



# EASLSUMMER 2025 STUDENT DIRECTORY

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# **EASL Summer Internship Program**



The summer internship program provides students with an intensive and structured service learning program, which requires a minimum 270 hours of service and includes classroom instruction that provides students with essential leadership and ethical skills and gives them an opportunity to reflect on their experiences. Throughout their work and the classroom component, students are engaged in an ongoing process of learning about and reflecting on what it means to be an ethical leader and the practices one must cultivate to be such a leader.

# **Summer EASL Students 2025**



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Maya Vizuete
Chase Wallace
Tinghan Wang
Charlotte Weinstein
Amelia Wiley Moreira

#### **Atharva Abhyankar**



Placement Site: International Rescue

Committee, Youth Futures

Year: Rising Junior

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): Political Science & Philosophy,

Politics, and Law

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Pronouns: he/him

My name is Atharva, and I am a sophomore double majoring in Political Science and Philosophy, Politics, and Law with the goal of attending law school post-graduation. I am excited to support the IRC's mission to assist refugee and asylee youth through an after-school summer program and summer camp at Clarkston High School. In addition, I will be a Rule of Law intern at the Carter Center (U.S. focus) and work with the Georgia Innocence Project, continuing to advance my commitment to justice and reform within the criminal legal system. In my free time, I enjoy all things sports-related, true crime, and drinking plenty of coffee.

#### **Maedot Admassu**

**Placement Site:** International Rescue Committee, Health & Wellness

Year: 1st Year

**School(s):** Rollins School of Public Health **Concentration(s):** Behavioral, Social, &

Health Education Sciences **Email:** madmass@emory.edu

**Pronouns:** she/her



Hello! My name is Maedot Admassu, and I am a first year Master of Public Health (MPH) candidate at the Rollins School of Public Health. After graduating from Emory University in 2021 with a BA in Psychology, I explored my interests in clinical research at the Winship Cancer Institute. This experience deepened my passion for health equity and patient advocacy. Now, as an MPH student specializing in behavioral, social, and health education sciences, I am particularly interested in addressing health disparities and improving access to care for vulnerable populations. I am excited to continue developing my skills in public health research, healthcare coordination, and community-based interventions to create meaningful and lasting impacts in the field.

#### Shegofa Alizada



Placement Site: New American Pathways,

Advancement

**Year:** Rising Senior

**School(s):** Emory College **Major(s):** Human Health

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**Pronouns:** she/her

My name is Shegofa Alizada, and I am a junior majoring in Human Health & Economics at Emory University. I am passionate about data organization, staying on schedule, and efficiently completing tasks both independently and in teams.

As a participant in the Servant Leader Summer Internship Program, I will engage in project development, networking, and data management while enhancing my leadership skills at New American Pathways, a nonprofit supporting refugees and immigrants.

I also work as a Resident Advisor at Clairmont Campus, where I support and engage with students. In my free time, I enjoy swimming, camping, and playing board games.

## Chizaram (Zara) Anyaegbu

Placement Site: Georgia Public Broadcasting

Year: First Year

**School(s):** Rollins School of Public Health **Major(s):** Behavioral, Social, & Health

**Education Sciences** 

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**Pronouns:** she/they



Hi! I am Chizaram Anyaegbu, a first year at Rollins School of Public Health in the Behavioral Social and Health Education Sciences Department. My background in care coordination leads me to be a passionate advocate for disability awareness and I find great interest in understanding social determinants of health that might affect the behaviors and treatment of this population. I serve as the Vice President of Rollins Student Government, where I work to bridge the gap between administrators and students. My other hobbies include makeup and hair, karaoke, and making templates to organize on Canva pro!

