Isabella Chacon

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Educational/Career goal

The goal I strive to achieve academically is obtaining my bachelor's in journalism and sociology. My career goal is to work with people, either through media or socially. I can picture myself working at a large media company, writing stories, sharing experiences, and capturing important moments through photography. I also picture myself working with people one-on-one, working with communities, and/or working with a company to fix current societal issues.

Education

Great Oak High School: 32555 Deer Hollow Way, Temecula, CA 92592

Class of 2023 G.P.A.: 4.3

Loyola Marymount University: 1 Loyola Marymount University Dr, Los Angeles, CA 90045 Bachelor of Arts, Journalism and Sociology | Minor in Women and Gender Studies

Class of 2027 G.P.A.: 3.84

Skills & Abilities

Communication

Communication is a very important skill to have in life. While it is a common skill, it takes time
to perfect. I have learned to properly communicate with different audiences and always know
how to accurately express a thought or feeling without causing conflict.

Social Media

- Experienced with most social media applications, including:
 - Instagram
 - Facebook
 - o Twitter / X
 - Snapchat
 - TikTok

Leadership

 Over time, I have naturally taken on the leadership role. I am able to help those around me stay on task or work together in the best way possible to complete a task or project. I enjoy working with others or alone, but either way, I am confident in my abilities to accomplish goals and rally those around me to stay successful.

Biliterate

 After my high school graduation, I received a biliteracy seal. My first language is English, and I now know American Sign Language. I spent those four years learning American Sign Language at my high school, and as a senior, I took dual immersion. I continue to practice American Sign Language and engage in Deaf culture.

Work Experience

Operations Manager | Loyola Marymount University August 30, 2024 - Current

I am currently working as the operations manager for the LMU softball team. This role
involves running the social media account, designing flyers and other handouts for
fundraisers, helping with on-field work, contacting other companies and/or schools, taking
photos for the team, amongst other things. Not only has this brought me lifelong friends, it
has also allowed me to keep my passion for softball thriving.

Mail Distribution Center | Loyola Marymount University August 28, 2023 - December 8, 2023

 As a student employee at the mail distribution center, I welcomed customers, assisted in tracking down packages, and addressed inquiries. Utilizing the school's mail system, I retrieved package details, distributed mail across campus, managed incoming calls, and guided customers. Additionally, I sorted and arranged packages according to their designated areas.

Pumpkin Farm | Peltzer Winery September 25, 2021 - October 30, 2021 September 24, 2022 - October 26, 2022

During this seasonal role at the Peltzer Winery Pumpkin Farm, I assisted in both the opening
and closing procedures of different stations, guided customers to various areas within the
winery, tended to farm animals, facilitated ticket transactions, built connections with my
co-workers, and provided clear instructions to customers, helping them complete games and
tasks at various stations.

Volunteer Experience

- Donated 25 bags filled with items for new pet owners at the Carson Animal Shelter.
- Sang for the elderly at a local retirement home in Redondo Beach.
- I participated in Feed My Starving Children for several years.
- Baseball field snack bars during tournaments.

Awards

- Dean's List (LMU)
- Academic Honor Roll (Great Oak High School)
- Girl Scouts of America Silver Award
 - For my Silver Award, I worked over 50 hours to create "starter bags" for new pet owners at the Carson Animal Shelter. During these hours, I communicated with the shelter, created an action plan that included holding a garage sale to raise money. I also completed research to find the best animal supplies, made the bags, and dropped them off at the shelter.
- Girl Scouts of America Bronze Award

References Available Upon Request