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OBJECTIVE

To ignite a career in the field of frontend web development.

EDUCATION

Frontend Nanodegree
Udacity

2018

BA, English
Loyola University Chicago

2013
Chicago, Illinois

EXPERIENCE

The Difference Engine
Apprentice Developer

Chicago, Illinois
June 2019-Present

- Work collaboratively on an Agile development team to build open source web applications for other non-profits.
- Build dynamic pages using Ruby on Rails, React, PostgreSQL, Git version control, among other tools.
- Participate in practices such as regular peer-reviews, pair programming and daily stand-ups to strengthen the team.

The Market by Foxtrot
Shift Manager

West Loop, Chicago
February 2015-Present

- Maintain an organized, well-stocked, and attractive retail floor.
- Delegate tasks to store team members to ensure an efficient, productive shift.
- Pro-actively respond to customer needs with courtesy, representing the Foxtrot brand positively.
- Dispatch orders for delivery quickly and efficiently

GreenCorps Chicago
Instructor

Greater Chicago Area, Illinois
June 2015 - August 2015

- Train 40 high school students in skills relating to horticulture, biking, and urban forestry
- Establish connections for students with prominent sustainable resources in their community
- Develop unique and engaging lesson plans

CouponCabin.com
Content Editor

Gold Coast, Chicago, Illinois
May 2014-June 2015

- Create snappy copy about a variety of stores, brands and products utilizing keywords for search engine optimization.
- Written, edited and published over 5,000 seventy-word "Staff Picks."

The Loyola University Phoenix (Newspaper)
Assistant Diversions Editor

Chicago, Illinois
January - May 2013

- Created the Arts section of an award-winning weekly paper
- Designed new pages each week using Adobe InDesign and Photoshop
- Improved and edited stories from contributing writers each week
- Wrote an article about the local Chicago music scene for each edition

LEADERSHIP

President (New Albany Mission Group)

Fall 2008 - Spring 2009

- Led organization efforts for various fundraising and volunteering engagements
- Helped lead summer youth programs for students ranging in ages from 10 to 18
- Worked with a team in Jamaica to build a home for an impoverished family
- Volunteered on a Native American reservation in Montana painting, cleaning, and repairing homes

Manager (Sons of the West)

2006 - Present

- Communicate frequently with venues and promoters to organize and execute events throughout Chicago and the Midwest
- Promote the band via the Internet using social media tools
- Create and sell band-related merchandise

References available upon request