

Sara Nizar Zayat

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Education

American University of Beirut (AUB) -Hamra, Beirut, Lebanon

- MS in Rural Community Development (2018, 2020)
- B.S. in Environmental Health and Minor in Public Health (2015-2018)
- Recipient of a full three years MasterCard Foundation Scholarship (September 2015)
- Placed on the Dean's Honor List for Fall and Spring 2017-2018

Makassed – Omar Ben Al-Khattab –Beirut, Lebanon

- Graduated with a High School Diploma in General Sciences (June 2015)
- Full scholarship recipient for excellent academic performance (Grade 7-12) (2009-2015)

Work Experience

- **Graduate Research Assistant** at the Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences (2018, present)
- **Administrative Assistant** Student Services Office, AUB, Faculty of Arts and Sciences (August, 2018)
- **Intern at the Ministry of Environment** – Air Quality Department (August, 2017)
Integrated data related to guidelines regarding data validation and formulated the Monthly Air Quality Report for Lebanon and did site inspection for Coral composting facility in Burj Hammoud
- **Intern at Dar Al-Handasah** - Resources and Environment Department (June, 2017)
Conducting background research of Environmental Technical Paper for Kuwait, developing various projects proposals and doing a site inspection for Greater Beirut Water Supply Project in Damour area
- **Intern at Municipality of Sin El-Fil** the Cultural and Sports Center (July & August 2016)
- **Health Inspector for Fantasia Factory** (March & April 2017)
- **Occupational Health Inspector at AUB** (February 2017)
- **VP of Marketing and Public Relations in Injaz Company Program** (2013)

Trainings and Workshops

- **Participated in IBDA Conference - International Biodiversity Day at AUB** (2018)
- **The Mena Youth Debates For Energy Security and Climate Change** in Morocco – Presented Lebanon and AUB (2017)
- **Workshop: “The Social Change Model of Leadership Development”** (March 20, 2017)
- **Workshop: Citizenship** How to be an affective Citizen (16- 17- 18 January 2017)
- **Workshop: Entrepreneurship Week** Social media marketing/ How to initiate a start-up (2017)
- **Workshop: Innovation camp with INJAZ** (2016)
- **Workshop: Personal Development and Life Skills** (January 2016)
- **Camp on Leadership and Personality Development** (December 2014)
- **Advisor and delegate in “Model Arab League”** at Lebanese American University (2013-2015).

Social Work and Clubs

- **President at the Dream Catcher Club at AUB** (2017-Present)
- **MasterCard scholars cohort representative and mentor** (2017-2018)
- **AUB Outdoors Entertainment Team – Construction Team** (2016/2018)
- **Vice President at the Debate Club at AUB** (2017-2018)
- **Volunteer at the Ministry of Public Health** Breast Cancer Awareness Campaign (2017)

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- **Volunteering with Red Cross and Lebanon Reforestation Initiative** (2017)
- **Active Member** in: For All Causes Initiative - Health Sciences Student Society – Music Club – Evergreens Club (2016-2017)
- **Rwaiset El Ballout Municipality with UNHCR: Environmental Health Awareness Campaign:** volunteered in the implementation of the Municipal Waste Management Project (January – February 2017)
- **Leader at the Makassed Volunteering Unit** Tutoring in “Dar Al-Aytam”/ Event organizer and coordinator/ Team Leader / Lecturer (Sep 2010-Feb 2016)

Skills

- ❖ Proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Researching
- ❖ Proficient in Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (SPSS)