## **Abby Balson**



Placement Site: Concrete Jungle

Year: Rising Senior

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): Human Health and Music

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Pronouns: she/her

I am a junior from Dallas, Texas studying Human Health and Music. I am excited to be working with Concrete Jungle this summer! During the school year, I am involved in the the Emory Saikawa Lab, where I work on the social media team and help test for heavy metal levels in Westside Atlanta homes. As an avid musician, I sing in the University Chorus and play saxophone in the Emory Wind Ensemble, Emory Saxophone Quartet, and Emory Young People's Orchestra. I also serve as the director of the Emory Pep Band and Historial for Emory's professional music fraternity, Mu Phi Epsilon.

#### Placement Site: New American Pathways,

Resettlement

Year: Rising Senior

School(s): Emory College

**Major(s):** Philosophy; Spanish Minor

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Pronouns: she/her

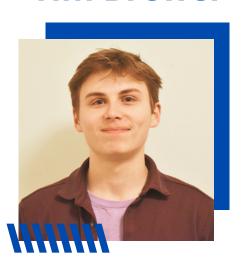
## Sophie Bannon



Hello! I am a rising senior studying Philosophy and Spanish on the pre-law track. I am very passionate about moral philosophy, immigration, and exploring the gap between moral theory and ethical responsibility and action. I am dedicated to learning how I can make a positive difference in refugee and immigrant communities! In my free time, I love writing poetry, playing tennis, and listening to old Spanish music. I am very grateful to be a part of this program and New American Pathways!

#### **Tim Brewer**

Placement Site: Emory Office of Sustainability Initiatives Year: Rising Senior School(s): Emory College Major(s): Environmental Sciences and Philosophy, Politics, & Law Email: tmbrewe@emory.edu Pronouns: he/him



Hello! My name is Tim Brewer, I'm a rising senior studying Environmental Sciences and Philosophy, Politics, & Law, and I'm from Cincinnati, Ohio. I am passionate about environmental justice and hope to attend law school after my undergrad. You might see me around campus performing with the wind ensemble, jazz band, or pep band, and I enjoy jogging in Lullwater and making music in my free time. I am excited to be a part of the EASL program and promote sustainability on campus with OSI this summer!

#### **Hunter Buchheit**



Placement Site: National Center for Civil &

**Human Rights** 

**Year:** Rising Sophomore **School(s):** Emory College

Major(s): History and Quantitative Sciences

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Pronouns: he/him

My name is Hunter Buchheit, and I am a rising Sophomore at Emory University. I plan to study History and Quantitative Sciences, and I am on a pre-law track. As a student journalist for the Emory Wheel, as well as a long-time organizer within the Atlanta community, I am deeply interested in the intersection between history, politics, and narrative storytelling. In the future, I hope to pursue a career as a public interest attorney working on civil rights cases and maintain my connection to journalism, policy, and public service.

# Sophia (Soph) Chenault

Placement Site: The Bakery Atlanta School/Year(s): Emory College, Graduated 2025 Candler School of Theology, First Year, Master of Theological Studies

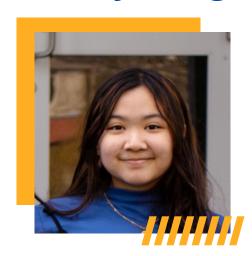
**Concentration(s):** Philosophy & Religion **Email:** schenau@emory.edu

**Pronouns:** she/her



I am deeply passionate about the intersection between religion and social justice, specifically how restorative justice can be constructed from liberation theologies. Although liberation can be practiced in a variety of ways, caring for one's community must always lie at the center of any mission to heal any wounds caused by exclusion and discrimination. I am excited to explore the way different modes of creativity and artistic expression can help form stronger bonds within the Atlanta community and beyond. Additionally, I am grateful for the opportunity to receive knowledge from the immensely talented creatives in the DIY scene in Atlanta and bring what I have learned to the welcoming community at the Candler School of Theology in the fall.

## **Tammy Dang**



**Placement Site:** International Rescue Committee, Economic Empowerment

Year: Rising Senior

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): Human Health & Economics

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Pronouns: she/her

Hello! My name is Tammy, and I am a rising senior majoring in Human Health and Economics with a minor in QSS. After my senior year, I plan to matriculate into the Rollins School of Public Health to pursue my 4+1 MPH in Epidemiology. I'm passionate about using data to explore the intersections of health, policy, and economic equity—particularly in community health contexts. Outside of academics, I enjoy lifting, making jewelry, and finding new coffee shops around Atlanta!

