# **BROCK SAUVAGE**







### **KEY QUALIFICATIONS**

- Empowerment-focused professional with degree in Computer Science/ **Journalism**
- Professional and volunteer experience mentoring youth and young adults
- Four years experience in leadership positions and planning community initiatives.

### VOLUNTEER WORK

### **CENTURY SCHOOL, LAWRENCE KS**

# Volunteer | Summer 2015 5 hours/week

- Worked with K-4 students on improving reading, writing, and math skills
- Implemented creative solutions to keep students engaged and motivated to learn

### K.K. AMINI HALL, LAWRENCE KS

### Volunteer | 2014-2018 Est. 60 hours total

• Participated in various community service events including community clean-ups, food bank organization, etc.

### **NEW CHURCH, LAWRENCE KS**

# Volunteer | 2015-2016

### Est. 20 hours total

- Participated in various community service events including food drives and working with Habitat for Humanity
- Organized and led student discussion groups
- Played guitar during worship service

### **EXPERIENCE**

### **BRAND NEW BOX, LAWRENCE KS**

### Software Development Intern | Aug. 2018 - Present 15-20 hours/week

- Working on a team of developers to create web applications and software
- Communicating with coworkers to efficiently and effectively accomplish tasks
- Effectively utilizing a variety of computer softwares such as Excel, Powerpoint, Word, Adobe suite, etc.

### UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS STUDENT HOUSING, LAWRENCE KS

# Proctor | Aug. 2017 - May 2018

### 14 hours/week

- Acted as a student resource to provide information and support to residents of K.K. Amini Scholarship Hall
- Planned learning-centered programming and engaged university students to promote diversity and inclusion
- Built rapport and actively cultivated relationships with students on an individual level

### UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS STUDENT HOUSING, LAWRENCE KS

# Food Board Manager | Aug. 2016 - May 2017 16 hours/week

- Managed food and meal budget for K.K. Amini Scholarship Hall over the course of several months
- Coordinated meal schedule with cooks and placed food orders on a weekly basis
- Trained in crisis response in accordance with KU Student Housing procedures

### UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS STUDENT HOUSING, LAWRENCE KS

### Conference Assistant | Summer 2015, 2016 30 hours/week

- Provided service and support to both youth and adult conference guests housed on University of Kansas campus
- Attended to residence hall front desk and built rapport with conference quests
- Conducted weekly building inspections to note and report facility deficiencies

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**204 Eisenhower Drive, Lawrence KS** 

### **EDUCATION**

### University of Kansas | Lawrence, KS

Pursuing Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Computing, Expected May 2019

Degree emphasis in Journalism and Mass Communications

Relevant coursework in technology, communications, community development, and entrepreneurship

Cumulative GPA: 3.53

### INVOLVEMENT

#### ALL SCHOLARSHIP HALL COUNCIL

# Social Chair | 2017-2018 3-4 hours/week

- Coordinated, organized, and promoted social events for community of 600 people
- Worked on executive board to plan and implement community initiatives

### K.K. AMINI SCHOLARSHIP HALL

# Social Chair | 2014-2016 2-3 hours/week

- Coordinated, organized, and promoted social events for community of 50 people
- Interacted with hall residents to encourage event attendance

#### K.K. AMINI SCHOLARSHIP HALL

# Orientation Chair | 2015-2016 1 hour/week

 Assisted with hall move-in and actively engaged with new residents to integrate them into hall culture

# **EXPERIENCE (CONT.)**

### PRIVATE MUSIC INSTRUCTION, LINDSBORG KS

# Guitar Instructor | November 2013 - July 2014 2-3 hours/week

- Taught basic guitar skills to community youth during weekly lessons
- Created lesson plans to engage students based on skill level and personal music preferences

### **CULTURAL LEARNING**

### **UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS CHINA DELEGATION**

# Undergraduate Student Leader | Spring 2016 Approx. 7 days in China, 30 hours compiling information and presenting findings on campus

- Travelled to various locations in Hong Kong and mainland China with a delegation of KU Student Housing professionals to learn about Chinese culture and educational institutions, with the overall goal of improving Chinese international student experience at KU.
- Engaged with students and faculty at various colleges and universities to gain insight into student life and educational practices
- Attended meetings and informational sessions to further understanding of Chinese culture
- Compiled and analyzed collective delegation experiences and observations for usage in reports, and presented key findings to several KU organizations.

### **SKILLS**

**Teamwork/Leadership:** Proven experience working in group settings, understands appropriate times to offer input and leadership, seeks to engage and involve all team members in the task at hand

**Communication:** Attended Process Communication Model training (approx. 20 hours), able to assess and engage with individuals based on their preferred communication styles.

**Technology:** Skilled with Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Google Analytics, and computer programming.