Member: Zev Haggitt
Site: High Point Center—Studio Program

Zev serves the High Point community in Seattle, Washington providing support to an after school program that supports low income middle and high school students. His work this year will primarily focus on supporting the STUDIO program, which engages students in a variety of STEM based activities. Additionally, the High Point youth programs work to involve youth in community service and college and career readiness.

Let's learn more about Zev…

Q: Where are you from?
Zev: Berkeley, CA

Q: What are your hobbies/interests?
Zev: I enjoy reading, writing reviews of books/movies/music, and bird-watching.

Q: What made you choose to become an AmeriCorps member?
Zev: I have worked with Youth since high school and have always enjoyed it. I enjoyed tutoring and volunteering in classrooms, so I decided to continue along that same path and work with the STUDIO Program. STUDIO was an exciting prospect because it was STEM focused which was something new to me. Now, as a second year member, I am looking to continue STUDIO along in a positive direction while also keeping a consistency, on the AmeriCorps side, that has not happened in the past.

Q: What are you looking for most this year?
Zev: I am looking forward to getting to know the new Youth in STUDIO, and I'm excited to learn how to use our new 3-D Printer!

Q: What have you enjoyed most so far about your service term?
Zev: I really enjoyed getting to know our Studio Youth in the first three weeks of program where we ran a bunch of different team building initiatives.

Q: What has been most challenging?
Zev: The most challenging thing so far this year has been getting back to running program every week. It hasn't been too tough yet, but I know when we go week in week out without a break it'll get pretty exhausting.