#### **Mahliet Demissie**



Placement Site: International Rescue

Committee, Health & Wellness

Year: Rising Senior

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): Anthropology & Human Biology

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Pronouns: she/her

Hi! I'm incredibly excited to be serving as the Health and Wellness Intern this summer. Coming from a family that were refugees from Ethiopia has motivated me to serve communities that are navigating similar paths. I am passionate about creating a safe and affirming space for individuals to reclaim the agency of their health. Additionally, I love to read. My favorite books are *Cutting for Stone*, *On Earth We're Briefly Gorgeous*, and *Transcendent Kingdom*.

# **Zongheng He**



**Placement Site:** International Rescue Committee, Intensive Case Management

Year: First Year

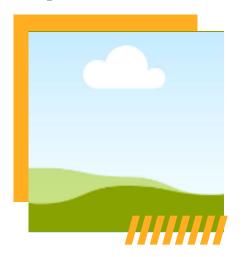
School(s): Rollins School of Public Health

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Pronouns: he/him

Hi, my name is Zongheng He, and I'm a first-year MPH student in Epidemiology at the Rollins School of Public Health. I'm deeply interested in using data and research to address health disparities and improve access to care for underserved communities. With a background in pharmacy and a growing passion for public service, I'm excited to support the IRC this summer and contribute to their mission of empowering vulnerable populations through health and humanitarian programs.

## Sophie Kalmin



Placement Site: Zoo Atlanta

Year: Rising Senior

**School(s):** Emory College

Concentration: American Studies &

**MESAS Minor** 

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Pronouns: she/her

I'm a rising senior from Houston, Texas, majoring in American Studies and minoring in Middle Eastern Studies. I'm passionate about the intersection of zoo-based animal conservation and government, and I focus on these policies through building my American Studies major. I hope to lobby at both the state and federal levels for greater funding and stronger regulations for the nation's zoos and aquariums to help save endangered species. On campus, you can find me giving tours with the Office of Undergraduate Admission, serving as a legislator in Student Government Association, working as a Peer Ambassador in Pathways' National Scholarships and Fellowships Program, or hanging out at Emory Hillel, where I'm the incoming President. I'm looking very forward to exploring Atlanta's food scene over the summer and getting to know everyone else in EASL!

#### **Isabelle Kronick**

Placement Site: Anti-Defamation League

**Year:** Rising Senior

School(s): Emory College

**Major(s):** Political Science, Psychology **Email:** isabelle.kronick@emory.edu

Pronouns: she/her



Hi! My name is Isabelle, and I am a rising fourth-year undergraduate at Emory College double majoring in psychology and political science. I am passionate about applying what I learn in the classroom to drive meaningful change in my community.

## Isabelle Kronick (cont'd)

As part of Emory's Community Building and Social Change Fellowship's 2024 cohort, I designed and implemented a community-based research project in collaboration with the City of Decatur to help them increase youth engagement in their sustainability initiatives.

Additionally, I have worked at the American Heart Association and Matriculate, a national nonprofit that works to expand access to higher education through near-peer mentorship. I'm beyond excited to bring these experiences to the ADL this summer, and work and grow with a team similarly committed to advancing social justice. In my free time, I enjoy going for walks, trying new restaurants, and watching documentaries.

#### **Brooke Lawrence**



Placement Site: Museum of History and

Holocaust Education at KSU

Year: Third Year

**School(s):** Candler School of Theology

Program(s): Master of Divinity

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**Pronouns:** she/her

My name is Brooke Lawrence and I am a rising third year Master of Divinity student at the Candler School of Theology. I am from Orange Park, Florida, which is a city outside of Jacksonville. I am pursuing ordination as an Elder in the Florida Conference of the United Methodist Church, and I hope to apply to PhD programs in Theology and Ethics soon, studying the memorialization of suffering and death with compassion and life. I love spending time with my friends and cuddling with my dog, Callie.

