations for World Population Day Symposium with international press and NGOs
- Wrote 4 grant proposals and improved the effectiveness of direct mailing fundraising
- Advocated with Congress and NGOs for issue awareness in legislative decisions

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

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**UGA Department of University Housing**, *Resident Assistant* | Athens, GA August 2021 - Present

- Design, implement, and evaluate educational programs for up to 100 participants, including an Effective Leadership workshop series
- Utilize communication and counseling skills to supervise 65 students in a residence hall
- Quickly respond to crises and enforce university housing policies
- Compile annual facility inventory and year-end report for the Housing Executive Board

**YMCA Camp Harbor**, *Head Counselor* | Gainesville, GA May 2019 - July 2019

- Selected by supervisor to interview, hire, and train 36 counselors
- Developed an innovative leadership training curriculum for new staff onboarding
- Taught leadership lessons to groups of 5-15 campers, ages 7-10
- Designed comprehensive camp schedule for daily activities involving 300+ campers

## ADDITIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

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**UGA Honors Program**, *Student Assistant* | Athens, GA September 2019 – Present

**Russell Hall**, *Desk Assistant* | Athens, GA August 2020 - May 2021

**Dillard's**, *Sales Associate* | Alpharetta, GA May 2018 - August 2019

## HONORS & AWARDS

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HOPE Scholarship Recipient August 2019 - Present

Dean's List 5 semesters

Governor's Scholarship August 2019 - May 2020

UGA Rotary Top 12 Award Winner February 2020