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Education

Illinois Wesleyan University (IWU), Bloomington, Illinois Expected graduation - May 2021
Theatre Studies Major
English Minor
Film Studies Minor

<u>Heartland Community College</u>, (HCC), Normal, Illinois College NOW Program - 2016-2017

Normal Community West High School (NCWHS), Normal, Illinois Graduated May 2017

Relevant Coursework: AP Language, AP Literature, AP Psychology, Western Civilization (Heartland Dual Credit)

Extra-Curriculars: National English Honor Society, National Social Studies Honor Society, Team Captain Chess Club, Band Percussionist

Experience

Theater Student with focus in Lighting and Sound Tech, Illinois Wesleyan School of Theatre Arts, Bloomington, Illinois (August 2018-Current)

- Electrician work/light hang crews
- Scenic construction/basic carpentry
- Sound design/production

Manager & Crew Member, Normal Theater, Normal, Illinois (August 2018-Current)

- Open and close venue
- Direct and assist fellow employees as manager
- Handle tech. equipment and run projector booth
- Assist patrons with ticket and concession sales
- Stock concessions
- Custodial duties

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Sales Associate, Acme Comics, Normal, Illinois (June 2013-November 2016)

- Assisted customers with purchases and questions
- Ran a cash register for sales
- Stocked and inventoried materials

Delivery Person, Mclean Chronicle, McLean County, Illinois (September 2009-December 2016)

- Set up delivery accounts with local businesses
- Delivered newspapers to businesses in McLean County
- Inventoried old papers/Invoiced for hours of delivery

Volunteering

Feed My Starving Children Volunteer:

- Made Manna packs to feed starving people around the world Soup Kitchen:
 - Delivered/Organized supplies and stock

Midwest Food Bank:

Organized and sorted food for deliveries

Mission Mart:

Sorted various media for resale in the store

Home Sweet Home Ministries with IWU:

Sorted supplies and stock

Interests

Writing, Directing, Lighting Tech and Design, Filmmaking

Affiliations

Town of Normal, IWU School of Theatre Arts, IWU Phoenix Theatre Board, IWU Masquers, Sigma Tau Delta: International English Honor Society, National Society of High School Scholars

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