Marilú Winicki

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Education

North Seattle College

Early Childhood Education Coursework

December 2016-December 2017

University of Texas at Austin

Bachelor of Arts, History/Pre-Law Bachelor of Arts, Philosophy

August 2009- December 2013

Study Abroad, The Institute for Study Abroad, Butler University

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Completed course work in Spanish language and culture Completed independent research on Dirty War effects May 2012- July 2012

Work & Volunteer Experience

Launch Teacher February 2015- January 2017

- Provided kindergarten readiness instruction for three and four year olds in underserved communities
- Focusing on strengths and weakness of children, outlined daily instructional activities that catered to the varying style of learning
- Made informal and formal daily observations of students; provided data entry and made quarterly assessments of performance growth based on those observations
- Met with clients to discuss progress reports and goals

Austin Children's Service

Youth care Worker

June 2014- February 2015

- Directly responsible for monitoring and documenting the daily behavior and activities of children and youth in a residential setting in order to provide a safe and nurturing environment
- Responsible for safely transporting youth to school and necessary medical and legal appointments
- Applied approved behavior modification techniques to de-escalate inappropriate behaviors and perform physical containments of youth when necessary to prevent harm to self or to others.

University of Texas at Austin Child Development Center Classroom Assistant

February 2010- June 2014

- Assisted in providing appropriate childcare and education for classrooms of 10-15 two to three year olds
- Assisted in teaching and improving fine motor skills, as well as appropriate language usage, vocabulary, and everyday manners
- Facilitated and instilled increased curiosity in new subject matter by providing examples in which new subject matter would be of value to them as individuals

University of Texas School of Social Work Research Volunteer

October 2012- December 2012

 Used research skills to advance understanding of poverty and its effects on families and communities within the United States. Findings were published in an OP-ED in the Austin American Statesman newspaper

Skills

- Microsoft Office Works 2003 and 2007skills (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Publisher)
- Fluent in Spanish (Heritage Speaker)
- Effective communicator and researcher
- Quick and eager to learn
- Hardworking
- Detail Oriented