

## SAMANTHA RICH

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### Education

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>M.S. School Counseling</b> (May, 2021)<br/>Villanova University   CACREP Accredited<br/>GPA: 3.9</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>B.S. English Education</b> (Dec, 2014)<br/>Utah State University<br/>GPA: 3.6</li></ul> |
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### Licenses and Memberships

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ National Certified Counselor (NCC), May 2021</li><li>❖ Certified School Counselor - passed the Professional School Counselor Praxis (Test #5421), April 2021</li><li>❖ LPC eligible - passed the National Counselor Examination (NCE), April 2021</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ Member of Chi Sigma Iota</li><li>❖ Member of American School Counseling Association (ASCA)</li><li>❖ Current Utah teaching licenses: Secondary English, Secondary Psychology</li></ul> |
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### School Counseling Experience

#### 2021 Internship Experience

*Franklin Towne Charter Elementary School* | Philadelphia, PA | 215-289-3389

Supervisor: Gina Marie Tortis

- ❖ 600 hours of field experience with K-8th grade students
- ❖ Utilized techniques such as solution-focused counseling, reality therapy's WDEP model, and person-centered therapy
- ❖ Ran weekly small group on topics such as time management, responsibility, accountability, study habits, strengths and weaknesses, future career brainstorming
- ❖ Administered college and career-oriented classroom lessons
- ❖ Tracked and interpreted student performance data in order to plan best interventions for struggling students
- ❖ Offered remedial academic sessions to struggling students

#### 2020 Practicum Experience

*Central High School* | Philadelphia, PA | 215-276-5262

Supervisor: Kelly Coutts

- ❖ 75 hours of field experience with 9th-12th grade students
- ❖ Utilized techniques such as solution-focused therapy and person-centered therapy
- ❖ Focused on social emotional learning in individual sessions with students
- ❖ Taught social emotional learning classroom lessons

2019 **Pre-practicum Experience**

*Disston Elementary School* | Philadelphia, PA | 215-400-3350

Supervisor: George Wilson

- ❖ 30 hours of field experience with K-8th grade students
- ❖ Observed techniques on how to best serve students from low socio-economic areas

<b>Related Employment</b>
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2014-2019 **8<sup>th</sup> Grade English Teacher**

(2017-2019) *Draper Park Middle School* | Draper, Utah | 801-826-6900

- ❖ Taught reading and writing to ~160 8th graders yearly
- ❖ Interacted and communicated with parents and community members regularly
- ❖ Worked closely with administration and department teams to track student success and interventions
- ❖ Coordinated and lead after-school writing lab
- ❖ Member of multiple school- and district-wide committees

(2014-2017) *South Cache Middle School* | Hyrum, Utah | 435-245-6433

- ❖ Taught reading and writing to ~160 8th graders yearly
- ❖ Spearheaded assemblies and other school events
- ❖ Young Writers and Artists Fest committee member
- ❖ Multicultural Club advisor

2019-2020 **Substitute Teacher** | *Kelly Services* | School District of Philadelphia

- ❖ Maintained flexibility when teaching new subjects at new schools

<b>Additional Employment</b>
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2020-current **Barista** | *Starbucks* | Manager: Alex Lair | 215-925-5125

- ❖ Handled 150+ customer connections during each shift
- ❖ Ensured positive customer experiences with friendly and patient communication, efficient problem-solving, and enthusiasm
- ❖ Awarded Partner of the Quarter, August 2020

2011-2014 **Assistant Manager** | *Rage Salons* | Manager: Crystal Jewkes | 435-750-5550

- ❖ Handled 50+ customer connections during each shift
- ❖ Responsible for the knowledge and sale of various products
- ❖ Oversaw scheduling for stylists

2008-2011 **Receptionist / File Clerk** | *Woodbury Corporation* | Supervisor: Dejah Cook | 801-485-7770

- ❖ Greeted employees, answered phone calls, filed leases, and managed schedules