

Alejandra (Javiera) Caballero
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Work Experience:

Program Coordinator, Alma Advisory Group, LLC 2016-2019 (Jan)
Coordination of project timelines, deliverables and scheduling across multiple projects and programs. Provide content support to senior and lead project advisors including development of competency rubrics, survey creation and project research. Coordination with Business manager around invoicing and project cash flows. Coordination and grading of third-party application reviews for applicants in leadership pipeline programs

Project Coordinator, Cross & Joftus, LLC 2014-2016
Coordination of project timelines, deliverables and scheduling across multiple projects and providing content support to senior consultants including development of competency rubrics, survey creation and project research

Owner/Baker, Bread Uprising LLC - Durham, NC 2011-2014
Co-owner of a small cooperative bakery. Along with baking responsibilities, helped manage daily running of bakery including ordering, inventory and scheduling. The business model was mission driven and as such involved constant evaluation, dialogue, and collective decision making amongst co-bakers and bakery members

Teacher, Myers Park Through-the-Week Preschool - Charlotte, NC 2009-2010
Part-time preschool teacher in 2-year-old classroom. Responsible for teaching and implementing curriculum with a co-teacher.

Teacher, Council Oak Montessori - Chicago, IL 2005-2007
Lead teacher for 6-9 year old class. Responsibilities were similar to those at Mountain Pathways Montessori School.

Teacher, Near North Montessori - Chicago, IL 2004-2005
Spanish instructor for 6-9 year old and 12-14 year old classes and after-school teacher

Mountain Pathways Montessori School - Boone, NC 2000-2004
Progressed from part-time Spanish teacher to lead teacher for 6-9 year old class, after receiving Montessori training. In charge of the curriculum for 6-9 year old class. Responsibilities also included tracking student progress, facilitating parent communication and supervising classroom assistant.

Education

NC Center for Montessori Teacher Education - Apex, NC 2001-2002
6-9 teacher training program

Appalachian State University - Boone, NC 1997-2000
Bachelor of Science, Political Science
Concentration in International and Comparative Politics
Double Minor in Women's Studies and Sustainable Development

Alejandra (Javiera) Caballero, is currently an at-large Durham City Council Member. She was appointed in January 2018 and is the as the first Latinx council member and is currently campaigning to maintain her council seat. Javiera has worked diligently to support and implement progressive government policies in Durham including the city's first Participatory Budget cycle, funds for attorneys in an eviction diversion program, an expansion of living wages for all city employees not just full-time workers. She has also continuously advocated for the needs of immigrants in Durham and in North Carolina.

Javiera came to the United States as a child from Chile and her family eventually settled in Charlotte, North Carolina. She has been fortunate and has lived in several types of communities from Boone, NC where she attended college to Chicago, IL where are all three of her children were born. Javiera and her family moved to Durham in 2010. She is a former Montessori educator and education consultant, and has been deeply involved in organizing in Durham Public Schools.