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Interactive CV available here.

## Education



### University

Class of 2018 McGill University (Bachelor of Arts: Cultural Studies and Philosophy).

# **High School**

Class of 2013 Upper Canada College (IB and Ontario diplomas achieved).

## **Skills & Experience**



### Activism

2016-18 Effective Altruists at Mcgill: President of Growth (formerly VP Outreach).

## Accomplishments:

- 2017 Ursula Hall (Australian National University) makes "The Giving Games" an annual event after the 2016 event I initiated.
  - Published the Effective Altruism Group Actions doc.
  - Dialogued with the Desautels Capital Management Fund on effective philanthropy.
  - Wrote the format for Giving Game Debates, and hosted 5+.
- 2016 Dialogued with McGill Management's philanthropic events.
  - Successful event appeal to Ursula Hall events committee.
- 2016 Basic Income Earth Network: writer.
- The Life You Can Save: was asked to write a blog post on my work.
- 2016-17 Student's for High Impact Charity: Outreach Coordinator (remote internship).

# Accomplishments:

2016 - Came up with nearly all of the innovative outreach methods.

- 2016-18 Vegan Outreach: leafletter.
  - 2017 McGill Student Society Garden: gardener.
  - 2016 Charity Science: graphic designer & data analyzer.

Nutritionfacts.org: journal article retriever & outreach analyzer.

Midnight Kitchen: cook and server of free vegan lunches for students.



## **Organizing events**

Greek Giving Game Debates #1 and #2 and #3.

The Giving Games at Australian National University (organized remotely).

Short Films by McGill Students & Alumni.

2014 Coffeehouse showcasing McGill student talent.

Live Music = Nick Why + Rosie + Greaseballs.

Reference: Tee Barnett (former COO) Email: tee@highimpactstudents.org

Reference: Trent Eady (former president)

Email: trent.a.eady@gmail.com



### **Grant application writing**

2015-16 McGill Fine Arts Council: received a film distribution grant.

(I've attended grant-writing workshops. I've written grant applications to the Quebec Council of Arts, McGill Fine Arts Council, and Canada Council of Arts.)



# **Public Speaking**

Wedding anniversary toast.

2016 Best Man wedding speech.

Selected to introduce the keynote speaker at Upper Canada College's graduation dinner.

Valedictorian speech for middle school.



### 2012

2012 to Present Independent multidisciplinary artist (poet, filmmaker, musician, etc.)

Skills: planning and organizing shoots, writing, directing, editing, composing, recording, performing, etc. Software Proficiency: Logic Pro, Adobe Premier, Final Cut, Wix, Wordpress, Weebly, Trello, Slack.

### Accomplishments:

2018 - Chester Macnaghten 1st Prize for best piece of creative writing in English (poetry).

2018 - Co-founded the « Sound and Space Workgroup » at McGill's Art Hive.

2018 - Producing and Teching for *Health On Earth* on CKUT 90.3FM.

2017 - Official Selection in Toronto Pomegranate Film Festival for my short, Hell-Ob (2012).

- "Best Comedy" for Hell-Ob (2012) at McGill's Fokus Film Festival.

- "Best in Show" for Bye Hi School (2014) at Fokus Film Festival.

- Vanity sound art piece played on CKUT 90.3FM.

2016 - Two-year distribution contract with Gonella Productions for my short, *Ella's Cerebellum* (self-written, directed, produced, edited).

2015 - Interviewed & featured in Episode 3 of *The Reverse Angle* (Bell Local Media Fibe TV1 series).

2013-15 - Independently produced and released two EPs and accompanying music videos.

Reference: Anne Langford Email: annehome1@rogers.com

2014 Music Video editing (freelance).

2012-18 Created and managed AweInBlue.com, and TheAgenda.com, and an Interactive CV.

### Other

2018 2016	Certified in Standard First Aid and CPR level C. Coach at Royal Soccer Club (ages 5-13).	Reference: Sam Gallo (supervisor) Email: samanthamcgallo@gmail.com
2015	Semi-finalist at McGill Dobson Cup entrepreneurial competition (for my project « Open Clothes »).	
2013	Duke of Edinburgh Silver Medal.	
2012	Varsity Soccer Most Valuable Player (Upper Canada College).	
2011	Junior Varsity Soccer Most Valuable Player (UCC).	