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EDUCATION:

Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

September 2010 – May 2014

Bachelor of Science in Studio Art, with an additional focus in Education, Psychology, and Social Work

SPECIAL EDUCATION EXPERIENCE:

Intern, Creative Endeavors, Saratoga Bridges, Saratoga Springs, NY

Spring 2013 – Spring 2014

- Designed projects and led art classes for adults with developmental disabilities
- Encourage and supported students to produce high caliber artwork to be sold in the Creative Endeavors gift shop
- Learned and implemented strategies and techniques for classroom management and instruction
- Practical experience in arranging and hanging artwork for these exhibitions

Student Mentor, Bridges to Skidmore, Skidmore College

Spring 2014

- Special mentoring program where I was paired with a developmentally disabled student. The purpose of this program was to attend Skidmore College lectures and work through homework assignments with the student. This was an abridged college program for developmentally disabled adults.
- The process allowed the client to understand class material and lectures by delivering information at a pace and level that the student was able to absorb.

Student Representative, ADA Committee, Skidmore College

Fall 2013 – Spring 2014

- Planned for Service and Therapy Animals at Skidmore College
- Created an informational bulletin for disability awareness to be distributed throughout campus
- Collected data on accessible areas and technologies for current and incoming disabled students

Student Mentor, 1,000 Books, Skidmore College

Fall 2013

- Collaborated with a Head Start Home Educator to promote early literacy with a three-year-old child with a behavior disorder from a low socioeconomic background. Encouraged the mother (who has a developmental disability) to interact with her child and teach her to model appropriate care techniques
- Read together, completed age appropriate art projects, and journal activities
- Learned the procedures of Child Protective Services in regard to reporting possible child safety and abuse issues

Art Teacher & Coordinator, Westchester ARC Summer Enrichment, Manhattanville, NY

Summer 2013

- Designed age and skill appropriate projects for adolescents and adults with various disabilities
- Completed CPR, First-Aid, hygiene and cleanliness training, behavior management training with an autism focus
- Selected, framed, and organized student work for an end of summer exhibit
- Worked with Director of Recreation to formulate a student exhibition to be shown in Gallery 365 exhibit hall

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE:

Teaching Assistant, Jewelry and Metals Studio, Skidmore College

Fall 2011 – Spring 2014

- Provided students guidance to troubleshoot and solve problems for studio projects
- Held office hours and offered on-call support in the studio, track inventory and maintain the studio
- Demonstrated proper techniques for using tools and methods in casting, forging, raising, and stone-setting

HONORS, AWARDS, AND EXHIBITS

- The Dorothy Dryfoos Oslan '41 Prize in Jewelry and Metalsmithing
- E. Alice Moshier '22 Art Scholarship
- New York State TAP Award
- Dean's List Honors
- Student Art in the Library Exhibit
- Senior Thesis Exhibition