## Service In Columbus

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- I had the opportunity to spend some time volunteering with two student organizations, Habitat for Humanity's OSU campus chapter and Crosswalk Outreach to the Homeless. With Habitat for Humanity, I was given the opportunity to help with preparing homes for families in the Columbus area (mainly construction-type work). With Crosswalk Outreach, I had the opportunity to help prepare and distribute lunches to homeless individuals living in Columbus.
- During my volunteering in both organizations, the target population were members of the Columbus community; more specifically homeless individuals through Crosswalk
  Outreach, and families in need of a home through Habitat for Humanity.



- As I volunteered with both organizations this year, I realized how much I could do for my community by simply committing some of my time to work with an organization, and making sure that I put in as much effort as I could while doing so. I was truly impressed with how much each organization was able to accomplish every time I had the opportunity to go out and work with them.
- You can find both organizations by searching for them at <a href="https://activities.osu.edu/">https://activities.osu.edu/</a>
- If you have any questions for me, feel free to send me a message at elgin.42@osu.edu