#### **Ammon Longenecker**



Placement Site: International Rescue

Committee, Supply Chain

Year: Rising Senior

**School(s):** Emory College **Major(s):** Mathematics

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Pronouns: he/him

Hello, my name is Ammon and I am originally from Washington DC. I am a rising senior at Emory majoring in math and minoring in economics. Outside of academics I enjoy staying active and spending time outside. I am a member of Emory's club Ultimate Frisbee team and am also heavily involved with Emory Bike Social. I am excited for the opportunity to work as the supply chain intern for the International Rescue Committee this summer.

## **Alicia McGlory**

Placement Site: Environmental Education

Alliance (EEA)

**Year:** Rising Senior

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): International Studies

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Pronouns: she/her



I am Alicia McGlory, a rising senior majoring in International Studies. I have a passion for all things cultural, but especially language, hence the minor in French. I aspire to work either in the government or legal fields, advocating for international and/or environmental justice, and my dream job entails lots of travel and learning about different cultures. In my free time, I love to read (mythological or dystopian fiction), spend time in nature, and travel. The number one destination on my travel list is Kruger National Park in South Africa where I hope to see the leopards and elephants.

#### **Avery Neuer**



**Placement Site:** Philanthropy Southeast

**Year:** Rising Junior

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): Philosophy, Politics, & Law,

**Ethics Minor** 

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Pronouns: she/her

Hi! I am a rising third-year student majoring in Philosophy, Politics, Law, minoring in ethics, on the Pre-Law Track. After graduation, I plan to attend law school to pursue a career in criminal defense work. At Emory, I am involved in the EASL Forum, the Undergraduate Journal of Law & Society, and serve as a Programming Chair of Women in Law. I am also a defender for the Women's Club Lacrosse Team. I am incredibly passionate about legal ethics, social justice, and community engagement. I am thrilled to grow my skills and make an impact through my work with Philanthropy Southeast this summer.

#### **Doreen Okeh**

Placement Site: Environmental
Education Alliance (EEA)
Year: Graduated Senior 2025
School(s): Emory College
Major(s): Human Health, Sociology
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Pronouns: she/her



My name is Doreen and I am a recent graduate of Emory. I studied Human Health and Sociology and will continue my passion for effecting community change in law school this fall. I am dedicated to fostering equitable green spaces in downtown Atlanta, working toward building healthier, more sustainable communities. I am excited to join the Environmental Education Alliance of Georgia (EEA) through EASL, where we will provide nonprofit training, curriculum, and financial support to school staff for developing environmental education and outdoor learning materials.

This summer, I look forward to navigating the organizational complexities, diverse responsibilities, and heightened moral stakes of working in nonprofits, all while continuing to advocate for the communities I care deeply about. I am so grateful to be a part of the EASL community!

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## **Morgan Schatmeyer**



Placement Site: Alliance Theatre

Year: Rising Junior

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): Theatre Studies and Film;

Media Studies Minor

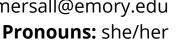
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Pronouns: she/her

I am a rising junior at Emory University, majoring in theatre studies and minoring in Film and Media Studies. At Emory, I am the upcoming Artistic Director for Dooley's Players, a member of the comedy-improv troupe, Rathskellar, and performer for Theatre Emory and student theatre organizations. I am so thrilled to be working alongside the passionate and creative individuals of the Alliance Theatre!

# **Myla Somersall**

Placement Site: International Rescue
Committee, Youth Education
Year: Rising Junior
School(s): Emory College
Major(s): International Studies
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Hello! My name is Myla Somersall and I am a Woodruff-Martin Luther King Jr. Scholar within the Emory College of Arts and Sciences. Through majoring in International Studies, with a minor in Spanish, I seek to analyze legislative challenges through a global lens.

