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CURRENT POSITION

Post-baccalaureate Fellow, Department of Clinical Bioethics, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD

EDUCATION

- 1998-2002 BA, Brown University, Providence, RI
Political Science, Human Biology, *Magna cum laude* (highest honors)
Honors Research: International Justice & the Human Right to Health: Debating Intellectual Property law, access to essential medicines and the WTO
- 2000-2001 Oxford University, Oxford, England
Philosophy and Neuroscience Departments

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Sigma Xi Biology honors society
Phi Sigma Alpha Polisci honors society

PAST POSITIONS

- 2001 NYU School of Law, Professor Dorothy Nelkin- Research Assistant
Genetics, Art and Paternity Testing Project
- 1999 Ethics and Public Policy Center- Research Assistant, Washington DC
Medical Science and Society Project
- 2001 The Best Medicine.com- Researcher and Developer, San Francisco, CA
- 2001 Experimental Psychology Research- Research Assistant, Oxford, England
- 1999 The Center for Policy Alternatives- Health Policy Fellow, Washington DC
- 1999 InvesTogether.com Inc.- Co-Founder, Providence, RI

PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

“The Rule of Law and the ‘Good Life’: Reconsidering Theories of Just Distribution in Light of New Medical Technologies.” Oxford University, June 2001.

Researched and Reviewed: Dorothy Nelkin, “Paternity Palaver in the Media: Selling Identity Tests,” *DNA identity*, October 15, 2001.

Researched and Critiqued: Sally Satel, P.C. M.D. How Political Correctness is Corrupting Medicine, Basic Books: New York, 2000.

“The Communications Decency Act and Freedom of Speech: Analyzing the First Amendment Implication of New Communications Technologies.” Published by the W.A.L.K.S Foundation, Hartford, CT, May 1998.

SERVICE / EXTRACURRICULAR

2001-2002 AIDS Education Project, Providence, RI

1999-2002 Brown University Socially Responsible Investment Committee

1999 Speaking Tour: Socially Responsible Investment Movement & the WTO

1998 Nepal and Tibet Education and Service Project

1998 Photography Expedition/ Exhibition Grant

1997 Alaskan Community Service Project

LANGUAGES

English, Spanish (intermediate)