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STRENGTHS

Communicator

Strong communication skills developed through handling clients and discovering their design expectations when they themselves are not clear on the language of design or exactly what they want.

Flexible

Enjoy working in many different areas, and many background skills transferable across many different computing/assistive fields. Often able to apply unrelated skills to improve efficiency and handle multiple projects.

Invested

Made a difficult career shift specifically to work in libraries (and related facilities), assisting students, professors, and other academic users. This position is not only a paycheck, but a position where I have worked to be.

EDUCATION

Library & Information Science – USC Columbia **2018 - present**
MLIS degree pending portfolio approval.

Liberal Studies – Armstrong Atlantic State University **2016 - 2017**
Bachelor of Liberal Studies awarded May 2017

- Dean's List all three semesters
- Transfer from Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY (2002-2006)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Network & Tech Support – Freelance **2011 - present**
Managed small office networks (Coldwell Banker, Bluffton Family Chiropractic) and handled computer troubleshooting, maintenance, and repair.

Web Developer – OpenVision & Self-Employed **2008 -2018**
Managed clients and projects in a freelance environment, including both web development tasks as well as billing, sales, and marketing. Worked with ASP, PHP, HTML, and content-managed sites, with a focus on search efficiency and optimization.

Data Management – Gulfstream Corporate Library **2007**
Handled data validation, organization, and the processing and removal of copyrighted documents. Developed a broad-use web template for handling library queries and information dissemination.

OBJECTIVE

Get started in the academic library system and gain practical experience to go with the theory of the MLIS program.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Familiar with library catalogs (both MARC and RDA) and searching journals, as well as assisting others in using those resources.

Skilled with HTML, CSS, PHP, SQL, and many software packages (Adobe Acrobat, InDesign, Photoshop, Microsoft Excel & Word)