# Myla Somersall (cont'd)

My experiences studying diplomacy abroad and participating in language immersion programs with the School for International Training and Emory Iberian Studies Program underscore my belief that real-world engagement is key to understanding global challenges. My commitment to educational access, civic engagement, and social justice is reflected in my roles as an instructor at the Veritas School of Social Sciences, my fellowship at Teach for America, and my leadership of Emory's National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) Political Action Committee. After obtaining my Bachelor of Arts, I anticipate attending law school to pursue a career in international human rights law.

# Raeghan Swanson



Placement Site: High Museum of Art

Year: Rising Senior

**School(s):** Emory College **Major(s):** Art History and

International Studies

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Pronouns: she/her

Hello! My name is Raeghan Swanson, and I am a rising senior in the College of Arts and Sciences, double majoring in Art History (museum concentration) and International Studies. For the summer, I will be working as the Community Engagement Intern at the High Museum of Art. I am very passionate about education, advocacy, and love the museum space. On campus, I am the Co-President for Planned Parenthood Generation Action, Resident Advisor, and an Undergraduate Assistant to the Art History Visual Resource Library. I am from Rogers, Arkansas, and love being outdoors, reading, cooking, and spending time with friends. I cannot wait for the summer, and I am excited for our classes and projects!

#### Maya Vizuete

Placement Site: Atlanta Downtown,

**Art & Activation** 

Year: Rising Sophomore

School(s): Emory College

Major(s): Human Health and

Interdisciplinary Studies

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Pronouns: she/her



Hello! My name is Maya Vizuete and I am a rising second-year studying Human Health and Interdisciplinary Urban Studies. Passionate about the intersections between health, the built environment, and culture, I aim to work in urban design and public health. I am dedicated to investigating how urban policy and history address health disparities. Outside of classes, I am an organizer with Sunrise Emory and hold leadership roles with Emory Students for New Urbanism, Philosophy Club, and Matriculate. In my free time, I enjoy painting, hiking, and music. In my placement, I look forward to working in urban development, contributing to placemaking and cultural preservation in Atlanta, and uplifting local artists.

#### **Chase Wallace**



Placement Site: New American Pathways,

Youth & Education Year: Rising Junior

**School(s):** Emory College **Program(s):** Political Science

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**Pronouns:** he/him

Hello! I'm Chase Wallace, and I'm a third-year student pursuing Political Science and Philosophy, Politics, and Law on the Pre-Law track. At Emory, I serve as VP of Communications in the Student Government, and I love reading, producing videos, and making music. I hope to attend law school and serve others with what I've been given.

# **Tinghan Wang**



Placement Site: International Rescue

Committee, Youth Futures **Year:** Rising Sophomore **School(s):** Oxford College

**Major(s):** Human Health + Economics

(undeclared); Public Policy

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**Pronouns:** any

Hey! My name is Tinghan, and I'm a Human Health + Economics joint major. My research examines demographic disparities within our legal systems, with a focus on judicial outcomes. I've worked extensively with the social services in Newton County, as a judicial intern in the County Court and foster care specialist at DFCS. Beyond the classroom, I love exploring Atlanta's food scene and am often found rollerskating along the Beltline.

#### **Charlotte Weinstein**

Placement Site: New American Pathways,

Resettlement

Year: Graduated Senior 2025

**School(s):** Emory College

**Major(s):** History

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**Pronouns:** she/her



My name is Charlotte Weinstein, and I am a recent graduate from the College of Arts and Sciences where I studied History with a concentration in Law, Economics, and Human Rights and minored in Ethics. This summer, I will be serving as a Resettlement Intern at New American Pathways. Throughout my time at Emory, I have worked with New AP both as an independent volunteer and through the Emory Ethics and Servant Leadership Program. I have also worked with refugee communities abroad in childcare and English instruction. This organization and the communities it serves mean a lot to me, and I am excited to gain exposure to the logistical side of non-profit work as I anticipate a career in refugee services and policy.

