

Owen Barnert

EDUCATION

- August 2019 - June 2022 - **BASIS Independent McLean** - High School Diploma with High Honors
GPA: 4.49, 14 APs
- August 2022 - April 2023 - **McGill University** - Bachelor's in Political Science and Bachelor's of Music in Organ Performance
U1, GPA: 3.83
- August 2023-June 2026 - **Vanderbilt University** - Bachelor's in Economics and Political Science

EXPERIENCE

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| June 2023 - Present | <p>EEA Intern, National Bureau of Asian Research - Washington DC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interviewed Malaysian hydrogen expert which will be published in August 2023. • Edited and fact-checked several academic publications and key findings such as Clean EDGE Tokyo (May 2023) • Researched and helped write on decarbonization and net zero transition in the Indo-Pacific (ERIN) which will be published in the Fall of 2023. |
| May 2023 - Present | <p>MCMUN DAIS Vice Chair 2023, McGill University - Montreal, QC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will be responsible for writing background briefs • Moderating and facilitating debate with over 20 delegates |
| August 2022 - Present | <p>Vice President, McGill Students for UNICEF - Montreal, QC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responsible for leading recruitment programs for new members • Aided in creation of fundraising events which raised over \$400 • Contributed in writing for UNICEF recognized days for 4 months |
| June 2021 - July 2022 | <p>HOA Secretary Assistant, Reston, VA.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Involved in budget management for expenditures • Assisted in the management of \$10,000 in community funds • Reviewed regulatory packets for new homeowners |
| January 2023- Present | <p>Debater, McGill Debating Union - Montreal, QC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debated in weekly debates and attended 2 regional competitions |
| January 2023 - Present | <p>Writer, McGill Tribune - Montreal, QC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 times published in the Tribune |
| August 2021- August 2022 | <p>Student Volunteer, NHS - Mclean, VA.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Led community service initiatives • Over 20 hours of community service |
| August 2022- June 2023 | <p>Organ Scholar, Newman Center - Montreal, QC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accompanied and led the choir during mass • Coordinated with director in hymn selection for certain masses |
| June 2023 - Present | <p>Organist, New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, Washington DC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lead music during services which amount to 8 pieces weekly • Collaboration with pastors and other staff on hymn coordination • Accompanied soloists every week ranging from piano to flute solos |

SKILLS, INTERESTS AND HONORS

Language skills: English (native), French (Advanced)

Skills: Data Collection and Presentation, Budget Management, Scientific and Report Writing, Microsoft Office 365, Market Research, Collaboration, Time Management, Leadership

Honors: Congressional Academic Award, AP Scholar with Honor, Potomac Organ Institute Scholar, Les Grand Concours 13th Nationally, George Mason Merit Scholarship Recipient