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Objective

To obtain an internship position in which I can develop my communications tactics in advertising by enhancing the creative teamwork of a top advertising agency.

Skills

Languages

Native Fluency: English, Spanish

Operating Systems

Windows, Mac

Editing Software

Working proficiency: Adobe Photoshop, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Illustrator

Technical Skills Pers

writing

Information Processing

Microsoft Word, Microsoft PowerPoint, Microsoft Publisher, Prezi

Personal Skills

Time Management, group leadership, self-starter, flexible, organized, detail oriented, positivity

Experience

Bauzá & Associates, Public Relations Intern Apopka, FL (August 2013 - Present)

Draft media relations materials including press releases, media alerts, and articles as directed in English and in Spanish.

Photography, videography, social media, professional

- Create copy for social media content calendar for a variety of clients to be translated
- Produce administrative documents such as conference reports, PR progress reports, PR wrap up reports, PR value reports as directed
- Assist development and updating of media lists and other databases, including client, marketing, prospect and administrative databases.
- Track media coverage in Spanish-language media; clip and scan news results; provide reports with English translations of media results.

UCF Technology Commons, Marketing Assistant Orlando, FL (August 2013 - Present)

- Draft copy for social media content calendars with various department and campus events
- Create a marketing plan for the department to draw student traffic to the facility
- · Produce an instructional and educational plan to inform students on the uses of Microsoft Publisher through workshops
- Promote all department services through a variety of mediums including social media, print, and face to face interactions.

UCF Department of Housing and Residence Life, Resident Assistant Orlando, FL (May 2013 - Present)

- Serve as a first responder in emergency situations and follow instructed protocols
- Maintain up-to-date and crucial information to residents through unique bulletin boards and flyers
- Provide quality opportunities and connections for residents' academic and personal growth
- Coordinate various educational and diverse activities to engage residents to interact and socialize
- Perform 15 hours a week of office management to attend to all resident needs and safety
- Fulfill mass deadline requirements on a weekly, monthly, and semester long calendar
- Manage social media content for the department housing facility

UCF Experiential Learning, Marketing Assistant Orlando, FL (January 2013 - April 2013)

- Initiated and managed the social media for the growing department
- Set up campus wide meetings with other campus departments to brainstorm marketing concepts
- Conducted interviews to participants of the service-learning component of the department
- Produced testimonials for website demonstration
- Assisted with daily organizational tasks to office supervisors

Education Honors

University of Central Florida Orlando, FL (2011-2015)

• Bachelor of Arts, Advertising/Public Relations. Minor: Leadership Studies Dean's List Fall 2011 / Spring 2012
Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Medallion Scholar
University Club of Orlando Scholarship (June 2012)

Leadership Volunteerism

Volunteer UCF

Marketing Director (March 2013 - Present)

LEAD Scholars

Social Chair Member (Aug. 2011 - May 2013) Peer Mentor (Aug. 2012 – December 2012)

Green Team

Member (August 2011 - May 2012)

Alternative Break Program New Orleans, LA (March 2013) – 100 hours
Alternative Break Program Tampa, FL (November 2012) – 50 hours
Alternative Break Program Myrtle Beach, SC (March 2012) – 100 hours
Avian Rehabilitation Center Apopka, FL (October 2012) – 5 hours
Quest Camp Thunderbird Apopka, FL (October 2012) – 5 hours
Give Kids the World Kissimmee, FL (October 2011) – 3 hours

Total hours in college to date – approx. 350