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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND
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HSS Scholar

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MAJORS: HISTORY AND BIOLOGY

Educational Highlights: The College of Charleston has allowed me to integrate my interests in both scientific and humanitarian studies through a double-major in history and biology. I am a Palmetto Fellows Scholar and an associate member of Alpha Epsilon Delta-Premedical Honor Society. I have maintained 3.8 cumulative GPA with a 4.0 in history throughout my college career. Some of the most valuable educational experiences I have had outside of the classroom include working as a medical scribe and high school tutor for the past two years as well as participating in medical volunteer and personal trips to countries, such as Honduras, Peru, and Chile.

Research Focus or Project: My main area of interest is in the history of medicine, particularly in modern Europe and the United States. This summer, I will complete my senior research essay in London. I have chosen to focus on a forgotten figure in history, George Shuttleworth (1842-1928), who devoted his life to the physiological study and destigmatization of learning disabilities at the end of the asylum era in Victorian Britain.

Future Plans: I will continue to integrate historical and scientific studies throughout my scholastic and practical life, as I feel the two are directly related. After graduation, I will work as a medical scribe and technician while applying to physician assistant programs. However, I hope to actively contribute new scholarship to the history of medicine, whether through personal research or in pursuit of a history PhD after completing a master's degree in physician assistantship.



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