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Objective

Utilize the knowledge I have gained through my education and experience to obtain a position teaching and/or doing research.

Education

San Francisco State University

May 2005

Bachelor of Arts
Environmental Studies

San Francisco, CA

Major-Environmental Sustainability and Social Justice

University of Alaska Fairbanks

August 2003

Bachelor of Arts
Biological Science

Fairbanks, AK

Major-Biological Science
Minor-Anthropology

San Jose City College

June 1999

Associates
Biology

San Jose, CA

Major-Biology
Minor-General Education

Certification

California Basic Educational Skills Test CBEST 02/2004

Experience

San Francisco State University

September 2002 - Present

Tutor

San Francisco, CA

Provide Tutoring in English for first year college students

Fred Finch Youth Center, Oakland Hills Academy

June 2004 - August 2004

Teacher

Oakland, CA

Provided classroom instruction Grades 4-6

Merced College Los Banos Campus

March 2002 - June 2002

Part-Time Faculty Substitute

Los Banos, CA.

Instructor in Remedial Math, Language, Reading skills leading up to GED.

Experience Continued,

Merced College Bridges to the Baccalaureate Degree

January 2002 - June 2002 *Facilitator/Coordinator* Merced, CA.
Provided Supplemental Instruction in Biology and Math.
Coordinated weekly meetings
Maintained and Organize information regarding Supplemental Instruction

UAF Elderhostel

May 2000 - August 2000 *Coordinator* Fairbanks, Alaska
Planned and coordinated weekly programs
Managed the hiring of instructors and vendors
Supervised and maintained an atmosphere of education and pleasant experiences for Elderhostel clients

Lucky Stores Inc.

January 1986 - December 1998 *Manager/Clerk/Bookkeeper* San Jose, CA.
Manager of Day/Night Shifts
Assisted with customer service
Maintained detailed bookkeeping on a daily basis

Research

University of California Santa Cruz

December 1998 - January 1999 *Research Assistant*

Assisted in Ethnographic history: Farm to Farm Research in West Central Mexico for UCSC Ph.D Candidate

University of California Santa Cruz

July 1999 - August 1999 *Research Assistant*

Maintained and coordinated photographic history of Farm to Farm research in West Central Mexico for UCSC Ph.D Candidate

Internships

National Park Service *Intern*

February 2005-May-2005
Completion of Nature Journaling Project
Assisted Rangers and Volunteers to learn scope of NPS interpretation programs

Wildlife Center of Silicon Valley

May 1998 - August 1998 *Intern* San Jose, CA.
Executed cursory examinations on orphaned/injured birds and small mammals
Provided care for bird aviaries, menu/food preparation and maintenance
Participated in community programs to extend knowledge of local wildlife

Internships continued,

CSU Hayward-Bridges To The Baccalaureate Degree

June 1997 - August 1997 *Intern* Hayward, CA.

Completed intensive experiments including Gel Electrophoresis/Gene Cloning in Genetics, Immunology, and Molecular Biology
Project presentation of assisted research regarding physiological process of overwintering in Northeastern Treefrogs

Extra Curricular Activities

San Francisco State University Earth Day-April 21-22, 2005

Helped organize workshops and informational tables regarding "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle", and organic composting

University of Alaska Fairbanks Student Activities

Vice-President of Latino/a Culture Club-September 1999-May 2000

Organized and conducted cultural diversity and self esteem workshops

Planned informational panels to assist in informing students of services offered by UAF Office of Multicultural Affairs

Successfully organized activities and volunteer time for Latino/a Culture Club

San Jose City College Ecology Club-Spring Semester 1998

Organized Coastal Clean-up

Organized Earth Day 1998 SJCC Gallery Showing of Local Environmental Artists

Fellowships

University of California Community Teaching Fellowship for Math and Science

Designed to encourage High School students to pursue careers as math and/or science teachers.

Activities include:

Youth Expo 2002

Demonstrated "DNA Spooling" lab experiment to local High School students.

Merced College Science and Engineering Fair. Spring 2002

Demonstrated techniques in Microscope use and Wet Slide preparation to local High School Students.

Conferences

North American Student Leadership Conference

Portland, OR. November 1999

University of California Merced

Expanding Your Horizons

Atwater, CA. April 2002

Skills

Excellent public/professional speaking skills
Planning/Managing/Coordinating of presentations/lectures
Proficient typing skills and computer applications including: MW, Excel,
MS Powerpoint
Experienced in a variety of Lab Techniques and Safety
Photography

References

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