

SUMMARY

Dynamic leader with a dedication to driving change through advocacy and leadership. Launched and led multiple impactful projects, from founding nonprofit organizations that provide free performing arts education to establishing mental health support programs for vulnerable populations. Consistently demonstrates strategic thinking, exceptional communication skills, and a commitment to bridging generational and socio-economic gaps. Recognized for the ability to inspire others and drive initiatives that make a tangible difference in the lives of others.

EDUCATION

Orange County School of the Arts

Academic Weighted GPA: 4.6522

Graduation Expected 2026

- KEY ACTIVITIES
- Co-Founder/President - Find Your Light 501(c)(3) Nonprofit

Feb 2022 - Present

 - Launched a student-led nonprofit dedicated to bridging the socioeconomic gap in performing arts education by providing free, week-long musical theater camps to underserved communities
 - Successfully organized and executed 8 full weeklong camps and multiple day camps, serving over 300 students with more than 4,500 instructional hours and 1,500 cumulative volunteer hours, in collaboration with partners including the City of Santa Ana, KidWorks, Orange County Rescue Mission, and the Boys & Girls Club.
 - Secured funding from the Tustin Community Foundation and the Dragon Kim Foundation
- Bank of America - Student Leader

June 2025 - Aug 2025

 - Selected as 1 of 315 students out of 12K applicants nationwide for Bank of America's highly competitive Student Leaders® Program, recognizing civic engagement and leadership potential.
 - Completed an 8-week paid internship at **Second Harvest Food Bank of Orange County**, supporting nonprofit operations and addressing food insecurity.
 - Participated in a national leadership summit in Washington, D.C., engaging with policymakers and peers on community impact and public service initiatives.
- Prosecution & Defense Trial Attorney - OCSA Mock Trial

Aug 2022 - Present

 - Led the team to become the OC Mock Trial Finalist team (top 2/48) 2025 with MVP awards
 - Guided the Blue Team to rank among the Top 8 teams in Orange County in 2024
 - Contributed to the team's success in becoming the 2023 Orange County Regional Champions
- Fellow - Dragon Kim Fellowship | Awarded \$5000 Grant

Jun 2023 - Aug 2023

 - Selected as 1 of 48 teams from 500+ applicants through a rigorous interview process
 - Completed a 6-month mentorship program, gaining skills in leadership, finance, and management
 - Awarded a grant of \$5k to implement a community service project, providing free performing arts and musical theater camps to underserved communities impacting 1.2k+ individuals
- Author - Be A Star, Be You! | Published on Amazon

May 2024

 - Self-published "Be a Star, Be You!", a children's SEL activity book available on Amazon, focusing on self-confidence and mental health through coloring and journaling activities
 - Led self-confidence workshops for underserved children, using the book as a tool
- Board/Leadership Member/Vice President - OCSA Thespians Honor Society

Aug 2020 - Present

 - Lead officer, directing Junior Thespians to the State Festival (2022–2023), organizing annual banquets as Banquet Chair (2023–2024), and currently serving as Vice President overseeing meetings, events, member activities, and the California State Festival
- Founder/President - OCSA Calls4Care

2020 - Present

 - Created and launched a program during the COVID-19 pandemic to support mental health for the elderly and teenagers, bridging generational gaps by fostering connections between age groups

- ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES
- Korean Movie OST Lyricist - "Ordinary Love" sang by K Pop Group Fifty Fifty

2025
- OCSA National Honor Society - Vice President

2023 - Present
- OCSA Mental Health Committee

2023 - Present
- OCSA ManIA Dance Crew - Performer

2020 - Present
- Girl Scouts of America - Girl Scouts Ambassador

2017 - Present
- Musical Theater - Performer

2016 - Present
- OCSA Jump Start - Team Leader

2024
- OCSA California Student Federation

2022 - Present

PAID EXPERIENCE	Social Media Intern - Dragon Kim Foundation		Aug 2024 - Present
	Developed and executed social media strategies and campaigns to enhance the foundation's visibility and engagement, while coordinating with the director and PR manager to schedule initiatives and engage with the community.		
RESEARCH & INTERNSHIPS	Young Senator - Young Senators Program with State Senator Tom Umberg		2024 & 2025
	Received leadership training and hands-on experience with California's legislative process, including identifying and presenting a potential bill idea at the Capitol in Sacramento		
	Young Congressional Leader - Young Congressional Leaders Program with U.S. Congressman Lou Correa		2023 - 2025
	Engaged in a civic program covering financial literacy, mental health, entrepreneurship, cybersecurity, and more, gaining insights into various critical subjects		
	Mentee/Teaching Assistant - The UCI Interdisciplinary Center for the Scientific Study of Ethics & Morality		2023 - Present
	- Conducted summer research under Professor Sofia Franco on the Ethics & Economics project, analyzing pricing ethics and legality using quantitative and qualitative methods - Assisted in Citizen Peace Building Module for David Rosten, Esq., successfully securing Dr. Deepak Chopra & Congressman Dana Rohrabacher as guest speakers		
	Foundation for Teaching Economics - Economics for Leaders at Yale University		2024
	Participated in a selective week-long camp focused on leadership and economic analysis for public policy, integrating economic concepts and leadership theory to prepare for global challenges		
HONORS & AWARDS	OCSA Junior Honor Guard		2025
	OCSA Certificate of Recognition - Outstanding Contributions to School Culture		2025
	The CRF-OC Outstanding Trial Attorney Award		2025
	YoungArts Winner - Writing/Spoken Word		2024
	California Girls State Delegate - American Legion Auxiliary Unit 291		2025
	Girl Scouts of America - Gold, Silver & Bronze Award		2024 & 2021 & 2019
	HOBY Ambassador Scholarship Recipient		2024
	OC RYSE (2nd Place) and Poetry Out Loud (1st Place)		2025
	AP Scholar with Distinction Award & AP Capstone Diploma		2025
	The Easton Award - UCI Center for Ethics & Morality		2025
	The Constitutional Rights Foundation, Orange County MVP Award		2024 & 2025
	Musical Theater Competition of America - 1st Place Adv. HS Medley		2025
	Gold Presidential Volunteer Service Award		2023 & 2024 & 2025
	International Thespian of the Year Award		2023
	Best Attorney Award - UCLA Mock Trial Institute		2023
	Stanford Invitational Speech & Debate Finalist		2020
ADDITIONAL RECOGNITION	U.S. Congressman Lou Correa - Woman of the Year		2025
	California State Senator Tom Umberg - Woman of Distinction		2025
	California State Senator Tom Umberg - Certificate of Recognition		2024
	U.S. Congressman Dave Min - Certificate of Recognition		2024
	Assemblywoman Cottie Petri-Norris - Certificate of Recognition		2024
	Irvine Mayor Farrah N. Khan - Certificate of Recognition		2024
VOLUNTEER WORK	Praise Team Vocalist - Saddleback Church Student Ministries		2019 - Present
	Assistant Director - Huston Performing Arts		2023
	Tennis Coach - Second Serve Tennis Camp for Neurodivergent Kids		2023
	Teaching Assistant - CS Arts Academy		2023
ADDITIONAL EDUCATION	University of California, Los Angeles		University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
	Management - Received an "A"		Economics for Leaders - Received an "A"
	Fullerton College		
	- Introduction to Business - Received an "A" - Introduction to Sociology - Received an "A"		- Introduction to Visual Culture - Received an "A" - Stress Management - Received an "A"