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Financial Analysis and Management Professional

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Finance Manager 2015 - Present

Health Network by Cincinnati Children's

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

Oversee budgetary, financial, accounting, legal and procurement activities as part of the management team for a managed care delegate; create budgets, financial models and data visualization aspects of current and future books of business; supervise effectiveness of a social determinants of health initiative; assist leadership with contract negotiation; act as liaison with HR to request and fill positions.

Financial Analyst II 2013 - 2015

Research in Patient Services

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

Compiled and reported financial and research productivity monthly for faculty and the department overall; developed and maintained departmental and grant budgets and expense tracking systems; researched, compiled and analyzed financial information to create ad hoc reports and presentations to provide recommendations and champion process improvement initiatives; provided procurement and operations support for space planning and faculty hiring; managed and supported 23 student employees across four departments.

Grant Specialist 2011 - 2013

Heart Institute

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

Administered up to 36 grants simultaneously through submitting grant applications and required documentation, working with Legal on grant contracts and subcontracts, and assisting with monthly budget reconciliation and grant closeout through creation and use of financial tracking mechanisms.

Administrative Assistant

2009 - 2011

Pediatric Neuroimaging Research Consortium Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center Created custom methods to track key figures for leadership; administered and reported financials for a high-profile contract with NICHD; submitted and tracked grants; engaged in procurement activities; planned travel and meetings.

EDUCATION

Master of Business Administration

2015

Northern Kentucky University

Bachelor of Arts in Biopsychology

2007

University of Cincinnati

ORGANIZATIONS

MamLuft&Co. Dance Company (Board Member) - Healthcare Businesswomen's Association (Programming Committee) - Cincinnati Children's Mentor Program - CincyYP (CCHMC Liaison) - Young Professionals Employee Resource Group (Fundraising Committee Chair) - Alpha Rho Chi Alumni Association (Vice President, Secretary)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Microsoft PowerPoint, Excel, Word - ePAS Grants - SAP BPC - Business Objects/Infoview - PeopleSoft (Oracle) and Kronos systems - Adobe Creative Suite