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Personal Statement

A level 4 Media student at Leeds Trinity University with a basic understanding of adobe software due to work in media at A Level. At A Level I was in a group to create a music video, I focused on the costumes and set but had input in directing and some of the camera work. Later on in my A Level I used photoshop to create a magazine. In my degree I am working towards gaining more experience in media through my various modules. I am hoping that through my placement I will be able to gain a lot more knowledge about media as well as gain experience.

Education and Qualifications

September 2017- Current Leeds Trinity University Media Studies BA (Hons)

Throughout my course I am bettering my media knowledge and ability. I have focused mainly on being able to use the various software needed in the media landscape but have also learnt more about the roles in various media fields and more in theory. In a current assignment I have undertaken the role of director in the production we are making and as a result have gained valuable information about the directors role as well as others in the TV studio. In another current assignment I am working with a team and acting as the relationship builder in that team ensuring that they all get along and work effectively together.

September 2015 - 2017

Shrewsbury Sixth Form College, Priory Road, Shrewsbury, SY1 1RX

A Levels: History (C), Sociology (A) and Media Studies (C)

September 2010 – June 2015

Ercall Wood Technology College, Golf Links Lane, Wellington, TF1 2DT

11 GCSEs A-D including English Language (B), English Literature (C), Mathematics (CC) and Science (CC)

Volunteer Experience

Health Watch

Youth Volunteer

October 2014- May 2015

- help to plan and distribute surveys, for example NHS surveys into young people's perceptions of the NHS
- attend Community Days and engage with the public about topics surrounding health
- building on interpersonal skills, including effective communication with individuals from all walks of life
- developing research skills, including data entry
- commitment to the work as I would make effort to turn up to each meeting that I could get to and would help out at
 events over the weekend if I was needed

Wombridge Primary School Teaching Assistant

July 2014

- week of work experience
- worked specifically with children on their reading skills
- developed patience and learnt new ways to deal with young children
- I was trusted to look after a small group of children at various points throughout the day

Rainbows

Junior Helper

November 2016-May 2017

- I would take in the weekly payments from the parents and children so honestly had to mark down who had paid and ensure the money got into to the safe
- I had to be flexible as sometimes they required me to stay later in order to help them pack away
- loyalty shown to the organisation as when I return home for longer periods of time I have plans to return to help

Achievements and Skills

Extended Project: Complete an Extended Project on the area of film, doing an in-depth analysis in the adaptation of fairy-tales into films.

IT Skills: good working knowledge of MS Office, some knowledge of Adobe software

Language Skills: basic understanding of German (GCSE grade D)

Team Work: developed good team working skills through Health Watch and group projects throughout GCSEs, College and University

Activities and Interests

I have a very keen interest in film and television, frequently keeping up with new releases and watching new shows and films. My favourites include *Fantastic Mr Fox*, *Rebel Without a Cause* and *Trainspotting*. TV shows that I enjoy are *Stranger Things*, *That 70s Show* and *My Mad Fat Diary*.

I am passionate about reading and try to do as much of it as I can. I mainly enjoy fiction as I find these to be the most gripping and easy to keep reading.