

## PAST STUDENT EXPERIENCE

# SOPHIE BARTON

**CURRENTLY**  
STUDYING AT  
MONASH UNIVERSITY:  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE  
AND ARTS  
WITH A DIPLOMA  
IN SPANISH AND  
LATIN AMERICAN  
STUDIES

**SOPHIE'S  
SENIOR SUITE  
OF SUBJECTS**  
ENGLISH,  
MATHEMATICS A,  
BIOLOGY, SPANISH  
ACCELERATION,  
ANCIENT HISTORY  
AND FILM,  
TELEVISION AND  
NEW MEDIA

GRADUATED  
FROM  
**INDRO**  
**2017**

### PATH TO TERTIARY STUDY

I moved interstate to attend Monash University just after graduation. I am studying a Bachelor of Science and Arts with a Diploma in Spanish and Latin American Studies. I am majoring in Earth Science and Human Geography respectively. In 2019, I have been the youngest person to receive a Full Scholarship as a Diversity and Inclusion Residential Advisor. I largely attribute this to the appreciation for unity in diversity that Spanish Immersion cultivated.

### ASPIRATIONS

I am interested in working to reduce climate change inequality within the emerging world, focusing specifically on hydrogeological mitigation.

### TIPS FOR SUCCESS

I don't believe there is a magical trick to achieving the perfect results. I was motivated as I recognised what a privilege it was to finish high school. I attribute my results to the basics. I prioritised sleep (8-plus hours), attendance, exercising, taking breaks and starting tasks the day I received them. I am so glad I studied a wide variety of subjects as in Year 10 I was set on Medicine, in Year 11 and 12 on Law, and then two days before results came out I changed to Science (and I have since changed majors).



**BIGGEST STUDY  
TIP: PUT 200%  
INTO DRAFTS. THE  
BETTER THE DRAFT  
IS, THE MORE  
FEEDBACK YOU  
HAVE TO ADVANCE.**

