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Education:

- 2004 - 2018** **College des Apotres – Jounieh:**
French Baccalaureate (Honor's List) and received a grade of 20/20 on Oral Anticipation
- 2018 - 2021** **Bachelor of Arts, Major in Psychology, Minor in Biology – Lebanese American University:**
- **December 2021:** Graduated with distinction and CGPA of 3.52
 - Placed on the Distinction List twice for the Spring 2020 and Spring 2021 semesters.
 - Knowledgeable in the fields of Neuroscience, Research, Positive Psychology, and Counseling.

Experience:

- May 2022-Present** **Human Resources Assistant Intern — Beirut Digital District Academy**
- I assist the team at Forward MENA (previously known as BDD Academy) in recruiting fresh graduates for an internship program in partnership with the World Bank
- December 2021 - Present** **Youth Facilitator – Global Mental Health: Yes to Emotions in Youth (YHEY)**
- Research team member at LAU as part of the YHEY research project – An Emotional Intelligence Training for Vulnerable Youth in Lebanon
 - I am involved in program design, implementation, piloting and assisting in all milestones of the project.
- August 2021 – Present** **Emotional Support Provider — Be Brave Beirut**
- Received extensive training in PFA and MHPSS to provide emotional support sessions to beneficiaries.
 - Received additional trainings by HIMAYA, UNICEF and LebMASH and currently attending bi-monthly workshops and supervision sessions given by mental health professionals to ensure the quality of the mental health service I provide.
 - Interned at the organization where I supported the team in researching adequate assessment tools used for eventual referral of beneficiaries to mental health professionals and assisted in workshop resources management.
- June 2021 - Present** **The John's Atelier — Music and Arts School**
Recorder Private Tutor and Introduction to Music teacher for children aged from 5-10 years old.

Volunteer Work:

- Spring 2020** **Student Neuroscience Research Lab Volunteer — LAU, Byblos**
- Volunteered in one of Dr. Sama Sleiman's projects on the effect of exercise on depression symptoms in mice.
 - Assisted graduate students in conducting behavioral experiments pertaining exercise and learning in mice.
- June 2020 – December 2021** **Student Research Assistant — LAU, Byblos**
- Worked on the team of one of Dr. Maria-Jose Sanchez-Ruiz's research projects on Academic Learning in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic in Lebanon.
 - Drafted key parts of its literature review and worked on the research project's Conceptual Framework.

Extra-Curricular:

- 2015 - Present** **Guides du Liban – Groupe Guides des Apotres – Jounieh:**
- Active participation in organizing annual camp for children from low SES background in Lebanon (Camp Colonie).
 - Gave several workshops to youth groups on positive psychology and emotional intelligence.

Certifications:

- Fall 2020** **Social-Behavioral-Educational Researcher (1 - Basic Course) – CITIPProgram**
<https://www.citiprogram.org/verify/?w7622d63d-eb01-4d56-bd8a-b9ef469f6531-38570363>
- Fall 2021** **HIMAYA Safe Identification and Referral of Child Abuse**
- Summer 2021** **Psychological First Aid (PFA) – John Hopkins University**
- Summer 2021** **Mental Health Psychosocial Support (MHPSS) – Terre des Hommes Foundation**
- December 2021** **Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Training – Lebanese Medical Association for Sexual Health (LebMASH)**