# LINDSAY A. HONAKER

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **Account Executive**

Public Relations Student Society of America UNR Bateman Team Dec. 2015 - April 2016

## Constituent Affairs Intern

California Governor Jerry Brown June 2014- August 2014

## Communications and Marketing Intern

University of Nevada, Reno Marketing and Communications Department Nov. 2015- Present

## Research and Presentation Team

American Advertising Federation Integrated Marketing competition team Jan. 2015- May. 2015

## Account Executive

Nevada Department of Transportation August 2014-Dec. 2014

## Panhellenic President

Fraternity and Sorority Life Dec. 2014- Dec. 2015

# E D U C A T I O N A V

Bachelor of Journalsim with emphasis in strategic communications, Minor in Cultural Anthropology University of Nevada, Reno

2012 - 2016

## SKILLS

- Detail Oriented
- Organized
- Works well in a face paced environment
- Leadership
- Strategic planning
- Writing
- Pubic Speaking
- Strong understanding of MS, Adobe and Keynote

- Oversaw and developed a fully integrated community relations driven campaign.
- Client awareness rose from 13% in Northern Nevada to 63%.
- Earned honorable mention in the national competition.
- Assisted reviewing and providing casework for constituent correspondence relating to environmental issues in California.
- Due to the high amount of correspondence of environmental issues in California, I prioritized the immediate needs of constituents while informing myself and the office about environmental breaking news.
- Responsibilities include researching and writing strategic communication feature stories, press releases and media advisories, developing comprehensive public relations plans, assisting in media relations activities and various administrative duties.
- Worked on the PR promotions, research and presentation team to develop an edgy, bold and innovative campaign for the competitions client, Pizza Hut. Earned 2nd place, ahead of Berkeley in the regional competition.
- Developed and oversaw strategic communications plan centered around keeping Nevada Safe and Connected which used energetic yet practical tactics that aims to reach the public everyday highlighting the good things that the Nevada Department of Transportation does for Nevada.
- Our team presented to the Nevada Governor who decided that the plan would be implemented statewide.
- Oversaw 5 Panhellenic Sororities at UNR, attended the AFLV conference in Indiana, welcomed Alpha Omicron Pi, planned and executed Greek Week, raised over \$3,000 for the Children's Cabinet and donated 10,000 meals to the Nevada Food Bank, participated in St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Up Till Dawn, and planned and executed formal recruitment.

## AWARDS



Order of Omega Outstanding Leadership Award



Selected as an outstanding member of the AAF student chapter

## SOCIAL



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#### REFERENCES

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# AFFILIATIONS

Public Relations Student Student Society of America

American Advertising Federation

Order of Omega Honor Society

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