#### **Amelia Wiley Moreira**



Placement Site: International Rescue

Committee, Resettlement/Early Employment

Year: Rising Junior

**School(s):** Emory College

**Major(s):** Anthropology, Health & Sustainability Concentration, and

**International Studies** 

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Pronouns: she/her

Hi! My name is Amelia and I'm currently a sophomore at Emory. My passions include cooking, writing, and spending hours at literally any body of water. I am so excited for this opportunity to be a part of the important work that the International Rescue Committee is doing!

# 2025 EASL Placement Sites



#### **Alliance Theatre**

Website: www.alliancetheatre.org

Alliance Theatre is the leading producing theater in the Southeast, offering 12 world class productions each season. Four are produced on our brand new Coca Cola Stage, four are produced in the underground Hertz, and four are part of our family series which includes productions for ages 0 – 3 years old. We also host the annual Reiser Atlanta Artists Lab competition which provides funding and resources to teams of local Atlanta artists. In addition, we have the Alliance/Kendeda National Graduate Playwrighting Competition which produces one new play submitted by a MFA playwrighting recipient a year. Finally, we have a robust education department that provides drama camps and classes for all ages, training for teachers, workshops in communication for corporations, and a host of other programming that supports our mission.

#### **Anti-Defamation League SE**

Website: www.atlanta.adl.org

The Anti-Defamation League was founded in 1913 "to stop the defamation of the Jewish people and to secure justice and fair treatment to all." Based in Atlanta, the ADL Southeast Regional Office serves Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, and Tennessee. The office provides anti-bias programming for schools, workplaces, and communal organizations, hate crimes training for law enforcement, advocates for social justice initiatives at all levels of government, and responds to incidents of antisemitism and hate throughout the four-state region.

#### **Atlanta Downtown**

Website: www.atlanta.adl.org

Atlanta Downtown works to create a safe, clean, and vibrant district. By driving economic growth, improving public spaces, and fostering cultural and social engagement, we promote a thriving and inclusive urban environment. Atlanta Downtown is a partnership between Central Atlanta Progress and the Atlanta Downtown Improvement District.

The organization facilitates innovative programs and public-private partnerships focused on the economic development, physical environment, and marketing of Downtown Atlanta. The Art & Activation program presents art installations and community events like local vendor markets, yoga classes, and live music to enliven Downtown spaces.

#### **The Bakery Atlanta**

Website: www.thebakeryatlanta.com/

Our mission is to broaden awareness of, and build community around, progressive ideas in the arts. We envision an Atlanta that supports the emerging, DIY, and and underground arts as they grow locally and regionally in the Southeast.

The Bakery Atlanta is a collective of artists, curators, and administrators dedicated to offering alternative models to local creatives and the general public. We host and produce experiences that connect and inspire people through collaboration, experimentation, and play.

Moreover, we support the emerging, DIY arts community through community projects and engagement events, hosting workshops, classes, art exhibitions, and offering a host of digital resources for artists including our artists opportunities page and artist directory. In addition to these offerings, we also coordinate, curate, and install artwork in public and private spaces.

#### **Concrete Jungle**

#### Website: www.concrete-jungle.org

Concrete Jungle was started by a group of friends scavenging for overlooked apple trees in Atlanta. Thus, Concrete Jungle became an organization whose mission is to forage, farm, and support food access across Georgia.

Concrete Jungle provides fresh produce to food-insecure families by distributing excess produce from fruit trees and farms throughout the region; growing food on our farm; and providing nutrition education resources. As of December 2023, Concrete Jungle had distributed over 2 million pounds of fresh, nutritious food.

Concrete Jungle's main programs include it's flagship program, Fruit Picks and Adventure Picks, PEEL (Produce Education and Enjoyment Loop), and Produce Buyers Club.

Through PEEL, Concrete Jungle distributes these fruits and vegetables to agencies throughout Atlanta doing the important work of feeding their communities. In 2018, Concrete Jungle began providing educational opportunities at food pantries and soup kitchens to help familiarize clients with local and less common varieties of produce. Through taste tests, recipe demonstrations, and cooking classes the PEEL program ensures that Concrete Jungle makes produce available and accessible for our partners' clients.

