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EDUCATION

High Tech High Chula Vista

> **Honors Student** 4.27 GPA

ACLU Summer Advocacy Institute

2017

Escuelita Aztlán Xicano Political Education

REFERENCES

Gerrlyn Gacao: **ACLU SDIC Lead** Organizer

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Activist with experience in leading, public speaking, collaboration, problem solving, research, outreach, and fighting injustice!

EXPERIENCE

ACLU SAN DIEGO INTERN

Summer 2017, May 2018

Consolidated resources from ACLU and 211 for undocumented families. Designed hour long educational seminar for at risk youth surrounding the ACLU's Smart Justice Campaign. Presented eight times, building relationships with peers around shared stories about police misconduct, mass incarceration, and immigration issues to mobilize communities in taking action through their vote for district attorney.

ETHNIC STUDIES TEACHER, HTHCV

2017 - Ongoing

Research and create lesson plans for Ethnic Studies elective class with co-teachers, facilitate group discussions, give lectures.

SECRETARY/CHAPLIN, YMCA YOUTH & GOVERNMENT (Y&G), SOUTHBAY DELEGATION

2016 - Ongoing

Lead delegation with fellow officers. Participate in statewide annual mock legislature & court conferences at the State Capitol.

RESEARCH INTERN, WORLDLINK (USD)

Summer 2016

Researched, analyzed, and presented on the topic of gender-based violence at the University of San Diego's Institute for Peace and Justice to compile the 2017 WorldLink Reader Digital Copy: http://sites.sandiego.edu/wl_reader/2017-reader/

STUDENT AMBASSADOR FOR HIGH TECH MIDDLE/HIGH CHULA VISTA

2013 - Ongoing

Selected by principal in 6th grade to give tours to visitors from around the world who are interested in learning more about our unique school, participate in panels, and represent HTM/HCV.

AWARDS & SPECIAL EVENTS

BEST DELEGATE AWARD - MODEL UNITED NATIONS HTHCV

2017

BEST DELEGATE AWARD - BENCH TRIAL, Y&G

2017

YOUTH & GOVERNMENT BILL HEARING NIGHT

Annual

Oct 2016

Sponsored an act to amend section 92700 of the California Education Code relating to post-secondary education. Presented bill sponsor speech in front of a panel of esteemed guests and others at the Chula Vista City Council Chambers.

Recognized by: Greg Cox, San Diego Board of Supervisors; California State Senator Ben Hueso; Chula Vista Mayor Mary Salas; State Assemblywoman Lorena Gonzalez.

APPEARED IN "OUR HOMETOWN" MAGAZINE

Interviewed panel at Chula Vista City Council candidate debate.