LOREN SHEVITZ

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Illinois Institute of Art – *Instructor of Computer Literacy*, April 2003 - present
- Teach students computer terminology, MS Office (Word, Access, PowerPoint, Excel), HTML programming

Shircago (Jewish co-ed a cappella ensemble) **–** www.shircago.com
Founder, Director, Webmaste
 October 1996 - Present

> **Accomplishments**: Producer of three CDs, Composer/Arranger of over 30 songs, Creator and Facilitator of national e-mail list, Spring Tour coordinator (twice)

> **Competitions**: Harmony Sweepstakes semifinalists (2003), NCCA quarterfinalists (2000)

> **Software Used**: Finale 2003 (for music notation), Photoshop 7 (for graphic design), Linux (for administration), MS Office, SQL, and FileZilla

LISTEN UP! a cappella (Jewish a cappella ensemble)
Musician, *Arranger*
January 2001 - Present
- Perform Jewish repertoire in Hebrew and English locally and internationally
- Appeared on *Jewphoria* CD, 2002

Olin-Sang-Ruby Union Institute (Jewish overnight camp)
Oconomowoc, WI
Summer, 1993
- Camp counselor
- Taught Jewish and Hebrew lessons

Project Otzma (year-long Israel volunteer program) – www.projectotzma.org/
Kibbutz Mishmar Hasharon, Mercazei Olim,Gadna, Livnot U'l'hibanot, educational seminars
1994-95
- Taught English to *sabra* and immigrant children and teenagers
- Spoke Hebrew extensively, especially during 2-3 month stays each in Ashdod and Nazareth Illit

EDUCATION

University of Chicago
Master of Science, Computer Science, 2002

University of Michigan
- Bachelor of Arts, Psychology, April 1994
  - Sophomore Honors Award
  - Residential College graduate (entails additional requirements)

SPECIAL SKILLS

Languages: Hebrew, Spanish
Instruments: Piano, voice