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EDUCATION

Rithm School, San Francisco, CA
Software Engineering School

February 2023

Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL
Master of Arts in Medical Sciences

May 2019

University of California at San Diego, Revelle College, La Jolla, CA
Bachelor of Science in Pharmacological Chemistry

June 2015

MEDICAL/CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Medical Scribe

May 2019 – July 2020

University Eye Specialists, Chicago, IL

(40 hours/week)

- Assisted ophthalmologists with patient management and medical documentation using the new EPIC electronic record system
- Performed visual field tests, fundus photos and eye scans so physicians can determine the correct treatment plan based on the collected data
- Hands-on experience assisting doctors with incision and drainage procedures, suture removals and glaucoma laser procedures in the clinic

Hospital Volunteer

September 2018 – May 2019

Advocate Illinois Masonic Medical Center, Chicago, IL

(120 hours total)

- Assisted hospital staff in the post-anesthesia care unit with resupply operations, medical records and patient transport
- Discharged stable patients after procedures and helped guide family members throughout the hospital facilities

Medical Scribe

September 2017 – July 2018

Mills-Peninsula Medical Center, Emergency Department
Burlingame, CA

(800 hours total)

- Personal assistant for emergency physicians who managed electronic health records and prevented down-coding of patient charts

- Responsible for recording history of present illness, physical exam findings, laboratory results, diagnostic studies, patient re-examinations and coordination of care

Hospital Volunteer

February – December 2014

UC San Diego Health System, La Jolla, CA

(101 hours total)

- Assisted nurses, administrators and physicians treating patients in the Sulpizio Cardiovascular ICU
- Managed incoming phone calls, shift changes, specimen transport and resupply operations as needed

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Associate I

August 2015 – June 2016

Corium International Inc., Menlo Park, CA

(1600 hours total)

- Assisted analytical laboratory scientists with method development and qualification for content, impurities and drug release analysis of passive transdermal products
- Performed routine and non-routine analysis of transdermal products intended to treat bipolar disorder, schizophrenia and Alzheimer disease over a period of several days to improve patient compliance
- Executed research and stability experiments to identify API degradation pathways and provide feedback to optimize formulation with better shelf life, stability and potency while minimizing skin irritation

Undergraduate Researcher

January – June 2015

UC San Diego, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

(250 hours total)

La Jolla, CA

Dr. Tadeusz Molinski – PI

- Elucidated structure of plakinic acids with anti-fungal properties from marine sponges
- Synthesized components of poly-brominated tyrosine derivatives with anti-angiogenic properties
- Collaborated with PI, postdoctoral researchers and fellow undergraduates in proper laboratory techniques and data analysis

COMMUNITY SERVICE/VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Labre Homeless Outreach Ministry

August 2018 – May 2019

Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL

(100 hours total)

- Leadership member responsible for organizing homeless outreach efforts in downtown Chicago by distributing clothing, food and other supplies
- Engaged in extended conversations with people experiencing homelessness to develop solidarity and empathy

Social Justice Student Minister

September 2014 – June 2015

Newman Center Catholic Community, San Diego, CA

(500 hours total)

- Organized student retreats, community events, intramural sports and mass services as part of a team of dedicated Catholic undergraduates
- Coordinated the creation of hundreds of care packages to be distributed to local soup kitchens and the homeless of downtown San Diego
- Deepened my Catholic faith through affirmations, student fellowship and discussions following scripture readings

Soup Kitchen Volunteer Coordinator

October 2012 – June 2015

Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church, La Jolla, CA

(150 hours total)

- Coordinated transportation of volunteers to the So Others May Eat soup kitchen feeding the local homeless population several times a month
- Assisted staff members with food preparation, distribution, logistics and cleanup operations

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Dragon Boat Paddler and Coach

May 2016 – July 2018

Bay Area Dragons, Foster City, CA

(500 hours total)

- Coached beginner lessons for people who wished to learn more about dragon boat racing and proper technique
- Traveled and competed in racing competitions and festivals throughout California, the United States and Canada

Pastoral Council Member

October 2014 – June 2015

Newman Center Catholic Community, San Diego, CA

(50 hours total)

- Appointed to leadership board responsible for discussing and coordinating action items for the Newman Center
- Planned future events and outlined goals to raise community awareness and deepen our faith with other members of the Catholic church

Choral Singer

October 2011 – June 2014

Newman Center Catholic Community, San Diego, CA

(380 hours total)

- Sang as a tenor voice for the church choir providing live music during weekly mass services
- Rehearsed and performed in special concerts and events for the Easter and Christmas holiday seasons

Student Actor

February 2012 – May 2013

Nomads Theatre Company, La Jolla, CA

(100 hours total)

- Actor-for-hire for an entirely student-run organization that writes, directs and performs original theatrical works for the public
- Improved my stage presence and public speaking skills while performing in an abridged version of Lord of the Rings, romantic drama and a variety show