

Hannah Music

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Education

University of Alabama at Birmingham

Aug. 2025 - May 2027

Master of Public Administration

Birmingham, AL

- Thesis focus: Civics education in the United States
- Relevant Coursework: Public Policy Analysis, Program Evaluation, Research Methods

University of Alabama at Birmingham

Aug. 2021 - May 2025

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science

Birmingham, AL

- Minors: Legal Affairs, Public Administration
 - Honors: Provost Merit Scholarship (8 semesters)
 - Member, Pi Sigma Alpha Honor Society
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Professional Experience

UAB Graduate Teaching Assistant

Jan. 2026 - Present

Department of Political Science and Public Administration | 20 hrs/week

Birmingham, AL

- Support planning and execution of the Future Public Service Leaders Academy, a civic education program serving 22 high school student participants and 4 camp counselors; contributed to curriculum editing in pre-planning, facilitated small-group activities, and managed program social media throughout the event
- Coordinate program logistics, communication, and implementation of events involving students, faculty, and community partners.
- Coordinate event planning and logistics for the department's Unsung Hero Event during National Public Service Recognition Week
- Coordinate department social media and oversee micro-interns during the academic semesters

Pre-Law Program Coordinator

May 2025 - May 2026

AmeriCorps VISTA | 40 hrs/week

Birmingham, AL

- Developed and implemented capacity-building initiatives for the UAB Pre-Law Program, including monthly large-scale events and a summer pipeline program
- Coordinated student-facing initiatives, including the Pre-Law Journey to Attorney Camp and Mock Trial programming, expanding access to experiential learning opportunities
- Collaborated with faculty, university leadership, and external partners to strengthen program sustainability and community outreach
- Tracked performance metrics for a 20-person student executive board, assessed role effectiveness, and presented findings that informed a structural revamp of board positions

Legal Intern

Aug. 2024 - May 2025

Law Office of X.T. Nelson | 15 hrs/week

Birmingham, AL

- Maintained and organized legal case files to ensure accuracy and accessibility
- Served as primary client liaison, facilitating communication and improving client understanding
- Supported legal research and case preparation

Communications Intern

Aug. 2023- May 2024

CBG Strategies | 15 hrs/week

Birmingham, AL

- Developed and managed social media content calendars aligned with strategic communication goals
 - Conducted audience analysis to improve engagement and messaging effectiveness
 - Coordinated internal team meetings and supported communication planning efforts
 - Produced written content and reports for outreach initiatives
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Leadership & Involvement

UAB Graduate Student Government Senator

April 2026 - Present

- Represent MPA students by advocating for academic resources, program improvements, and student needs.
- Collaborate with university leadership and student government representatives on policy discussions and institutional initiatives.

UAB ICMA Chapter Treasurer

Aug. 2025 - Present

- Manage budgeting and financial planning for events that connect students with local government professionals.

UAB Off-Campus Student Council Committee Head

May 2024 - Dec. 2025

- Designed and implemented student engagement initiatives to improve campus integration
- Advocated for policies supporting student inclusion and retention

Delta Gamma Fraternity

Aug. 2021 - May 2025

- Honor Board Member (2 years), mediating internal conflicts
 - Communications Committee; supported outreach strategy
 - Completed 250+ volunteer hours supporting local schools
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Federal Hiring Eligibility

- Non-Competitive Eligibility (NCE) – AmeriCorps VISTA
 - Valid through May 2027