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OBJECTIVE

Empowering disseminators of public information to be confident and capable in any journalistic situation through incorporating my passions for both public affairs and professional grooming.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Radiant Skin Therapy

November 2010 — Present

Freelance Makeup Artist /Esthetician

Commercial High Definition/Airbrush Make-up Artist

I am a WV Division of Commerce Tourism's Film Office crew member. Clients include Governor Earl Ray Tomblin, Supreme Court Justice Thomas McHugh, WV Legislative Speaker of the House Rick Thompson, for political campaign commercials and events. High profile weddings at the Greenbrier featured in "Southern Living" magazine. WV Film Office registered artist. Motion Masters and Image Associates commercial including \$250,000 Lottery Commission campaign. Airbrush tattoo concealment lasting up to a week.

United States Department of Homeland Security Federal Emergency Management Agency

June 2003 — 2008

External Affairs Region III Public Information Officer

§ Working throughout the United States during times of Federal disaster declarations in the areas of Writing/Research, Field Public Information Officer/ Coordinator, Liaison and Photographer.

§ Duties include conducting media interviews, organizing media events, attending said events and disseminating information, conducting research and writing press releases, public service announcements, media advisories and message of the day.

§ Coordinating of Public Information Officers in the state of declaration and tracking media contacts/coverage with our staff for verification of messages delivered.

§ My job title and duties change on every deployment and job titles are apt to change midstream. This requires multi-tasking and working well independently with a great deal of flexibility.

§ Communicating and disseminating vital information regarding the status of recovery efforts during the disaster to the public via media contacts. This information includes current funding available and disbursed and the application process and deadlines for registration with FEMA.

§ Working closely in the Joint Information Center to support all External Affairs components. Deployments included Hurricane Katrina and Rita, Parkersburg, Iowa Tornadoes, numerous West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, New York, Georgia, California, Kansas and Illinois.

Kanawha County Schools

2004 — Present

Substitute Educator K-12

Working throughout the county on all educational levels including special needs/autism classrooms providing a continual educational experience in absence of the scheduled teacher.

Junior Achievement of West Virginia, Inc.

November 2000 — July 2002

Marketing Manager

§Generating all press releases, brochures, flyers, annual reports and newsletters.

§Recruiting volunteer base for the implementation of programs from grades K through 12.

§Facilitating fund raising events and on going campaign drive.

§Training of volunteers, attending all promotional events, maintaining active communication between the board members and the staff of the Junior Achievement office.

§Planning and coordinating Special Committee meeting.

§Maintaining contacts with the media for purposes of marketing the over all purpose of Junior Achievement of West Virginia, Inc. and the specific goals of annual events.

§Overseeing web site design with concentration on over all effectiveness and resources generation.

§Researching feasibility of growth within the franchised areas.

§Evaluating available grants for possible funding.

§ An Appalachian Regional Commission and Claude Benedum Grant co- author

QUALIFICATIONS

Listed in the Congressional Inquiry following Hurricane Katrina for my media work. Completed the following Incident Command Systems courses 18, 100, 200, 547, 631, 700, and 800. Completed "Effective Communications" training at Region III FEMA Headquarters and External Affairs/Public Information Officers certification at Mt. Weather, Virginia.

EDUCATION

Communications Marketing/Research

1996 — 1999

WV State University

Completed a 400 internship with the WV State University Capitol Theatre and United Way's Teenage Pregnancy Prevention Program.

Business Management

1987 — 1989

WV State University

I made the Dean's List during matriculation of my associates degree.

INTERESTS

Travel to areas with different cultures, snorkeling and gardening.

REFERENCES

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