Franchesca Campos

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EDUCATION

 ${\bf University\ of\ Pittsburgh,\ Pittsburgh,\ PA}$

Present-2028

Doctor of Philosophy, Africana Studies Master of Arts, Africana Studies

University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI

2018-2022

Bachelor of Arts, Africana Studies Bachelor of Arts, Sociology Bachelor of Arts, Writing and Rhetoric

Honors: Summa Cum Laude

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Black Transnationalism, Social Movements/Anti-Imperialist Movements, Afro-Caribbean/Greater Antilles History, Black Radicalism, Pan-Africanism, Cultural Memory, Black Consciousness, Black Intellectual Thought, Geopolitics.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Teacher Assistant, ABC Educational Center, Spring 2023-Summer 2023

Worked as a teaching assistant in various classrooms within the center and assisted teachers with their daily learning curriculums and maintaining safe/clean classroom environments.

Student Assistant, URI's Office of Academic and Student Affairs, *Winter 2021-Summer 2022* Greeted and directed students and visitors to the University. Participated in Visitor Tours. Answered phones and directing inquiries to the appropriate individual or department. Scheduled advising appointments with academic advisors.

Student Intern, Rhode Island Department of Education, *Fall 2021-Spring 2022* Assisted Dean Earl Smith III with the Rhode Island History and Social Studies Advisory Committee on providing feedback and ideas to re-work Providence School's K-12 education curriculum to better represent marginalized groups of students i.e., Black, Latinx, LGBTQ.

Residential Assistant, URI's Housing and Residential Life, 2019-2020 Assisted to residents with transitioning to university and residential life. Enforced university and residence hall rules and regulations. Assisted in supervising residents and responding to complaints, reports, requests, and emergencies. Prompted effective communication, problem solving skills, initiative among students and within staff.

PROJECTS/RESEARCH

Independent Study on W.E.B. Du Bois and Pan-Africanism with Professor Dr. Julie Keller, 2022 Sociological Research on Latin Nebraskan Migrants and Community Development, 2021 Sociological Research on Black Lives Matters Advertisements, 2021 Independent Study on Bristol Middle Passage Port Marker Project with Dean Earl Smith III, 2019

ACADEMIC AND VOLUNTEER SERVICE

Committee Member, URI's Africana Studies Alumni Council, 2023-Present Community Service Chairwoman, URI's Black Student Union E-Board, 2021-2022 Student Journalist, URI's Nonviolent and Peace Studies Center, 2021 Student Member, URI's Honor Program, 2018 -2019

PUBLICATIONS

University Of Rhode Island College Of Arts and Sciences

Spotlight feature highlighting the accomplishments of 10 senior Arts and Science students out of class of 600+

https://web.uri.edu/artsci/class-of-2022/campos/

Z Publishing House

Rhode Island's Best Emerging Poets 2019: An Anthology (Featured Author)

Ether(Bound) Magazine

"Milking the Loneliness" Poem (Fall 2018 Edition)

SKILLS/AWARDS

Fluent in Spanish URI Dean's List, 2018-2022 URI Academic Excellence Award in Sociology, 2022 URI Academic Excellence Award in Africana Studies, 2021 URI Talent Development Weisbord Scholarship Recipient, 2020

Latino Dollars for Scholars Award Recipient, 2020