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## EDUCATION

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| <b>MD</b>  | Schulich School of Medicine - Western University,<br>Class of 2027    | September 2023 - Present   |
| <b>BSc</b> | University of Toronto Mississauga,<br>Specialist in Biology, cGPA 4.0 | September 2018 - June 2022 |

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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| <b>Research Assistant</b> , Western University,<br>Supervisor: Dr. Jaspreet Bhangu<br>Project Title: Orthostatic Hypotension in Geriatric Patients  | December 2023 – Present   |
| <b>Research Assistant</b> , Acquired Brain Injury Lab, UHN,<br>Supervisor: Dr. Tatyana Mollayeva<br>Project Title: Treating cognitive impairments in primary central nervous system infections: A systematic review of pharmacological interventions<br>Paper published online 2023 Jul 14 in Medicine Journal<br>doi: 10.1097/MD.00000000000034151 | September 2021 – May 2023 |
| <b>Research Assistant</b> , University of Toronto Mississauga,<br>Supervisor: Dr. Fiona Rawle<br>Project Title: Student Perspectives on Building Connection in Online Courses   | August 2020 – June 2022   |
| <b>Research Assistant</b> , University of Toronto Mississauga,<br>Supervisor: Dr. Doug VanderLaan<br>Project Title: Gender-based Differences in Math Abilities and Math Stereotypes   | May 2019 – May 2020       |

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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| <b>Academy Of Mathematics and English</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Support students with different learning abilities in enhancing their skills involving math and reading</li><li>• Create student-specific study plan to optimize student learning</li></ul>  | September 2018-Present  |
| <b>Centre for Student Engagement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Support UTM ONE Scholars Programs, Scholars Collective Events, and Scholars Research Fair</li><li>• Designed programming and initiatives focused on student academic success</li><li>• Created Undergraduate-Graduate mentorship program for 150+ students</li><li>• Established online interactive student community and created interactive events.</li><li>• Supervise and track the progress of 2 project stream and 1 research stream projects identifying issues in the Peel Region and providing accessible and reasonable solutions to them</li><li>• Plan and facilitate weekly meetings with the three teams of ~15 volunteers.</li></ul> | August 2019-August 2023 |
| <b>Trillium Health Partners Elbow Support Staff</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Support implementation of EPIC Hospital Information System at 3 hospital location.</li><li>• Gave 1-on-1 guidance to physicians, nurses, and hospital staff and assist with problems during information and data entry.</li></ul>  | July 2020-December 2020 |
| <b>Odyssey Medical Advanced Medical Responder</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provide First Aid Care and attend to Medical emergencies at Region of Peel Mass Vaccination Clinics</li></ul>  | May 2021-September 2023 |

## **RELEVANT EXTRACURRICULAR AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

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- Hippocratic Council Class of 2027** November 2023 – Present  
**Student Affairs Committee (SAC) Representative**
- Planned two student wellness-focused events, fostering mental health awareness and community support.
  - Adjudicated student leadership awards, recognizing outstanding achievements and contributions to campus life.
  - Advocated for student needs as a liaison between the student body and administrative faculty, enhancing campus culture and welfare.
- Emergency Medicine Interest Group (IMIG) Junior Exec** October 2023 – Present
- Collaborated with executives to plan and deliver hands-on and immersive emergency medicine skills event and workshops focused on important topics in emergency medicine.
- University of Toronto Operations Smile President** May 2020 – July 2023
- As the president and founder of the club, initiated online awareness and fundraiser events for Operations Smile Organization.
  - Raise awareness concerning prevalence of cleft conditions through workshops
- UTM Stem Fellowship - Events Coordinator (2020), VP (2021)** July 2020 – July 2023
- Design events to promote research in STEM fields and provide research internship opportunities to students that lack access to university research opportunities.
- Boss Women UTM - Events Coordinator (2020), President (2021)** July 2020 – July 2022
- Lead a team of 15 executive members and organize female-centered workshops focused on empowering women and raising awareness about struggles faced by women including self-defense, Breast Cancer Self-check and Menstrual Equity.
- UTM Psychology Facilitated Study Group Leader** September 2019 – August 2023
- Create session plans to foster student-led discussion on content and study strategies
  - Lead sessions with 35+ Psychology 100 Students to promote collaboration
- University of Toronto Enactus Project External Associate** August 2016 – June 2018
- Organized and planned logistics and schedule of UTM Enactus new-to-Canada workshops while collaborating with other stakeholders and executive team members
- HAL YES! Program Garth Webb President** August 2016 – June 2018
- Create events to foster inclusive environment, and highlighting student voices
  - Organized trip to Indigenous community reserves with other Halton Schools
- OTHS Muslim Student Association President** May 2014 to December 2015
- Initiated the Muslim Student Association to increase the inclusion of Muslim students in the school
  - Organize educational seminars to promote knowledge about common misconceptions

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

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The Mariano A. Elia Scholarship	April 2020
Joseph Alfred Whealy In-Course Scholarship	September 2019
C David Naylor University Scholarship	June 2018
Lieutenant Governor's Community Volunteer Award	June 2018

## **SKILLS AND ABILITIES**

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- 5+ years of event organization experience
- Know how to accept instructions and learn from others
- Motivated to work cooperatively in a team environment