

Mary Bates

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EDUCATION

Bates College, Lewiston, ME

Expected May 2024

Bachelor of Arts: Sociology, **Minor:** Education Studies, **Concentration:** Class, Inequity, Poverty, and Justice

GPA: 3.76, Dean's List: Winter 2020, Fall 2020, Winter 2021, Fall 2021

Relevant Coursework: Race and Justice in American Education; Discipline; Seminar in Educational Studies

Senior Thesis: Restorative Practice Implementation at Lewiston Middle School: Community Based Research Study

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Community Based Research Assistant, *Lewiston Middle School*

Spring 2023 - Present

- Work closely with Bates Professor of Education Studies on website development, grant writing, literature review, and other aspects of ongoing community project to systematically implement restorative practices at school
- Serve as committee member in weekly strategic planning team meetings with variety of stakeholders in the Lewiston/Auburn area including teachers, administrators, parents, students, and organization staff

Peer Career Fellow, *Bates College Center for Purposeful Work*

Spring 2023 - Present

- Guide fellow students through workshops, events, and drop-in hours conducting resumé and cover letter reviews
- Serve as peer advisor and role model by sharing personal experience and strategies to align my Bates experience with my future plans at events and workshops
- Develop curriculum and facilitate events to support career exploration among student body

Summer Internship Fellow, *Bates College Center for Purposeful Work*

Summer 2023

- Managed cohort of 15 peers participating in the Purposeful Work summer internship program, creating content for and facilitating reflective discussions weekly throughout the summer
- Coordinated all aspects of 8-week Instagram “day-in-the-life” series from recruitment to posting in order to promote the work of Bates student interns to audiences internal and external to Bates
- Developed framework for innovative reflection opportunity and marketing strategy through student blog posts

Camp Counselor, *Camp Big Rock*

Summer 2022

- Supervised a cabin of eight-year-old girls, utilized conflict resolution strategies to build a more cohesive bunk
- Provided daily instruction in various sports such as soccer, basketball and tennis
- Oversaw camp-wide programming promoting positive values such as leadership and teamwork

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Committee member, *Lewiston Middle School Restorative Strategic Planning Team* Spring 2022- Present
- Mentor, *Montello Elementary School in Lewiston, ME* Spring 2021
- Writing Tutor, *Tree Street Youth Center in Lewiston, ME* Spring 2020

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- Proficient in Qualtrics, NVivo, SPSS, Handshake, Canva, Mailchimp, Wordpress, Wix, Typeform, Salesforce
- Interests: Social impact work, education, restorative practice, public policy, communication, marketing, running