**Melison McDonald**

**Auburn University**

EDUCATION

**Bachelor of Arts in Sociology; May 2020**

*Auburn University*; Auburn, AL

GPA 3.67

* Dean’s List Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019
* Minor in Philanthropy and Nonprofit Studies
* Auburn Alumni Association Endowed Scholarship Fall 2016
* The Society for Collegiate Leadership & Achievement Spring 2018

WORK EXPERIENCE

**Storybook Farm Internship** May 2019-July 2019

*Opelika, AL*

* Helped the organization plan for their 2020 riding season by planning their Valentine’s Day party, their spring riding theme, and making plans for programs for the new barn
* Helped the organization prepare for the construction of their new barn
* Worked with children during weekly field trips and taught them about the operations of the organization
* Achieved the minimum 135 hour requirement for the internship

COMMUNITY SERVICE

**Summer Camp Chaperone** June 2017

*Panama City Beach, FL*

* Served as a chaperone for the week long camp
* Managed the time schedule each day for the teenagers
* Ensured the teenagers remained safe during the trip

**Baptist South Teen Volunteer Summer Program** June- August 2014

*Montgomery, AL*

* Achieved the minimum twenty-four hour requirement of volunteer hours
* Gained experience working in several different areas of the hospital, both clinical and non-clinical

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

**Student Philanthropy Board** August 2018-present

*Auburn University;* Auburn, AL

* Attend bi-weekly meetings
* Participate in events such as concourse hours and charity drives for nursing homes

**Active Minds** February 2018-present

*Auburn University, Auburn AL*

* Works to ensure that the public receives awareness about the importance of mental health
* Helped with the event Send Silence Packing