Xavier Bell

EDUCATION

Emory University, Atlanta GA

Bachelor of Science in Neuroscience and Behavioral Biology | Bachelor of Arts in Dance and Movement Studies

Skills

MS Office 365 Suite, R Programming, Google Suite, French (Proficient), Arabic (Learning), Japanese (Learning), Social Media Marketing, Graphic Design, Statistical Analysis, Communication, Research Laboratory Skills, Pedagogy and Teaching Experience

Honors

Mississippi Scholars, National Honor Society, McMullan Family Foundation Honors, 1915 Scholars Program, Undergraduate Research Fellow

EXPERIENCE

Student Case Management

Social Media Management, Graphic Designer, Student Worker | August 2018 - March 2020

- SCMIS program committed to enhancing the security of students through mediation and campus workshop programs, social media interest forms, and graphic design flyers to help amplify and provide space for students experiencing adverse situations.
- Disseminated campus-wide newsletter featuring stories of first-generation undergraduates such as myself, and stories of growth, trial, and success.

Student Researcher

Emory School of Medicine - Department of Cell Biology | May 2020 - Present

- Neuroscience investigative research concerning sympathetic muscular neurons in mice/rats, and the elucidation of axonal regeneration following traumatic brain injury, and how locomotion and movement can act as a therapeutic intermediary to those experiencing such dispositions.
- Involved statistical analysis and quantitative research into sympathetic receptor intensity in/without the presence of traumatic brain injury and presented own research at Emory's Undergraduate Research Symposium.

Emory Dance Program

Student Choreographer/Dancer/Teacher | August 2019 - Present

- Participated, managed, and orchestrated dance works through the school's dance company. Learned transverse anatomical and professional techniques that can be applied across different fields, occupations, and paths of life.
- Presented solo work across campus and the Atlanta community, and applied movement repertoire in the field of therapy to assist in individuals
 experiencing locomotive difficulties.
- Experience teaching undergraduate students to dance, and lead participated in community events designed to teach dance to youth.

Data Analyst and Marketing Intern

Center for Belonging and Community Justice | August 2020 - Present

 Managed, organized, and secured public engagement pertaining to program outreach and support., and assisted in streamlining program data that could better serve the community and its faculties

Student Manager

Emory Student Center | June 2019 - Present

- Assisted and facilitated varying projects pertaining to campus club promotion and general workplace management.
- Developed key management and multitasking skills through project balancing and faculty upkeep.

Project Management and Media Specialist

Center for Student Success, Programs, and Services | August 2018 - March 2020

Media design, management, and execution

- Deepened graphic design skills through repeated execution of various creative and manipulative software (Photoshop, Word, Powerpoint, etc.)
- Curated program newsletters designed to outline and share first generational experiences and perspectives.

Data collection and analysis

Facilitated semi-structured workshops aimed to gauge, provide for, and mitigate student crises and office management.

VOLUNTEER

Resident Hall Association Volunteer Chair

RHA Association | August 2018 - May 2019

- Sustain relationships with individuals through community and school collaborations, and organized learning opportunities for students on sustainable and effective mediums for volunteer
- Facilitated events designed to engage students and the local community in volunteering opportunities

Volunteer Emory Member

Alternative Break Program/Additional Volunteering Programs | 2019

• Participated in a programs designed to provide support and aide through various Floridian and Southern communities, ranging from ecosystem restoration, community cleanup, homeless shelter assistance, to increasing community biodiversity through planting.

Peer Health Partner

PHP Program | August 2019 - March 2020

• Educated students and community on ways of engaging in healthy practices and underwent research designed to analyze eating patterns and deficit behaviors.

LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT Emory Chapter of NAACP

Health Committee Member | August 2020 - Present

- Develop and design programs/events aimed to attune individuals to health awareness.
- Utilized personal dance experience to organize meditative/yoga events to provide a relaxing and safe space during a period of stress.

Programs and Research Chair | August 2021 - Present

- Facilitated research with optimal implementation of chapter programs and community engagement.
- Coordinated group/community bonding events, informational experiences, and analyzing engagement analytics.

First Year Advisory Board

Committee Chair | August 2018 - May 2019

• Facilitated dialogue with peers pertaining to the First-Year experience, through such additionally offered ways chiefly designed to empower and encourage growth and community.

1915 Scholars Program

Peer Mentor | August 2018 - Present

• Program designed to support and celebrate the first generation experience. Through such, events, discussions, and community building were focal in conveying a message of belonging and existing support. Currently a Peer Mentor, and fellow first generation student, a position designed to facilitate scholar freshmen's transition from High School to College.

Ethics and Student Leadership

Student Member | August 2020 - Present

• D. Abbott Turner Program in Ethics and Servant Leadership designed to shape and build prospective leaders within communities. Promotes ethically engaging discussions around faculty lead cohorts for the purpose of strengthening communities and promoting the pursuit of common good.

Emory Common Read Committee

Student Member | August 2019 - 2020

• Board dedicated to the enhancement of Emory-affiliated literary experience, where we discussed and chose books that highlighted the broad experience, culture, challenge, and triumph of individual lives and journeys. Helped assist in selecting the campus wide year's book selection 'Education,' a work by Tara Westover, and a memoir concerning personal journey and the unyielding pursuit of education.

Daycare Supervision

Youth Daycare Supervisor | August 2017 - July 2018