Daini Liu

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EDUCATION

B.S. Biology and B.A. Studio Art, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL

Anticipated May 2020

- Cumulative GPA: 3.85/4.00

Study Abroad, East Asia Institute of Tokyo Christian University, Tokyo, Japan

Aug. – Dec. 2017

- Completed courses in Japanese language, culture, arts, psychology, and sociology.

EXPERIENCE

Publicity Manager, MuKappa, International Student Programs, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL

Aug. 2018 – Present

- Collaborated with other cabinet members to greet and prepare weekly meals and activities for about 40 missionary kids and third culture kids.
- Photographed weekly events and other International Student Programs events.
- Initiated and managed two social media accounts independently.
- Designed and created promotional materials, such as posters, brochures, flyers, tri-folds, crafts, and other decorations for events.
- Wrote weekly emails to the 400 subscribers.

Publicity Team Member, Koinonia, Office of Multicultural Development, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL

Apr. 2018 – Present

- Photographed events and cabinet portraits.
- Edited and delivered the photos on the same day of the photo shoot.
- Assisted two other publicity team members to manage the Instagram account by generating weekly posts and stories.

Photographer, Center for Vocation and Career, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL

Oct. 2018 – Present

- Worked directly with the Events & Marketing Manager to photograph candid and posed of the students and guests during events for social media and website use.

Freelance photographer, Wheaton, IL and Shanghai, China

Jun. 2016 – Present

- Photographed about 20 events, student activities, portraits, or weddings.
- Edited and organized the photos using Adobe Lightroom and Photoshop.
- Designed about ten photo books, albums, or calendars.
- Communicated with the clients to meet their specific needs.

Docent, Art Department, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL

Sep. 2018 - Present

- Acted as the ambassador for the Art Department by explaining and answering questions the guests have about the gallery exhibition and the programs offered.

Hydroid caretaker, Biology Department, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL

Aug.2018 - Present

- Independently took care of about 60 tanks of hydroids by feeding, cleaning the tanks and filters, balancing their salinity, and monitoring their health daily.
- Systematized the workflow by making several excel sheets.
- Established new cleaning methods that improve the health of the hydroids.

Biological Technician, USDA Forest Service, Winthrop, WA

Jun. – Aug. 2018

- Evaluated habitats for the Beaver Project in which beavers were relocated and monitored to improve riparian habitats.
- Videoed aerial footage of beaver habitats using a drone.
- Conducted owl surveys for about ten nights.
- Organized and cataloged thousands of wildlife camera photos.
- Captured and identified about 50 dragonflies for the annual dragonfly survey.

- Identified, sprayed, and pulled thousands of weeds.
- Monitored sensitive plant species.

Kitchen Assistant, Wheaton College Science Station, Rapid City, SD

Jun. – Jul. 2017

- Performed tasks such as dishwashing, cleaning and serving about 50 people.
- Communicated clearly and cooperated with supervisors and co-workers.

Chinese Conversation Aid, Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL

Aug. – Dec. 2016

- Clarified and explained class materials to two groups of four students.
- Instructed the students on daily Chinese conversation and homework.
- Organized fun activities to promote students' interests.

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Proficient in Adobe Creative Suite and Microsoft Office Suite.
- Multicultural skills from living in China, Japan, and the U.S.
- Native speaker of Mandarin Chinese and conversational in Japanese