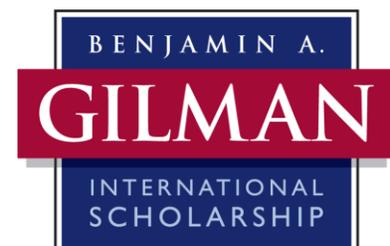


**HALEIGH HOSKINS | ARGENTINA, 2016**

- Studies International Studies at Spelman College
- Increased Spanish verbal/written skills
- Gained further insight into intended field of law through her program of Social Movements and Human Rights
- Completed research focusing on the hyper-sexuality of Afro-descendent (Afro-Dominican) women in Argentina in relation to the overlapping diaspora

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During her time in Buenos Aires, Argentina, Haleigh focused her studies on Social Movements and Human Rights. She spent much of her time traveling the country; meeting with different human rights groups and studying the overlapping diaspora of indigenous-people groups. Her insight led her to develop a research project focused on inclusion as it relates to the hyper-sexuality of Afro-descendant women in Buenos Aires. This not only aided in creating discourse of racism and sexism within the country but gave many Afro-Dominican immigrant women a louder voice. In addition to her travels and research, Haleigh spent much time working with Agrupación Afro Xangô, a human rights group in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Haleigh’s time spent in Argentina helped her not only learn the importance of cultural awareness but also allowed her to discover the next steps in her future career. Haleigh plans to attend law school in the fall of 2018 and hopes to use her degree as well as language skills to focus on immigration law so she may “pay it forward” to those who helped her along the way.