The Produce Buyers Club purchases imperfect produce from farms in South Georgia for distribution among hunger relief agencies in the Atlanta area. The program is unique because the produce was picked within a few days of when it is distributed, unlike the food bank or other produce providers who are giving produce that has surpassed its shelf life.

#### **Environmental Education Alliance of Georgia**

Website: www.eealliance.org

The Environmental Education Alliance (EEA) is the backbone organization for environmental education and outdoor learning in Georgia, working towards a world where every child grows up feeling connected to nature, knowledgeable about the environment, prepared to solve problems, and motivated to create a just and sustainable future. EEA champions environmental and outdoor learning; promotes research-informed instructional practices and high-quality teaching resources; sparks innovation; demonstrates collective impact; advances equity and inclusion; and advocates for investment in the field.

The EEA believes educators can leverage the power of environmental and outdoor education to spark curiosity, engage children in real-world investigations, and foster problem-solving skills. These transformative learning experiences and nature connections empower children to tackle the environmental challenges of their generation, bringing us closer to a world where people and nature thrive. EEA offers assistance and resources to those who provide outdoor learning spaces, educate children, and cultivate inclusive nature experiences.

#### **Georgia Public Broadcasting**

Website: www.gpb.org

The mission of Georgia Public Broadcasting (GPB) is to create, produce and distribute high quality programs and services that educate, inform and entertain our audiences and enrich the quality of their lives. In service of this mission, GPB delivers quality Public Broadcasting Service (PBS) and locally produced programming to every county in Georgia via nine public television stations. In addition, GPB is a listener-supported public radio network serving Georgia with NPR news and information along with a variety of music.

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#### **Georgia Public Broadcasting (cont'd)**

Moreover, GPB Education is Georgia's digital media content provider for the classroom, offering locally produced, Georgia-specific content and digital streaming services across all subject areas to teachers and students. The goal of GPB is to remain at the forefront of the digital learning movement by creating, curating, and distributing quality educational programs and services through our state-of-the-art production facility, cutting edge digital media division, and our partnership with PBS LearningMedia. GPB Education also provides training for Georgia's educators and educational institutions.

#### **High Museum of Art**

Website: www.high.org

The High Museum of Art is designed to meet audiences at the intersection of culture and community. We invite you to use the museum as a place to find inspiration, discover new ideas, meet old friends, and make new ones. Through our renowned collection of historical and contemporary art, touring special exhibitions, and thoughtful programming, our mission is to make this rich cultural resource available to educate, excite, and expand the hearts and minds of the many people who walk through the doors each day.

The High has ongoing programs for all ages throughout the year. Whether you're a toddler, a teen, or an adult, we've got you covered with art-making classes, lectures, parties, and more. Find out what we have to offer by visiting our website linked above.

#### **International Rescue Committee**

**Website:** <u>www.rescue.org/united-states/atlanta-ga</u>

The International Rescue Committee (IRC) in Atlanta creates opportunities for refugees and immigrants to integrate and thrive in Georgia communities. Since opening in 1979, the IRC's locally funded office in Atlanta has welcomed more than 28,000 refugees from over 65 countries to resettle in communities across the state. A committed staff of more than 100 professionals work together with volunteers to assist families in reuniting and rebuilding their lives in the greater Atlanta area. The IRC in Atlanta offers a broad range of programs including resettlement and case management services, adult education classes, youth programs covering ages 5 to 24, employment assistance, asset building resources, community health response programs, and immigration services, all of which serve more than 4,000 clients each year.

# Museum of History and Holocaust Education at Kennesaw State University

Website: www.historymuseum.kennesaw.edu

The Museum of History and Holocaust Education (MHHE) at Kennesaw State University (KSU) comprises one unit within the KSU Department of Museums, Archives, and Rare Books (MARB).

In addition to serving KSU and department initiatives, the MHHE presents public events, exhibits, educational resources and training rooted in World War II and the Holocaust and the generational shifts that relate to those events. The MHHE illuminates the role that individuals play in history and the effects of history on individuals.

