

# ERNESTO CHACÓN

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## EDUCATION

### **B.A. Political Science**

Seattle University – Seattle, WA

**Expected 2021**

### **Associate of Arts**

South Seattle College – Seattle, WA

**June 2018**

## AWARDS

### **South Seattle College**

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society

2018 - 2019

Honor Roll – Dean’s List (3 Quarters)

2016 - 2018

Honor Roll – President’s List (4 Quarters)

2016 - 2018

### **Seattle University**

Alfie Scholar

2019 - Present

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Organization

### **Reading Partners**

**January 2019 - Present**

*Mentor*

Attended 2 sessions per week at 2 hours a session mentoring and developing reading skills on an individual basis with a Kindergarten student. The student didn’t have available resources at home for a conducive learning environment. Therefore, creating trust through repeated sessions with a single mentor, as we did, is the most ideal situation for students.

Organization

### **DNDA’s Nature Consortium Program**

**Sept. 2018 - May 2019**

*Environmental Restoration / Invasive Species Removal*

My group worked together and used hand tools to plant 9 native trees, 79 shrubs and 89 ground cover plants. Planting native plants has a very beneficial impact on the local eco-system and environment. As part of invasive species removal, we removed 3,800 sq. ft. of Himalayan Blackberry, Bull Thistle, Tansy Ragwort, and Herb Robert. The species overpopulate and kill many native species, which are vital to the local eco-system.

Organization

### **Food Lifeline**

**May 2019**

*Fresh Rescue*

The purpose of Food Lifeline is to provide food to areas with little access to fresh food. During my time there, we created 116,000 meals for under nourished families in the greater Seattle Area. It was at my discretion to sort and dispose of food not fit for human consumption and to box food that was edible. The job required split second decision making and good judgment that affected thousands of lives.