

# JULLIAN A. RIVES

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## EDUCATION

- University of Miami; B.M. in Professional Studies (August 2015 – Present; Projected to Graduate Spring 2019)
- Florida Southwestern State College; A.A. in General Studies (honors) w/ Focus in Computer Science - 3.86 GPA (January 2014 – August 2015)
- U.S. Marine Corps School House Instructor Course (March 2013)
- U.S. Marine Corps Technical Communications Controller Course (June 2010 – December 2010)
- U.S. Marine Corps Basic Electronics Course (March 2010 – May 2010)
- Edison State College/Dual Enrollment; 16 Semester Hour Credits (January 2009 – May 2009)
- Palmetto Ridge High School; High School Diploma (August 2005-May 2009)
- Harp & Thistle Pipe Band Highland/Celtic Snare Drummer (2006-2008)
- Palmetto Ridge High School Varsity Jazz Band and Drum Line Captain (2006-2009)
- Corkscrew Middle School Concert Band (Percussion) (2004)

## AWARDS/SCHOLARSHIPS/HONORS

- Nominated Member of the University of Miami's Chapter of The National Society of Collegiate Scholars – February 2016
- University of Miami's President's Music Scholarship (\$14,000/Yr.) – April 2015
- Phi Theta Kappa Member (National Honors Society) – 2014, 2015, 2016
- Dean's List (Florida Southwestern State College) – 2014, 2015
- USMC Leadership Scholar Program Beneficiary – 2013, 2014, 2015
- CompTIA Network + Certification, License: *COMP001020256737* (March 2011- March 2014)
- Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal – September 2012
- Certificate of Commendation – October 2011
- SUSPBA Grade 5 Champion Supreme; Highland/Celtic Solo Snare Drummer – May 2007
- Gulf Coast Big Bands Scholarship Award for Summer UNF Jazz Camp – 2006

## PROJECTS/CERTIFICATIONS/DOCUMENTS

- MMI 401 - Audio Electronics I Final Project: "VOCO-LOCO" Model (Circuitry Design, Theory, and Mathematics) <https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B6airA6BZqvvcHoxdXhuaWlqcE0/view>
- Dropbox Recording Portfolio  
[https://www.dropbox.com/sh/tthsysgehqfft0b/AADlu2CJsGgUhLs9EiZYKq\\_Ha?dl=0](https://www.dropbox.com/sh/tthsysgehqfft0b/AADlu2CJsGgUhLs9EiZYKq_Ha?dl=0)
- CompTIA Network + Certification, License: *COMP001020256737* (March 2011- March 2014)
- Active US Passport (Expires November 2021)

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## EXPERIENCE

### HRL Resident Assistant at Stanford Residential College, University of Miami (August 2018 – Present)

- Assist/mentor 40 residents on assigned floor
- Enforce regulations in accordance with HRL Policy
- Organize events for residents
- Stanford RA Council Representative
- UM Full Time Student (18 credits)

### Working Drummer/Live Sound Engineer for The FreeCoasters (July 2017 – January 2018)

- Approximately 4-8 Live (Paid) Performances per month with The FreeCoasters (Reggae/Soul Band out of Cape Coral, FL)
- Experience capturing multi-track live sessions from rehearsals/performances

### Volunteer Live Sound Assistant Engineer, SoFar Sounds/DAZA Records (January 2016 – January 2017)

- SoFar Sounds Miami Assistant Live Sound Engineer under the direction of Andres Daza
- Assistant Sound Engineer/Drum Tech for DAZA Records under the direction of Andres Daza
- SoFar Sounds Miami performance (Drum Set) with local Miami artist/FROST student Calli May

### FROST Student (Contemp. Drumset Principle), University of Miami (August 2015 – Present)

- Multiple Instrumental Performances with the University of Miami Contemporary Rock Ensemble (LandFall!)
- Instrumental Performances with the University of Miami Pep Band (Drum Set)
- Instrumental Performances with the University of Miami Drum Line (Marching Snare Drum)
- Experience with Music Transcription/Scoring/Charting
- Experience with Rudimental, Jazz, Latin, and Contemporary Drum Set Style Studies
- Experience in DAW/MIDI operations: mixing, editing, composition, recording techniques (Logic, Pro Tools)
- Live sound/recording training and experience within the University of Miami Recording Services Team; Fall 2015 semester live sound apprentice: approx. 1-3 live sound gigs per week

### Geek Squad Operations Agent, Best Buy/Geek Squad, Florida (November 2014 – August 2015)

- Experienced in Diagnosing/Troubleshooting/Repairing PC's/Mac/Mobile Devices
- Engaged customers using selling skills to provide solutions aligning with their "definition of fix."
- Worked with the sales team, explaining services and technology to help them achieve business goals.
- Maintained, repaired, and serviced products.
- Performed backup duties for other agents.
- Performed and managed product shipping/receiving.
- Performed daily SCMR/POS Report.
- Performed daily communication board updates.
- Performed administrative functions within Geek Squad and managed department communications.
- Performed opening and closing duties.
- Contact clients daily to inform of repair status.

