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EDUCATION

- Harvard Law School**, J.D. Candidate, June 2014 (Expected) Cambridge, MA
Activities: 2012 Public Interest Auction, External Fundraising Chair
Women's Law Association, 1L Board Representative
Journal of Law and Technology, Submissions Committee
Law and Policy Review, Subciter
- Brown University** Providence, RI
Honors: Graduated *magna cum laude*, Sc.B. with Honors in Human Biology, May 2008
Member of Sigma Xi Scientific Honor Society
Recipient of Science, Technology, and Society Thesis Prize
University Honors Thesis Finalist
Undergraduate Teaching and Research Award Recipient
Activities: Clerestory Journal of the Arts, Editor-in-Chief
Rose Writing Fellows Program, Head Fellow and Selection Committee Member
Thesis: *Making Sense of Race in Medicine: Genetic versus Social Explanations for Breast Cancer Disparities*
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EXPERIENCE

- New Jersey Department of Education** Trenton, NJ
Intern, Office of Charter Schools Summer 2011
Coordinated and managed fourteen teams through review of over 50 school applications
Served as a member of the school readiness team, which conducted inspections of over 20 schools scheduled to open in Fall 2011
- TestMasters, Inc.** Central NJ
LSAT Instructor 2010–2011
Taught two LSAT preparatory classes of 15-45 students each
Tutored individual students between 10-15 hours per week
- Teach For America 2008 Corps Member** Newark, NJ
Eighth Grade Science Teacher 2008–2010
Recipient of one of 50 Amgen Fellowships for 2008 TFA corps members
In 2010, set the TFA Newark corps record for highest mastery average of any middle school science teacher
Designed and implemented an original curriculum, which was designated exemplary by TFA Newark staff and adopted in multiple districts
- Teach for America North East Coast Recruitment Team** Providence, RI
Brown University Campus Campaign Coordinator 2007–2008
Advertised TFA by distributing marketing materials and speaking to classes
Coordinated interview preparation workshops, contributing to record acceptance and matriculation rates
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PERSONAL

Enjoys cooking multi-course South Indian meals, listening to *Radiolab* podcasts, and reading plays