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**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**General Assembly,** *Teaching Assistant* October 2016 – January 2017

* Assisted students in Web Development Intensive bootcamp review, homework help, encouragement and explanation of advanced concepts.
* Introduced students with no prior experience to the principles of programming.

**General Assembly,** *Apprentice Developer* July 2016 – September 2016

* Acquired and honed numerous skills including HTML, CSS, JS, ReactJS and Ruby on Rails.
* Completed solo and group projects.

**Rewards Network,** *Account Manager* June 2015 – April 2016

* Acted as a retention specialist for restaurant marketing and loyalty program.
* Ensured that restaurants currently on program were satisfied, and took steps to correct any complaints.
* Conveyed full value of program to restaurant owners in quarterly meetings.
* Updated marketing material and dealt with client emergencies.

**SANDEMANs New Europe,** *Tour Guide*  November 2014– June 2015

* Led walking tours of downtown and midtown Manhattan.
* Excited guests with stories of the history of New York City, ancient and modern.
* Made guests feel welcome in New York City

**Atlas Test Prep,** *SAT**Tutor*  November 2014 – April 2015

* Prepared students for the SAT standardized test through lessons.
* Answered questions and explained concepts in easy to understand ways.
* Proctored practice exams for students.

**Bright Current,** *Solar Ambassador* March 2014 – August 2014

* Tabled for Bright Current at locations such as supermarkets, nature preserves, and farmer’s markets.
* Educated passersby on the merits of zero-down solar, a method of financing home solar panels.
* Answered questions on the workings of solar power systems.

**Duke University**, *Talent Identification Program, Residence Counselor*  Summer 2011

* Responsible for two groups of fourteen gifted high school students each for three week sessions.
* Supervised meal times, organized evening and weekend activities.
* Looked after mental and physical well-being of students, served as mentor and role model for behavior.

**EDUCATION**

Vassar College – Poughkeepsie, New York BA Degree May 2013

* Major: Science, Technology, and Society (BA)
* GPA: 3.16

**SKILLS AND INTERESTS**

**Languages**

Spanish (Conversational), Chinese (Conversational).

**Skills**

HTML, CSS, JS, NodeJS, Ruby on Rails, ReactJS

**Interests**

Internet Policy, Developing Technologies, History, Creative Writing, Literature, E-Sports