#### **National Center for Civil & Human Rights**

Website: www.civilandhumanrights.org

The National Center for Civil and Human Rights is a museum dedicated to the achievements of the civil rights movement in the United States and the broader worldwide human rights movement. Located in downtown Atlanta, Georgia, the museum opened to the public on June 23, 2014.

The *Truth* + *Transformation* program at the National Center for Civil and Human Rights works to uncover Atlanta's suppressed legacy of racial terror, forced labor, and systemic racism while engaging affected communities to lay the groundwork for meaningful change. We aim to empower marginalized groups to understand their histories and leverage their strengths to transform their futures. Acting as conveners, we uplift individuals and efforts within the community to create lasting impact.

#### **New American Pathways**

Website: www.newamericanpathways.org

New American Pathways is a local 501(c)3 nonprofit that helps refugees from the moment of arrival in Georgia through their journey to citizenship. Our specially designed programs provide proven pathways for refugees and other immigrants to realize their full potential and dreams as they build new lives. Our comprehensive model is unique. We begin with resettlement services and offer steady guidance and advocacy for each family as they pursue jobs, education, cultural integration, individual and female empowerment, and whatever each person needs on their pathway to succeed. By matching peoples' unique assets with opportunities in the community, we ensure that each new American we serve can succeed, strengthen the American workforce, and help Georgia thrive.

# Office of Sustainability Initiatives at Emory University

Website: www.sustainability.emory.edu

Founded in 2006, the Emory Office of Sustainability Initiatives (OSI) has firmly established the University's place as a sustainability leader in higher education. From the copy room to the operating room, from the classroom to the residence hall, OSI guides efforts to meet the challenges of sustainability across all of Emory University, Oxford College, and Emory Healthcare. Emory OSI carries out this imperative by helping to restore the global ecosystem, fostering healthy living, and reducing the University's impact on the local environment.

#### **Philanthropy Southeast**

Website: www.philanthropysoutheast.org

Philanthropy Southeast (formerly Southeastern Council of Foundations) is the premier philanthropic network for courageous leaders, ideas and resources focused on the American South and U.S. Caribbean territories. We connect our members to experts, innovations and best practices in philanthropy while promoting peer-to-peer learning and leadership development. Our members comprise a diverse network of thinkers, problem solvers and leaders who share their perspectives, ideas and insights in pursuit of a common goal: leveraging the power of effective, meaningful philanthropy to build a region where all people can participate and prosper.

Our members represent more than 300 philanthropic organizations and individuals of all sizes, including but not limited to family and independent foundations, corporate giving programs, community foundations, grantmaking public charities, and philanthropicserving organizations. Our members represent more than 112 billion dollars in assets dedicated to serving charitable interests across the Southeast in such areas as education, health, human services and the environment. We provide resources, professional development and networking opportunities for funders to learn more about best practices in grantmaking and philanthropic practice -- learning about their communities, engaging nonprofits and putting their considerable resources to work to make a better world.

#### **Zoo Atlanta**

Website: www.zooatlanta.org

Zoo Atlanta has come a long way since opening our doors way back in 1889! We've changed dramatically since the earliest days of our Victorian origins, from the fascinating series of events that led to Atlanta's first zoo, to the legendary Willie B., to the history of our giant panda program. We thank you for being part of the journey — our story is still being told!

At Zoo Atlanta, we envision a world where wildlife and humans flourish together. We save wildlife and their habitats through conservation, research, education and engaging experiences. Our efforts connect people to animals and inspire conservation action.

Internships at Zoo Atlanta are designed to provide training and professional work experience that will help you achieve your academic and professional goals. Zoo Atlanta will provide interns with skills, training and support materials; opportunities to develop personal connections to professionals in your field of interest; hands-on experience that will look great on your résumé; opportunities to develop new skills; a chance to make a difference for endangered species and conservation issues; and a fun and meaningful environment.

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