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Career Focus

Writer/Editor responsibilities with a non-profit, magazine, or newspaper.

Experience Summary

- Experienced in grant writing as well as writing research papers, literary criticism, essays, short editorial pieces, and poetry.
- · Proficient in researching, proofreading, and editing.
- · Firm command of the English language both linguistically and stylistically.

Education

B.A., English, Portland State University, Portland, OR

2012

Professional Experience

Grant Writer - West Columbia Gorge Humane Society, Washougal, WA

9/11 - 12/11

- Researched and evaluated potential funders.Drafted letters of inquiry.
- Prepared and assessed client budget, working closely with West Columbia Gorge Humane Society in order to best fulfill their needs.
- Formulated and organized all aspects of a grant proposal including but not limited to the cover sheet, executive summary, financial statements, and narrative.
- · Proofread and edited grant proposals.

English Instructor – Government of South Korea in association with Portland State University, Jeollanamdo, South Korea

6/11 - 8/11

1/06 - 5/07

- Taught English as a foreign language to both elementary and middle school students. Duties included lesson planning, devising creative activities, and administering academic assessments.
- Developed and facilitated group activities such as theatrical performances and physical education.
- Aided in the development of prose skills through assisting in and editing writing assignments and journal entries.
- Maintained collaborative work environment with Korean co-teachers.

Veterinary Assistant/Operations and Inventory Manager – Shady Oak Animal Clinic, Vero Beach, FL

- Inventory management: stock assessment, placing and receiving shipments, and organizational strategies and implementation.
- · Developed and maintained contacts with pharmaceutical companies.
- Practiced customer service skills such as client correspondence as well as patient intake and release.

Computer Skills

Microsoft Word • PowerPoint • IBM and Macintosh Systems

Awards and Accolades

- Finalist: 2012 Nina Mae Kellogg Senior Award (PSU English Dept.)
- Graduated with cum laude honors (3.75 GPA)

Writing Samples & References Available Upon Request