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EXPERIENCE

CHAMPAMERICA INC.

Lead Career Counselor

NEW YORK, NY 04/2018 - present

- Provided one-on-one coaching to 1,200+ undergraduate and graduate students on career strategies, personal branding, resume revision, interview skills, and job search plans
- Conducted quantitative and qualitative research on employment trends helping students develop and refine strategies for career success; collected and used data to produce employment trend analysis
- Designed and implemented customized career education programs, engaging 500+ students and young professionals
- Developed strategic partnerships with 50+ employers (including international conglomerates such as UCar and China Everbright Group); liaised with top U.S. universities including University of Pennsylvania, Georgetown, NYU, etc., to bring remote recruiting to campuses
- Managed the entire life cycle of 30 + online career courses from initial assessments to curriculum design and development, execution, and evaluation; courses included 10 published on Udemy and 20+ designed for international study abroad agencies including Xindongfang, etc.
- Worked with subject matter experts to identify and capture learning content, and communicated project status to internal and external stakeholders

NATIONAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (NCDA)

NEW YORK, NY

Social Media Co-lead, International Student Services Committee (NCDA-ISSC)

06/2019 - Present

- Conducted extensive research and collected resources for student advising & counseling, multicultural counseling, supporting successful transitions, and navigating U.S. higher education systems
- Collaborated with university career counselors drafting 2020-2021 NCDA Recourses Guide, serving as an official reference document for international students, employers, and career coaches
- Designed and implemented content creation strategy for YouTube channel and LinkedIn group

MANDARIN CONSULTING INTERNATIONAL

NEW YORK, NY

Career Counselor

09/2016 - 03/2018

- Led the development of data-driven sales approach: managed sales pipeline using Salesforce, analyzing data on prospective clients' demographics, sales cycle length, and conversion rates to improve sales performance
- Provided career counseling to 500+ students, advising them on career planning and job strategies, identifying their potential needs for career coaching, and converting prospective students to clients
- Proactively managed the training progress of students to ensure that they are making meaningful job search progress under the guidance of career coaches
- Recruited and managed 20+ campus ambassadors and student leaders from various universities, conducting training on community engagement and career education

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK, NY

Language Associate, Department of East Asian Languages & Cultures

09/2015 - 05/2016

- Designed interactive pedagogical activities and lesson plans for 3 classes and taught 30 domestic students at Columbia University
- Facilitated and coordinated cultural exchange programs and Summer Language Programs

TEACHERS COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK, NY

02/2015 - 08/2015

- ESL Instructor, Community English Program
- Taught 2 group ESL classes with a total of 40 adult learners with intermediate English proficiency
- Drafted need analysis, created syllabus for the semester, set learning goals, and devise 60 daily lesson plans
- · Developed assessment instruments and provided corrective feedback during the class
- Used task-based learning and brought authentic materials into the classroom to facilitate students' learning

UNIVERSITY ENGLISH TEACHING CENTER

BEIJING, CHINA

President

09/2010 - 06/2013

- Recruited and assigned 150+ members to engage in English teaching activities covering 36 communities with 600+ ESL learners in Beijing
- Established the First Beijing College Student Forum, benefiting 22 voluntary organizations with 100+ attending volunteer representatives

EDUCATION

TEACHERS COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK, NY

Master of Arts in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), GPA 3.75

May 2016

Relevant Coursework: Classroom Practices, Pedagogical English Grammar, Developmental Psychology

UNIVERSITY OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

BEIJING, CHINA

Bachelor of Arts in Business English, GPA 3.85

June 2014

Relevant Coursework: Introduction to Linguistics, English Phonetics, Advanced Communication Skills

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- Skills: Salesforce, HubSpot, Final Cut Pro, Canva, Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Certificates: Myer-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI) Certified Practitioner
- Languages: Mandarin (Native), English (Proficient)
- Interests: Zumba, Swimming, Cooking