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## Education

California State University, Monterey Bay May 2023  
Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Language & Hispanic Cultures  
Minor: Chicana Studies; GPA: 3.9

## Experience

Ambassador, Undergraduate Research Opportunities Center, Seaside, CA August 2021 - Present

- Presents to 13 undergraduate groups across campus about the benefits of undergraduate research
- Develops university-wide research workshops to correspond with National Hispanic Serving Institution Week and Undergraduate Research Week

Mentor, California State University, Monterey Bay, Seaside, CA August 2021 - Present

- Coaches two Mentor Collective students through the transition from high school to college
- Connects first-generation college students to support resources to improve their academic performance

Peer Mentor, Pay It Forward Scholarship & Mentoring Program, Seaside, CA January 2021 - Present

- Assesses mentees have adequate social and emotional support through bi-monthly check-ins
- Serves as a role model to three Monterey County Latinas navigating higher education culture
- Validates mentee's college-going experiences as real, worthy, and opportunities for growth

Mentor, First Tee of Monterey County Center for Learning, Salinas, CA August 2019 - Present

- Supports a mentee's academic growth through secondary education
- Demystifies four-year college matriculation and misconceptions for first-generation student

Volunteer, Bardin Elementary School, Salinas, CA November 2022 – December 2022

- Utilized small group reading practice resulting in advanced reading level within a month
- Contributed to students reading advanced grade-level material with increased speed, ease, and confidence

Service Learner, Cesar Chavez Library, Salinas, CA September 2021 - December 2021

- Administered computer lessons tailored for older adults using technology for the first time
- Reviewed common citizenship concepts to improve participant's performance on the U.S. citizenship test

Service Learner, Chualar Union Elementary School, Chualar, CA September 2020 - December 2020

- Facilitated virtual small-group mathematics instruction
- Graded students quantitative and qualitative assignments and recorded their performance in Google Classroom

## Skills

Bilingual in Spanish and English; NVivo; Microsoft Excel, PowerPoint & Word; Google Workspace; CPR & AED Certified