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Education

Washington and Lee University, Lexington, VA, September 2010-present.

Candidate for Bachelor of Arts degree, June 2014.

Majoring in Journalism and Jacobean Drama.

Journalism Experience

The Ring-Tum Phi, W&L's weekly, independent student newspaper. Fall 2011-present.

News editor, fall 2012-present. Supervise staff of 8; assign and edit stories.

Staff writer, fall 2011. Covered business and sports events.

Week in General, bi-weekly student TV show. Fall 2011-present. Shoot, write and produce news packages.

Bella Magazine, Southern/Central Virginia lifestyle magazine. Intern, summer 2011.

Wrote profiles; handled Q&A column; wrote headlines and captions.

WLUR 91.5 FM, W&L's radio station. Spring 2011. Color commentator for college soccer and baseball games.

In General, campus analytical journal. Winter 2011. Contributing writer.

Other Work Experience

Special Olympics, summer 2010. Helped organize local teams and worked with track athletes in Arlington, VA.

Chez Robert, summer 2009. Waiter at up-scale French restaurant in Arlington, VA.

Fauber Construction, summer 2008. Framing and drywall helper at housing project in Fredericksburg, VA.

Activities and Volunteer Service

Washington and Lee University Mock Republican Convention, winter 2012

Wrote articles for program for nationally recognized student convention event.

Head Start Classroom aide, fall 2011. Fairfield (VA) Elementary School. Assisted teacher with classroom activities and chaperoned class field trips.

Campus Kitchens Project, winter 2010. Volunteer; helped prepare and deliver meals to local agencies serving the needy.

Skills and Interests

Fluent in Spanish; long-time equestrian; experience with computer programs InDesign, Dreamweaver, Word Press, AVID, and Final Cut Pro; adept in social media.

References

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