JILLIAN HORVATH

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Profile and Skills Summary

A third-year sociology and gender studies student with experience in project management and data analysis focused on applying inclusionary and diversity theory and concepts to professional practice seeking an opportunity to contribute to a professional environment.

- Currently pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology and a Minor degree in Gender Studies with a focus on gender-based violence and discrimination
- Experienced in both qualitative and quantitative research design, analysis, and interpretation
- Proficient in the use of Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS), Microsoft PowerPoint, Word, and Excel

Relevant Coursework

Qualitative Research Methods

University of Victoria / 2024

- Completed a research project regarding gender discrimination in online spaces using professional writing and editing practices
- Experienced in core research methodologies in qualitative sociological research
- Practiced constructing interview questions, scripts, data coding, analysis, and detailed data interpretation
- Actively participated in class-based critical analysis of contemporary research practices, and hands-on application of qualitative methodologies

Quantitative Research Methods

University of Victoria / 2025 (Ongoing)

- Gaining hands-on experience in designing statistical research projects, including creating a research question, conducting extensive literature reviews, conducting research and interpreting data results in racialized violence
- Demonstrating strong ability to follow assignment instructions carefully and ask for clarification when needed, assuring statistical information was recorded accurately

- Designing, analyzing, and interpreting a quantitative research project investigating visible minorities and trust in the police

Gender Studies Seminar

University of Victoria / 2025 (Ongoing)

- Strengthening professional development, career opportunities, and activism efforts through focused discussions and skill-building assignments
- Exploring faculty research areas and academic perspectives to deepen understanding of gender studies theory and practice

Work Experience

Paws on Cook Pet Supply Guide / Victoria, BC April 2024 – Current

A Pet's Life Pet Food Specialist / Victoria BC

July 2022 – April 2024

Origin Gluten-Free Bakery Bakery Assistant / Victoria, BC July 2022 – December 2023

Demonstrated Skills and Competencies

- Worked independently during self-directed shifts managing priorities to ensure the timely completion of tasks
- Fostered collaboration and teamwork by facilitating open communication and sharing ideas
- Carried out responsibilities with attention to detail where specific instructions necessitated successful outcomes and financial impact to the employer
- Performed professional and friendly customer service

Education

Bachelor of Arts – University of Victoria | Sociology Minor Degree – University of Victoria | Gender Studies Victoria, BC | Expected in April 2027

Volunteer and Community Involvement

 Assists older adults with dog walking services and provides community support to ensure pets can remain in their homes, promoting animal well-being and the independence of ageing adults

References available upon request.