Meet The Contributors





MADISON BURNETT

Harris College of Nursing

Madison Burnett graduated with a bachelor's degree in speech-language pathology. She presented her research at the American Speech-Language and Hearing Association Convention in Los Angeles this past fall. The ASHA Convention is the premier annual professional education event for speech-language pathologists, audiologists, and speech, language, and hearing scientists. Madison will begin her graduate studies in speech-language pathology at Vanderbilt University School of Medicine this fall.



CATIE CRUIKSHANK
Neeley School of Buisness

Catie Cruikshank recently graduated from TCU in May of 2018. During her time at TCU, she was involved in the Neeley Leadership Program, Student Foundation, Alpha Chi Omega, and the TCU Elite Dance Team. She developed a passion for research after taking a marketing research course her junior year. She continued to develop her research skills while conducting a departmental honors thesis in marketing. She is currently pursuing a career in research services at Qualtrics in Provo, UT.



ELIZABETH CAMPBELLBob Schieffer College of Communication

Elizabeth Campbell is a recent graduate from TCU with double degrees in journalism and political science. Her time at TCU was marked by each story for student media where she worked as a reporter, editor, producer, and designer. She currently works for CBS news in Washington, D.C. She previously worked for the award-winning News21 publication where she reported on voting rights across the country. When not consuming or producing journalism you can likely find Elizabeth learning about history or catching a baseball game.



ALLISON DAVIS

College of Education

Allison Davis, a Class of 2018 graduate, is passionate about TCU, research, and continuous learning. Davis, also a member of the John V. Roach Honors College during her four years as a Horned Frog, graduated with a degree in early childhood education. Honors provided Davis with an opportunity to conduct in-depth research during her undergraduate studies. She researched pre-service teachers and their decision making processes alongside two College of Education professors, Dr. Robin Griffith and Dr. Michelle Bauml.

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ERIN DIANISCollege of Education

Erin Dianis is a TCU graduate currently pursuing her master's in special education. She is from Algonquin, Illinois, but moved to Texas to be a part of the College of Education at TCU. During her time at TCU, she has taught in classrooms throughout the North Texas area and has developed a passion for working with students who have intellectual disabilities. Erin hopes to become a middle school special education teacher and is eager to have her own classroom.



MARISA HELF
Neeley School of Buisness

Marisa Helf graduated from TCU with an undergraduate degree in accounting in December of 2017, and completed internships for Ernst and Young as a tax intern in Dallas and Adelaide, Australia. She will be pursuing her master of accounting in the 2018-2019 school year. Marisa plans to become a CPA and start full-time with EY in January of 2020. Marisa is passionate about increasing female representation in the business world, and looks forward to contributing to the rising number of female executives in her future career.



LEXI ENDICOTT

Addran College of Liberal Arts

Lexi Endicott is a senior from Boise, Idaho. She is an honors student in the Coordinated Program in Dietetics with a minor in business. Lexi is passionate about all matters of food, nutrition, and health. She also enjoys running, biking, hiking, grocery shopping, cooking, and reading. After graduation, she plans to become a registered dietitian with the goal of helping others discover the beauty and richness of nutrition in optimal well-being.



NICOLE HICKS
Harris College of Nursing

Nicole Hicks graduated summa cum laude in movement science in May of 2018. While at TCU, she was a four-year NCAA Division 1 letter winner in both Cross Country and Track & Field. Additionally, she was a member of the John V. Roach Honors College and Alpha Epsilon Delta, the pre-health honors society. Nicole has plans to attend medical school in the Fall of 2019 and hopes to pursue a career in pediatrics or family medicine.



ADDYSON JACKSON

John V. Roach Honors College

Addyson is a Sophomore communications major from Frisco, Texas. Upon graduation, she aspires to attend law school preparing for a career in international law. Addyson is a member of the TCU Showgirls, John V. Roach Honors College Cabinet, Pre-law club and is House Manager for Chi Omega Sorority. She was a Frog Camp counselor this past year and also enjoys volunteering with Make A Wish and Kinder Frogs.



