

SETH ELI SUGERMAN

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Education

The University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Aug 2018 – May 2022 BA, 2023 MA

- **Majors:** International Affairs (BA), International Policy (MA)
- **GPA:** 3.86 / 4.0 (BA), 3.91 / 4.0 (MA)
- **Honors:** Magna Cum Laude (BA), Dean's List (Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2021), President's List (Spring 2021), Classic Scholars Scholarship

Professional and Work Experience

KPMG US, Intern – Tax, Trade and Customs Atlanta, GA

Jun 2022 – Aug 2022

- Provided services and advice to clients on import and export matters, including ITAR & EAR classification and compliance, HTS classification, Trade Risk Mitigation, and Free Trade Agreements
- Assisted in the delivery of client engagements, maintaining efficient and active communication to produce accurate, professional deliverables
- Worked within Trade & Customs team to develop innovative solutions to complex trade problems, creating streamlined and automated processes

The University of Georgia, Stanton Grant – Research Assistant Athens, GA

Jan 2022 – May 2022

- Conducted research and coding on international nuclear arms control agreements, most notably the India-Pakistan Non-Attack Agreement
- Collaborated with university faculty and staff on research agenda, data collection, and proceeding steps in the project

American Enterprise Institute, Intern – External Affairs Washington, D.C.

Jun 2021 – Aug 2021

- Curated two weekly newsletters of relevant policy research and materials for an audience of 4,000 members
- Collaborated with external affairs team on company operations and various projects
- Conducted research and outreach for a new veteran's network of public policy professionals

Bent Tree Country Club, Supervisor, Head Lifeguard, and Swim Instructor, Dallas, TX

Apr 2018 – Aug 2020

- Managed and trained a team of over 25 lifeguards, ensuring emergency readiness and high expectations of job performance
- Coached swim lessons for children, coached and supervised the club's youth swim team
- Organized and planned logistics of youth swim meets for over 200 athletes and their families

Office of Congressman Pete Sessions, Intern, Dallas, TX

Aug 2017 – Jan 2018

- Received, processed, and filed comments and complaints from constituents of the Texas 32nd Congressional District
- Facilitated constituent casework with federal agencies
- Coordinated the logistics of local events, especially those related to the appointment process for the United States Service Academies

Clubs, Organizations, and Volunteer Experience

Bigger Vision of Athens Community Homeless Shelter, Volunteer, Athens, GA

August 2021 – Present

- Planned and prepared meals for 40 guests in a personal kitchen
- Built relationships with guests through conversations and activities

Echo Hill Ranch Gold Star Camp, Head Men's Counselor & Waterfront Director, Medina, TX

June 2021

- Lead the first annual summer camp experience for the children of Gold Star families, immediate family members of a fallen service member who died while serving in a time of conflict
- Responsible for the health and safety of over fifty campers
- Managed and coordinated all male staff
- Managed and facilitated all waterfront activities and various camp activities

Athens Help with Covid, Volunteer Coordinator, Athens, GA

Jun 2020 – May 2021

- Lead the collaborative initiative with local community organizers to coordinate volunteer engagement with the city of Athens, to combat the worst effects of COVID-19 on the local community
- Coordinated, developed, and promoted the volunteer base with UGA faculty, UGA student organizations, and the Athens community

Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity, Executive Board – House Manager, Athens, GA

Jan 2019 – June 2020

- Facilitated property logistics and event planning, contracted with service vendors, and assisted in management of a \$250,000 annual budget
- Served as an executive board officer to coordinate fraternity events, philanthropic events, and daily function of the organization
- Served as a student representative for a fraternity house renovation project of over \$750,000

Personal and Professional Interests / Skills

- Personal: Guitar / Saxophone / Music Theory, Baseball and Football, CrossFit, Podcasts (The Economist Intelligence Unit, Council on Foreign Relations, Columbia Energy Exchange)
- Professional: UGA Center for International Trade and Security (CITS), Spanish (intermediate), Human Subjects Training (CITI) Certification (Social & Behavioral Research), STATA data processing, Microsoft Word/Excel/PowerPoint/Outlook, Domestic and Foreign Policy, International Affairs and Global Politics (National Security, Energy Security and Policy, Nuclear nonproliferation, International Trade, Strategic Trade Controls)