

Recent Work Experience

- **Lab Technician** May 2012 - August 2013
Vista Pathology Laboratory Medford, OR
 - Performed molecular HPV diagnostic testing on Pap specimens. Responsibilities included validation of HPV molecular testing, problem solving, writing of standard operating procedures, maintaining molecular lab equipment, ordering of supplies, and training others employees.
 - Other duties included accessioning of all specimen types sent to the lab as an administrative assistant, aiding doctors and pathology assistants in the grossing room, and processing of Pap and cytology specimens.
- **Yoga Studio Assistant** February 2012- August 2013
Rose Yoga Center, Iyengar Yoga. Ashland, OR
 - Responsible for general upkeep of the studio, assisting Janet Langley (instructor), making preparations for events and workshops, and providing demos in various asana poses during classes.
- **Nanny** February 2012- August 2012
Cavazos-Loudermilk Family Ashland, OR
 - Responsible for the care of two young children, ages 3 and 5, for roughly 25 hours per week.
 - Responsibilities included preparing meals, readying the children for school, various outdoor and indoor activities, and tutoring in reading and math.
- **Astronomy Science Educator** January 2011 - July 2011
HSU Natural History Museum Arcata, CA
 - Instructed local school visits (ages 4-13) & two astronomy-based science day camps (ages 4-7).
 - Responsibilities included creating, preparing, and executing age specific astronomy/science lessons, organizing outings and activities with parents.
- **Premium Retail Service** June 2011 - October 2011
Arcata Scoop Arcata, CA
 - Serving premium organic ice-cream and general store operation
 - Responsibilities include opening and closing of store, taking orders, maintaining a balanced register, customer service, food preparation, and training new employees.
- **Tutor** August 2010 - May 2011
Humboldt State University & Arcata High School Arcata, CA
 - Tutored HSU students in algebra, statistics, and other work related to their Watershed Quantitative Methods class, & an Arcata High school student in biology.
- **Assistant to Landscape Designer** October 2007 - March 2010
North Park Native Plants San Diego, CA
 - Worked as a landscaper in a business that designs and installs xeriscape gardens using only plants native to California.
 - Responsibilities included plant delivery, site preparation (removal of invasive species, general weeding, mulching, and grading), plant installation, & post installation garden maintenance. Other duties included overseeing and instructing other workers, helping with design problems, & working with clients.
- **Greenhouse Assistant** September 2008 - March 2010
HSU Biological Sciences Greenhouse Arcata, CA
 - Awarded Dennis K. Walker Trust Greenhouse student assistant position.

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- Responsibilities included plant propagation, fertilization & general plant health, greenhouse building & grounds maintenance, public & private tours, & botany laboratory preparation.

Assistant Floral Designer

June 2004- October 2007

- *Various Florists in the greater San Diego area.* *San Diego, CA*
 - Responsibilities included processing flowers, design experience, events planning, quality and professional customer service, interior merchandising, floral display, fulfilling routine client orders, and maintaining balanced register.

Administrative Assistant

July 2003 - June 2004

- *The Jenna Druck Foundation & Audiology Department, Naval Hospital* *San Diego, CA*
 - Volunteered in both a medical and non-profit office as an administrative assistant.
 - Responsibilities included answering multiple phone lines, scanning, faxing, and copying documents, filing and office organization, coordinating mailers and events for families, & data entry and management in Microsoft Office.

Academic Achievements & Awards

- **Bachelor of Science in Biology & Science Education** Spring 2011
Humboldt State University (HSU) (GPA 3.3) *Arcata, CA*
- **Rose Yoga Center** Multiple Scholarships, 2012-2013
Iyengar Yoga Senior Teacher Workshops *Ashland, OR*
- **SDSU Department of Astronomy Summer REU** Summer 2010
NSF Funded Undergraduate Research Assistant *San Diego, CA*
- **Undergraduate Researcher** November 2009
Undergraduate Project at the Arecibo Observatory *Arecibo, Puerto Rico*
- **California Noyce Scholar** September 2010
National Science Foundation Grant *Humboldt State University*

References

- **Janet Langley** (541) 778-2780
Iyengar Yoga Instructor *janet@roseyogacenter.com*
- **Paula Stenberg, Ph.D.** (541) 770-4559
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- **Trish Almeida** (310) 749-3707
Hair and Make-up Artist *Los Angeles, CA*
- **Linda Dean, Ph.D.** (707) 476-8084
Friend *Eureka, CA*
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