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- Performed other duties as assigned.
- Gold Certified Advanced Repair Agent.
- Gold Certified Consultation Agent
- Silver Certified Operations Agent

## Geek Squad Consultation Agent, Best Buy/Geek Squad, Florida (February 2014 – November 2014)

- Engaged customers using selling skills to provide solutions.
- Worked with the sales team, explaining services and technology to help them achieve business goals.
- Maintained, repaired, and serviced products aligning with customers' "definition of fix."
- Performed backup duties for other agents.
- Performed light repairs/installations.
- Performed shipping/receiving functions.
- Performed other duties as assigned.
- Up-to-date Employee Annual Training

## Technical Communications Controller's Course Instructor, U.S. Marine Corps, California (January 2013 – November 2013)

- Provided technical instruction to personnel during 2821 technical field training on the operation/troubleshooting/maintenance of technical communications control equipment, using current manuals, technical instructions, and test equipment.
- Certified as Marine Corps Military Occupational Specialty instructor.
- Identified requirements to enhance technical field training curriculum.
- Reviewed/updated/developed courseware and instructional support materials.
- Provide technical assistance during repair, alignment, and modification of equipment.
- Ensure proper safety practices are conducted and taught within the training section.
- Serve as a mentor to personnel through active supervision, counseling, physical/professional training, inspections, and professional counseling.
- Prepare/submit accurate & timely reports/rosters: as required, scheduled, or impromptu.
- Train and supervise 30 military personnel annually to achieve completion of technical training.
- Maintained accountability/operability of approximately 400 pieces of classified communications equipment with a combined net worth of \$2.2M; successfully performed weekly, monthly, quarterly, and annual inspections/reports

## Technical Communications Controller- 2821, U.S. Marine Corps, U.S./Japan/Philippines/Korea (June 2010 - January 2013)

- Plan/design network architecture and coordinate setup/installation between multiple sites/countries.
- Install, troubleshoot, and maintain a network to supply communications for 50-200 users.
- Install, operate, maintain, and troubleshoot telephony based communication equipment within a network.
- Install, operate, maintain, and troubleshoot IP/data based communication equipment within a network.
- Install, operate, maintain, and troubleshoot modems and multiplexing based communication equipment within a network.
- Install, operate, maintain, and troubleshoot classified communication/data encryption devices.
- Testing of circuits to ensure quality of service is maintained.
- Repair faults or degradation in communication networks.

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- Maintain records on equipment.
- Maintain records on activation/deactivation of links throughout operations.
- Installation, operation, and coordination of Video Teleconferences for field grade and general officers of U.S forces and foreign military entities
- Participated in approximately 8 large-scale military operations & exercises aboard Japan, the Philippines, and Korea.
- Maintained an operational Help Desk and completed customer service requests to the customers' definition of fix.

## **OTHER RELATIVE EXPERIENCE/SKILLSETS**

- Experience with Circuitry Soldering & Cable Fabrication/Repair: RJ-45, RJ-11, Fiber Optic (CX-11230, Single Mode, Multimode), Coaxial, etc. - USMC
- Experience with Cable Management and Diagnosing Faulty Lines/Cables - USMC
- Experience with Test and Diagnostic Equipment (FIREBERD 6000/8000, Fluke 88, Fluke 199c, etc.) - USMC

## **VOLUNTEER SERVICE/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

- Live Sound Assistant Engineer, SoFar Sounds Miami - January 2016 to January 2017
- Miami Killian High School Marching Percussion Head Instructor: Miami, FL – August 2016
- Joshua Tree National Park “Hold the Mustard” campaign: Joshua Tree, CA – March 16, 2013
- Freedom Banner’12 Community Relations Project: Gwangyang, Korea – May 12, 2012
- Condor Elementary School Annual Carnival Fundraiser: 29 Palms, CA – May 14, 2010
- YMCA Healthy Kids Day: 29 Palms, CA – April 20, 2010
- Lely High School Marching Percussion Instructor: Naples, FL – (August 2008 – December 2008)