Matthew Noah Swire

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**Education**

*Bachelor of Arts*, **Colgate University**, Hamilton, NY May 2022

**GPA: 3.50/4.00**

* **Double Major:** Psychology, Environmental Studies
* **Awards**: Dean’s Award for 3 semesters, Dean’s Award with distinction for 3 semesters

**Work Experience**

*Innovation Intern,* **Americares**, Stamford CT June 2021-August 2021

* Developed framework for human-centered design by creating tailored material on how to implement the methodology and facilitated workshops on the importance of questions to over 40 attendees
* Advised US Programs team in creating a national advisory council of 25 patients and 25 providers by creating promotional material educating participants on the essence of human-centered design and by creating a facilitator guide for council meetings

*Sustainability Intern,* **Office of Sustainability**, Colgate University January 2021-Present

* Advance Colgate University sustainability initiatives by promoting carbon neutrality and a zero-waste campaign by organizing for the recycling, communications, and interfraternity subcommittees
* Launched package waste campaign on campus by gathering survey responses from 132 students and talking with Colgate operations personnel to create an action plan changing waste infrastructure and recycling on campus

*Fellow,* **Innovation Fellows**, Colgate University January 2020-Present

* Utilize the human-centered design methodology to formulate solutions that restructure or create new components for organizations on campus
* Co-founded the Innovation Center which is a student-to-student resource that provides human-centered design consultation for any phase of a project or a novel idea
* Created workshops centered on teaching the methodology behind human-centered design for creating and facilitating a pre-orientation for Colgate’s entrepreneur program, and aiding the Living Writers program

*Research Assistant*, **Psychology Department**, Colgate University January 2019-January 2021

* Proofread Professor Jennifer Tomlinson PhD work intended to be published on social bonding, ensuring subjects participate in senior theses studies, and synthesized data from experiments focused on the self-expansion theory in SPSS
* Applied EEG nets on participants and monitored data in NetStation while focusing on visual perception and charisma research conducted by Professor Bruce Hansen PhD and Carrie Keating PhD of Colgate University

**Leadership and Service**

*Staff Member*, **Outdoor Education**, Colgate University September 2018-Present

* Lead outdoor classes and trips including cross-country skiing seminars as well as a week-long freshman preorientation for 10 incoming first-years in the backcountry
* Devoted 6 hours a week to instructional study to further enhance skills with team dynamics, group facilitation, and risk management while also studying various group and growth models

*Volunteer*, **Southern Madison County Ambulance Corps**, Hamilton, NY September 2019-present

* First responder to emergency medical situations as a volunteer EMT for approximately 15 hours a week for Colgate University, athletic events, and in support of the surrounding community
* Completed 140 hours national EMT course (NREMT) and 15 hours of shadowing at Georgetown ER and local rescue squad (BBCRS) in a 2-month training program for a volunteer EMT position

**Skills and Certifications**

**Computer:** basic proficiency in Excel, Qualtrics, SPSS, and Python

**Certifications:** Emergency Medical Technician and CPR (expire August 2022), Wilderness First Responder (expires February 2022)