#### **DerChe' Berlyn Primus**

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### **Summary of Qualifications**

Proven student leader and accomplished scholar in the field of nursing. Graduated top seven in my graduating class with honors, and a track record of community service, educational accolades, and campus involvement as a former student-athlete.

#### **Education**

## University of South Carolina Upstate, Spartanburg, South Carolina

August 2017-May 2021

Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing Date of Graduation: May 4, 2021 Institutional Honors: Magna Cum Laude

**Grade Point Average: 3.817** 

#### **Honors and Awards**

Upstate Seven Award recipient, given to the top seven graduating students within the university, taking into consideration grades, campus involvement, and leadership. Chancellor's List Recipient, Dean's List Recipient, Solomon Jackson, Jr. Foundation Scholar, South Carolina Life Scholar, Helen P. Biehl Endowed Scholarship Recipient, Highest GPA on USC Upstate Cheer Team, TRiO Academic Excellence Award, TRiO Perseverance Award and TRiO Diamond Award, Mary Black School of Nursing Civility Award, as well as having the opportunity to be inducted into the Fraternal Laurel Society for having a GPA above 3.8 at the time of graduation.

#### **Leadership Experience & Collegiate Involvement**

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated Vice President of Xi Iota Chapter

Diversity, Equity and Civility Council for the Mary Black School of Nursing Representative

Campus Activities Board (President/Executive Director)

October 2020-July 2021

November 2019-May 2021

August 2018-May 2021

 Provides overall direction for the board, schedules and leads weekly meetings, plans, and coordinates all events and retreats, etc.

#### **TRiO Student Support Services Peer Helper**

August 2018

- Assisted incoming first-generation college freshmen with acclimating to the university environment through academic
  and social assistance
- Encouraged discussion on topics such as time management, choosing a major, and residential life

IMPACT (Campus Community Service Organization)

August 2018-May 2021

**Black Student Leaders** 

August 2018-August 2019

USC Upstate Athletics August 2017-2018

Athletic Cheerleader

## **Community Service and Volunteerism**

TRiO Upward Bound Richland Northeast High School Speaker June 2015- May 2021 August 2017-Present

Speak to high school students about college and provide answers to questions they may have

# Habitat for Humanity

August 2018-Present

- Assist in building houses for low-income families to live in.
- Volunteer at the ReStore to stock shelves and clean, while donating my hours to help Habitat homeowners

## **Employment**

St. Francis Emory July 2021-Present

 Registered (Charge) Nurse of the Cardiovascular and Medical Stepdown Unit with experience in both the Cardiovascular and Medical Intensive Care Units