

Aaliyah Mendoza

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EDUCATION

University of Virginia

Bachelors of Science in Commerce

Charlottesville, Virginia

Expected May 2027

Cathedral High School

High School Diploma

New York, New York

2019 - 2023

GPA: 94.57/100

EXPERIENCE

BLK Capital Management, Corp

Remote

Community Member

February 2023 - Present

- Have the opportunity to network and engage with more than 50 of their sponsor firms and receive exclusive recruitment.
- Produce stock pitches and execute equity research while having access to the optional education program.

Columbia Business School

Enrichment Program Student

Remote

February 2023 - March 2023

- Enrolled in The Business of Luxury course.

The Roger Lehecka Double Discovery Center at Columbia University

Saturday Academy Student

New York, New York

January 2023 - April 2023

- Enrolled in the Creative Writing and First-Gen Investors courses.

Columbia Business School/Columbia-Harlem SBDC

Bookkeeper

New York, New York/Remote

November 2022 - December 2022

- Explore the basic components of sound accounting & bookkeeping practices
- Leverage QuickBooks and apply accounting methods to conduct essential bookkeeping functions
- Consult with a small business in the Harlem area
- Electronically scan receipts
- Create invoices
- Reconcile bank statements
- Track billing expenses and cash flow

DECKO (The Deck Co.)

Business Analyst Intern

Remote

November 2022 - January 2023

- Navigate Crunchbase to gain information about potential business partners
- Communicate with founder about research acquisitions

The Roger Lehecka Double Discovery Center at Columbia University

Saturday Academy Student

New York, New York

October 2022 - December 2022

- Enrolled in the 12th Grade College Prep, African American Protest Music: From BeBop to Tik Tok and Gender and Racial Passing in Black Literature and Film courses.

Cathedral High School

Office Development Intern

New York, New York

September 2022 - May 2023

- Create eNewsletters
- Write letters to alumni
- Conduct research
- Enter and File data
- Facilitate school events

Columbia Business School

First Generation Entrepreneurs Program Intern

New York, New York

August 2022 - October 2022

- Conduct and function the QuickBooks software by Intuit
- Partner with small business owners to do their financial bookkeeping
- Learn the significance in having an entrepreneurial mindset and owning brilliance within a business setting.

Just Salad

Team Member

New York, New York

July 2022 - August 2022

- Provided customers with an overview of all food products in store.
- Fulfilled orders by making them then processing the orders at the cashier.
- Cleaned the store and supplies during closing.

Columbia University, Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons

State Pre-College Enrichment Program (S-PREP) Student

New York, New York

July 2022 - August 2022

- Enrolled in and completed the PSAT course.

Fordham University, Gabelli School of Business

Fordham Finance Institute: Wall Street in the Classroom Student

New York, New York

June 2022 - July 2022

- An introductory class to Finance Fundamentals including Investments and Analysis, Alternative Investments, Investment and Risk Management, Ethics and Current and Future Trends.

Baruch College

New York, New York

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Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP) Academy Student/Panelist February 2022 - April 2022

- Enrolled in and completed the Transition Skills: College and Career and Geometry Review courses.
- Hosted a Baruch Step Academy Alumni Panel with guest speakers Angel Montesdeoca, Halima Begum and Gregory Francis Jr.

Baruch College

Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP) Academy Student New York, New York
October 2020 - December 2020

- Enrolled in and completed the Understanding Statistics and Chemistry Review courses.

HONORS

- Interviewed and featured on the BronxNet Television network for the segment on the First Generation Entrepreneurs Program at Columbia Business School October 2022
- Most Conscientious Award at the First Generation Entrepreneurs Program at Columbia Business School October 2022
- Certificate of Participation and the successful completion of the First Generation Entrepreneurs Program at Columbia Business School October 2022
- QuestBridge National College Match Finalist October 2022
- Certificate of Participation and the successful completion of the 2022 State Pre-College Enrichment Program at Columbia University, Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons August 2022
- Completion of the Finance Institute: Wall Street in the Classroom Program at The Gabelli School of Business at Fordham University July 2022
- Peter M. Flanigan Scholarship July 2022
- Certificate of Academic Excellence June 2022
- Certificate of Completion for Spring 2022 Baruch Step Academy Program April 2022
- QuestBridge College Prep Scholar April 2022

LEADERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

- Yearbook Committee, Member September 2022 - May 2023
- Student Council, Member May 2022 - May 2023
- Natural Hair Committee, Founder and President November 2021 - May 2023
A brilliant committee that brings awareness to the beauty of natural hair within the Black and Hispanic community. The committee also donates hair products to homeless minorities in New York City.
- National Honors Society September 2021 - May 2023
- Majority Club, Art Team Director September 2020 - May 2023
A social justice group that discusses world-wide issues related to people of color.
- Future Business Leaders of America Club, President September 2020 - May 2023
A club where high school students prepare for careers in business through academic competitions, leadership development, and educational programs.

VOLUNTEER WORK

- English 10 Honors Grader March 2022 - May 2023
- Chemistry Tutor September 2021 - May 2023
- Sutton Place Parks Conservancy September 2019
- Sutton Place Physical Therapy September 2019

INVOLVEMENT

- 100 Women in Finance
- Blacks on Wall Street
- Matriculate

SKILLS

Technical: Proficient in Quickbooks, Google Docs, Google Sheets, Google Slides, Google/Microsoft Powerpoint, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Canva, Squarespace, Adobe Premiere Pro

Interests: Innovation, Finance, Social Justice, Book Reading, Astrology, Birth Chart Reading, Tarot Card Reading, Herbalism, Meditation, Painting, Drawing, Hair Care, Skin Care, Singing, Cooking

LANGUAGES

- Fluent in African American Vernacular English
- Working knowledge of Latin
- Working knowledge of American Sign Language