# **Christan Riley Hopper**

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## **Education**

University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL

Bachelor of Psychology, Expected Graduation May 2020

Gardendale High School, Gardendale, AL

Advanced Academic with Distinction, May 2016

# **Work Experience**

Chick-Fil-A - Cashier

Fultondale, AL

April 2017 - Oct. 2017

- Converse with customers, listen to their orders and cater to high needs guests
- Responsible for the handling of money
- Bag guest's food, hand out the food to the guest and provide any other condiments
- Clean restaurant in accordance to the restaurant's protocols and standards
- Display a warm and friendly presence while conversing with customers

#### DiLorenzo Law Firm - Legal Assistant/Law Clerk

Birmingham, AL

Sept. 2016 - Oct. 2017

May 2018 - August 2018

- Plan and organize attorney's depositions and trial dates
- Ask the client interrogatories and type them into a court-approved document
- Conduct legal research for cases
- Creating Demand Packages and maintaining files
- Call Medical and Auto Insurance companies to set up claims or request Medical Records

### Self-employed - Private Tutor

Gardendale, AL

Jan. 2019 - present

- Instruct children from ages 6-8 on subjects that child struggles with in the school curriculum
- Organize and plan study sessions to accommodate individual student studying needs
- Help children learn by using various books, workbooks, flashcards, and computer programs
- Responsible for picking children up after school and supplying food and refreshments during tutoring session

### Little Imaginations Preschool – 2K Preschool Teacher

Hoover, AL

Aug. 2019 - May 2019

- Schedule and organize classroom activities, a month in advance
- Responsible for the supervision and wellbeing of multiple children
- Educating children in accordance with the appropriate age curriculum

- Communicating with parents, staff, and students on a regular basis
- Enforcing positive reinforcement in the classroom setting daily

## **Volunteer Experience**

## Children's Hospital in Alabama, Patient Pal Volunteer

April 2018 - present

- Spend time playing games or creating crafts that children find enjoyable
- One-on-one time with patients for 30-45 minutes to provide them amusement and parents relief
- Work with children of different ages (toddlers-teenagers)

# **Research Experience:**

## UAB Child & Adolescent Health Lab, Researching Assistant

January 2019 - July 2019

Assisted in the understanding of child and adolescent health related behaviors and wellness outcomes that
are influenced by parents and friends and comprehending knowledge acquisition, risky behavior, and
performance efficacy in adolescence; Principal Investigator: Jessica Mirman, Ph.D.

### **UAB TRIP Lab, Researching Assistant**

May 2019 - July 2019

• Helped in studying the research of reducing the rate of transportation-related deaths, injuries, and consequential disabilities from teenage vehicle collisions; Principal Investigator: Despina Stavrinos, Ph.D.

## **UAB REACH Lab, Researching Assistant**

August 2019 - present

• Aiding in the exploration of executive functioning skills associated with child and parent obesity progression, continuation, and results of intervention methods, throughout the lifespan; Principal Investigator: Marissa Gowey, Ph.D.

# **Community and School Memberships**

- 2016 NSHSS (National Society of High School Scholars) Alumni
- 2018 NSLS (National Society of Leadership and Success at UAB) Member
- 2019 SPP (Society of Pediatric Psychology Division 54 of APA) Member

# **Certifications and Training**

- CPR/AED/First-Aid (Expires: August 31, 2020)
- CITI IRB Social & Behavioral (Expires: October 29, 2021)
- CITI Good Clinical Practice (Expires: May 3, 2022)
- CITI RCR (Expires: May 4, 2022)