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Targeted Rural Underserved Track

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TRUST seeks to provide a continuous connection between rural, small city underserved communities, medical education, and health professionals in our region. Our goal is to create a full-circle pipeline by guiding qualified students through a special curriculum that connects continuity communities in WWAMI to the University of Washington School of Medicine and its network of affiliated residency programs in an effort to help meet the workforce needs of the region.

Hello Nampa TRUST!

I am excited for the opportunity to meet you and to learn more about your great city. It will be a new experience to immerse myself in and learn more about your way of life.

I am from Oakley, just south of Burley and adjacent to the City of Rocks. I enjoy the outdoors, especially four-wheeling and hiking. I also enjoy both watching and playing sports. Running is one of my favorite hobbies, and I completed the St. George Marathon during my senior year of high school. I also love to travel and have been to Europe, Central and South America, and many places throughout the United States.

I spent two years in Chicago on a mission for my church, and there I learned Spanish. I have continued to improve my Spanish working as the country supervisor of Peru with the Liahona Children's Foundation, a non-profit organization dedicated to helping malnourished children get the aid they need to grow and develop properly. Due to these things, I am particularly looking forward to working with the Hispanic population while I am in Nampa.

I graduated from Brigham Young University this past December and am excited to return to Idaho. I feel a sense of connection to the people here, and I look forward to working with you to make a real difference in the lives of many individuals and families.

Thank you for this opportunity! See you this summer!

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