

Kathryn Portwood

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Education

B. A., Criminology and Criminal Justice; B. A., Psychology

Expected May 2026 *University of Maryland - College Park, MD*

- The College of Behavioral and Social Sciences
- Minor in **Art History**

Honors College: College Park Scholars

August 2022 - Present

(Citation Expected May 2026)

- Participated in a service project clean-up at Fairland Recreational Park with staff from Montgomery County Parks
- Learned to challenge preconceived notions and seek new perspectives through analyzing and exploring different art forms

Experience

Poolesville High School Yearbook, Editor in Chief

August 2021 - May 2022

- Supervised the planning, marketing, execution, and distribution of the yearbook
- Designed cohesive layout spreads for other editors and staff
- Communicated with and interviewed students and staff both inside and outside of the yearbook team
- Served as the final check-point in production by editing each page

Harwood House Thrift Shop, Volunteer Staff

June 2015 - August 2022

- Aided in numerous store renovations, benefitting both staff and customers
- Collected, sorted, and steamed clothing before organizing on racks within the shop

Little Free Library, Event Planner & Leader

May 2019 - Present

- Led other girl scouts in planning and building the libraries in pairs
- Collected, sorted, and facilitated the exchange of books
- Maintained the cleanliness of library and surrounding landscaping areas throughout the year

Volunteer Work, Girl Scout

2014 - 2019

- Participated and led many service projects donating and providing services to varying organizations

Major and Minor Related Courses

Intro to Criminology

Criminal Law

Intro to Criminal Justice

Social Psychology

Art and Society in the West from the
Renaissance to the Present

Statistical Methods in Psychology

Accomplishments

Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society

Inducted 2023

Certificate of Merit for achieving top 5% of graduating class

Awarded 2022

NHD County Level

Awarded 2021

Piano

- Superior/Superior Plus on all National Piano Guild Auditions
- A+ on MSMTA Gail F. McDonald High School Piano Examination

Awarded 2014-2021

Awarded 2021

Girl Scouts of the USA

- Bronze Award
- Silver Award

Awarded 2014

Awarded 2019