EMMA HOLLAND

College of Fine Arts

Emma grew up on the gulf coast of Florida and always had a love for creative problem solving. She earned her bachelor of fine arts in graphic design from TCU in the Spring of 2018 graduating magna cum laude with departmental honors. Upon graduation she began working at The Richards Group, the largest privately-owned advertising agency in the United States, in Dallas, Texas. She is an art director working with a variety of clients such as American Cancer Society, GameStop, The Home Depot, and The Cayman Islands.



JOSH JACKSON

Addran College of Liberal Arts

Josh Jackson graduated from TCU in 2018 with a bachelor of arts in religion and a bachelor of arts in history. At TCU, Josh was a four-year member of Student Foundation, the Chancellor's Leadership Program, and the John V. Roach Honors College. Josh was also active at University Christian Church. Josh is currently pursuing a master of divinity at Vanderbilt Divinity School. Josh plans on pursuing a vocation in congregational ministry.

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KATIE KOVARIK John V. Roach Honors College

Katie is currently a sophomore at TCU, pursuing bachelor of arts degrees in both English and sports broadcasting. She serves as Deputy Chief of Staff for the Student Government Association, is a TCU Ambassador, and is a member of the Rho Epsilon Chapter of the Chi Omega Sorority. As a proud student in the John V. Roach Honors College, she is especially thankful for the support the college has provided for her research endeavors. Under the direction of Dr. Tricia Jenkins, Katie was permitted the opportunity to present her research at the University of Oxford, England, forming one of the many highlights of her college experience.



CAITLIN PAYBLAS

College of Science

Caitlin Payblas is a senior studying environmental science at TCU. She is a member of the National Honor Society for the Earth Sciences, Sigma Gamma Epsilon. Recently she participated in the Student Research Symposium and presented research she'd been conducting with Dr. Omar Harvey. Currently she works full-time as an environmental technician for the Tarrant Regional Water District. She plans to pursue a Master's degree in environmental chemistry after her graduation.



BRIAN NEIBUHR
College of Science

Brian Niebuhr is a fourth-year biochemistry major from Fort Wayne, Indiana. He conducts research with the Green Research Group, a bioinorganic chemistry group in the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry. Brian has also worked with the Research and Development Formulations group at Alcon: A Novartis Division, the global leader in eye care, to develop new medical devices. He is interested in a medical career and intends to continue with medical school following his graduation in May 2019.



MARTIN PTAK

John V. Roach Honors College

Martin Ptak is a senior undergraduate student from Fort Worth, TX. He is a biology major in the College of Science and Engineering and is completing his university honors recognition within the John V. Roach Honors College. After graduating, Martin plans on earning his master's degree in medical sciences and looks forward to applying to medical school and practicing medicine.



BAILEY SULLIVAN

Harris College of Nursing

Bailey Sullivan graduated from TCU magna cum laude in May 2018. She earned a bachelor of science in movement science along with a minor in psychology. During her time at TCU, Bailey was a member of the Women's Cross Country & Track teams. Her experience with distance running sparked her interest to pursue research in the realm of exercise physiology. After graduating, she decided to stay at TCU and is currently pursuing a master of science in kinesiology and working as a graduate assistant.



BROOKE WONG

College of Fine Arts

Brooke Wong graduated in 2018 from Texas Christian University. In school she was involved in her close knit BFA graphic design community, Design Focus, Chi Omega, and KLFIE ministries. She is now pursuing a career in art direction in Los Angeles, California at RPA Advertising Agency. Brooke currently works on the Honda account and mostly works in digital design. She looks forward to furthering her knowledge in concepting, going on shoots, working with mentors, and learning more about the world of advertising. During her time at TCU, she had the joy of learning from the best and brightest professors through the graphic design program who inspired her, helped her achieve her goals, and end up where she is today.