

## RILEY NEFF

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### EDUCATION

West Virginia University

**Bachelor of Arts, expected graduation date:**

**May 2021**

Major: Sociology

Minors: French, LGBTQ+ studies, Geography of Globalization

### AWARDS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Helped create a scholarship fund for students who were involved in the French program at Washington High School in 2016-2017

Elected as representative to WVU student dorm's RHA council in Fall 2017

Organized an art show for LGBTQ+ students in the spring of 2018

### RELATED EXPERIENCE

Data HEART of WVU Sociology

**Research Assistant**

**Aug 2019 – ongoing**

-Assists with data collection and data management, conducts research into health-related disparities and access to health resources

-Assisted the Mountains of Hope cancer coalition and the WV DHHR in collecting resources related to transportation, financial assistance, and support groups in/available to West Virginians diagnosed with cancer

### PAPERS

*"Queering musical performance: How we can add performances that are not explicitly queer to the queer archive"*

Class assignment for WGST 360, Queer Theory

2019

*"Female Genital Alteration in Non-Western Culture: "Mutilation" or "Cutting"?"*

Class assignment for Honor's WGST 170, Intro to Women and Gender Studies

2018

*"Voluntourism in Africa and as a Worldwide Phenomenon: Serving Others or Serving Oneself"*

Class assignment for GEOG 243, Geography of Africa

2018

### LANGUAGES

English– native language

French– professional-level proficiency

### MEMBERSHIPS

Menstrual Equity Coalition

Queeries: Feminist Book Club (Secretary)

Girl Scouts of America alumnus

French National Honor Society/Société Honoraire de Français alumnus