

### **EDUCATION**

#### Carleton College Northfield MN

2005 - 2009

Developed strong writing and communication skills; teamwork and collaboration emphasized in all classes

Participated in collegiate radio (KRLX) and publications (The Carl)

Studied the politics of the European Union in the Netherlands, Paris, and Brussels.

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

## Program Assistant Carleton College Political Economy Seminar, Europe

spring 2011

Monitored student morale and safety while ensuring students complied with all program rules and requirements Responsible for handling student reimbursements including maintaining data on receipts and payments

Assisted professor with administrative tasks to keep the program running smoothly

computer applications used: Excel Word

## Research Intern Talking Points Memo (talkingpointsmemo.com), New York City

winter 2010-2011

Gathered and analyzed information from live sources, websites, and government collections for reporters

Followed running stories in national and state politics and wrote summaries for editors when new events occurred

Maintained web articles, edited photography, and worked with web developer on future interactive features

Photoshop Final Cut Pro Excel Word

#### Web and Media Intern St. Louis Beacon Newspaper (stlbeacon.org), St. Louis MO

summer 2010

Assisted editors proofing copy and preparing stories for web publication coding HTML, CSS, and PHP

Collaborated with presentations editor and reporters to design tailored data visualizations for variety of news stories

Worked to create more opportunities for audio and video reporting to separate the Beacon's web site from other local papers.

Illustrator Photoshop Premier InDesign Excel Word

#### Educational Advisor Taurus Education, Shanghai, China

2009 - 2010

Member of a thirty-person Chinese start-up company now operating in Shanghai, Beijing, and Shenzhen, China Taught Chinese students the basics of English grammar, taught essay writing classes, and proofread student essays.

Assisted designing and teaching prep course focusing on improving reading comprehension, grammar, and essay-writing skills

InDesign Excel Word

## **ACTIVITIES**

#### Designer Shanghai Repertory Theater, Shanghai China

2009 - 2011

Designed postcards, invitations, posters, backdrops, and anything else flat for theater companies

Translated producer's and director's visions into visual form for publicity and sets.

Illustrator Photoshop InDesign

#### **Executive Editor** The Carl, Carleton's biweekly arts and literature publication, Northfield MN

2006 - 2009

Proofread and worked with writers to improve the style, grammar, and structure of submitted articles and stories.

Using QuarkXpress, designed and laid-out magazine. Using Photoshop and Illustrator designed and edited graphics and photos

Maintained and repaired ragtag group of Apple computers ensuring that they survived another week

Illustrator Photoshop InDesign QuarkXpress Word

# SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS

## Language Skills

Beginning speaker and writer in Mandarin Chinese Experience in academic, creative, and news writing

Experienced one-on-one interviewer

#### **Quantitative Skills**

Skilled in regression analyses

Experienced with SPSS and Stata statistical packages

#### **Software Mastery**

Adobe Photoshop CS4

Adobe InDesign CS4

Adobe Illustrator CS4

Microsoft Office

HTML

CSS Wordpress

## **Software Proficiency**

Adobe Premier CS4
STATA / SPSS

#### Still Learning...

PHP / PERL / JavaScript / Ruby

Processing

Geographic Information Systems