**Patrick Ventre**

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OBJECTIVE

To obtain a full time position as a Secondary Education Teacher (grades 7-12) in the Social Studies content area

EDUCATION

**Lock Haven University**         Lock Haven, PA

*Bachelor of Arts, Political Science*        December 2008

Concentration: Social Sciences

Estimated GPA: 3.8

Study Abroad: Madrid, Spain        Fall 2008

* Enhanced Spanish speaking to intermediate level
* Worked collaboratively with education group to teach English to kids ages 9-13

**Marywood University**         Scranton, PA

*Masters of Science, Secondary Education*        December 2012

Concentration: Social Sciences

Estimated GPA: 3.8

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Abington Heights High School**        Clarks Summit, PA

*Student Teaching, Grades 9 & 11*Fall 2012

* Assisted and taught grade-appropriate lessons and activities for students that followed Pennsylvania Core Standards in Social Studies
* Developed and taught lessons that included hands-on Smart-Board activities
* Conducted and managed discipline effectively
* Frequently contacted parents of students with IEP’s in order to maintain positive rapport

**Valley View Middle School**        Archbald, PA

*Student Teaching , Grades 7 & 8* Fall 2012

* Taught grade-appropriate lessons and activities for students that followed Pennsylvania Core Standards in Social Studies

**Lock Haven University**          Lock Haven, PA

*After School Tutor*        Spring 2007

* Tutored and interacted with Middle School students at Lock Haven University

WORK EXPERIENCE

**Camp Speers-Eljabar YMCA** Dingmans Ferry, PA

*Program Specialist/Outdoor Education* Spring 13 - Present

* Teaching outdoor education classes covering topics such as: field ecology, nature trail, history, team building, climbing tower, orienteering, canoeing, etc.
* Creating and implementing new classes/programs for Camp Speers-Eljabar YMCA.
* Communicating and working with elementary – adult age groups of different skill levels to provide necessary instruction to participants.

**Friendship House**           Scranton, PA

*Therapeutic Staff Support and Mobile Therapist*        Summer 11 – Summer 12

* Worked with several students with intellectual disabilities (Autism and Aspergers) in developing individual educational plans and effective social interaction plans
* Assisted students in completing daily goals and objectives as outlined in IEP

**The ARC of Sussex County (SCARC Inc.)** Augusta, NJ

*Transitional Services for individuals with intellectual disabilities*         Spring 09 – Winter 11

* Providing job placement and job training to individuals with intellectual disabilities.
* Intensive on sight training and case management
* Implementing annual I.H.P work goals and goal achievement

**The ARC of Centre County**        State College, PA

*Residential Care Provider*        Summer 2006 – Summer 08

* Assisting individuals with developmental disabilities by helping them develop individual skills in areas of recreation, socialization, financial management, personal hygiene and behavioral management
* Assisting individuals with intellectual disabilities reach their personal best through various community services

**Grand Union Family Markets**        Milford, PA

*Service Clerk and Produce Department*        Spring 2001 – Winter 2005

* General service duties – Cashier, Retrieving Carts, Produce Department, Stocking Shelves

HONORS AND ACTIVITIES

Dean’s List (2006-2008)

Lock Haven University Lacrosse team (2006-2008)

Model United Nations (2006-2008)

Service Learning and Tutoring experience

Coaching – Little League Baseball

Professional References

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