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**EDUCATION**

Master’s of Art in School Counseling Degree Obtained: May 2014

Ball State University: Muncie, IN Current GPA: 3.93/4.0

Bachelor’s degree in Psychology Degree Obtained: May 2012

Ball State University: Muncie, IN Final GPA: 3.93/4.0

Minors: Psychology of Human Growth & Development University’s Dean List 2008-2012

Interpersonal Relations Graduated Summa Cum Laude

**PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE**

Burris Laboratory School, Muncie, IN

**School Counseling Intern August 2013- May 2014**

Provide individual and group counseling to a diverse client population, provide psycho-educational presentations in all classrooms K-12, work on master schedule and help all middle and high school students make their yearly schedules, work with freshman on four-year plans, learn all testing requirements of students including ISTEP, PSAT, PLAN, NWEA, and I-Read, attend case conferences and meetings for students, develop lessons for the new bullying law, advocate for the students, and complete all day-to-day activities.

Supervised by Julie Maugherman and Elise Chupp (Professional School Counselors)

Burris Laboratory School, Muncie, IN

**Step Up To K, Fit for First June 2013**

Helped run a two week program where preschool and kindergarten students developed skills and refreshed students to prepare them for their next year of schooling.

Supervised by Renee Huffman (Teacher at Burris Laboratory School)

Longfellow Elementary School, Muncie, IN

**Individual Counseling September 2012-June 2013**

Counseled three students for 30 minutes per week, taught one psycho-educational presentation on careers. Supervised by Dr. Charlene Alexander

Yorktown High School, Yorktown, IN

**Psycho-Educational Presentations March 2013**

Taught sixteen hours of psycho-educational presentations, using the “Choose Respect” program.

Supervised by Brittanie Mosbaugh (Masters Student)

West Jay Middle School, Dunkirk, IN

**Psycho-Educational Presentations March 2013**

Taught four hours of psycho-educational presentations, using the “Choose Respect” program.

Supervised by Yves Ambroise (Doctoral Student)

**CERTIFICATIONS AND TRAINING**

CPR/Heimlich/AED Training

QPR Suicide Training

FAFSA Training

Testing Security & Integrity Training

**MEMBERSHIPS**

American School Counseling Association

Indiana School Counseling Association

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

Ball State University Counseling Center, Muncie, IN

**Graduate Assistant August 2012-May 2014**

Worked the front desk for 15 hours a week, supervised the resource room and all of the interns/volunteers, organized weekly seminars, learned the computer systems, organized files, and helped with research.

Ball State University Counseling Center, Muncie, IN

**Orientation Speaker June 2013-July 2013**

Introduced incoming freshman to the resources that the Counseling Center offers including individual therapy, group therapy, career counseling, relaxation techniques, and general resources through the Resource and Relaxation Room.

Carey Services, Marion, IN

**Direct Support Professional April 2011-August 2011**

Provided in-home care, dispensed medication, attended all doctor’s appointments, attended all

Special Olympics events, helped incorporate consumers into society.

Kiddie Prep Daycare, Marion, IN

**Pre-School Teacher/Daycare Assistant May 2009-September 2009**

Provided classroom instruction, created outside activities for summer days, went on various field trips, cooked for the children, cleaned the classrooms.

Goody’s Family Clothing, Marion, IN

**Sales Assistant May 2007-March 2009**

Worked as cashier, stocked clothing, created visuals for the store, managed daily monetary issues, created the weekly schedule, count inventory, customer assistance, contacted outside suppliers.

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Ball State University, Muncie, IN

**Teaching Assistant - To Professor Brown in “Psychology of Development” Fall 2010**

Provided instruction on multiple class days, met with students upon request, held weekly study sessions, graded papers, answered e-mails, and attended all class sessions.

Ball State University, Muncie, IN

**Teaching Assistant - To Professor Brown in “Psychology of Women” Spring 2011**

Provided instruction on multiple class days, met with students upon request, held weekly study sessions, graded papers, answered e-mails, and attended all class sessions.

**RELATED EXPERIENCE**

Ball State University, Muncie, IN

**Research Assistant for Professor Brown Fall 2010-Spring 2011**

Collected research for a literature review, finished CITI training, collected data.

**VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Muncie, IN

**Muncie’s Springfest Music Festival 2010**

Sold T-Shirts and controlled money during the event which drew over 3,000 attendees.

Marion, IN

**New Light Learning Center 2008**

Tutoring underprivileged students.

**REFERENCES**

Julie Maugherman

Director of Guidance and Counseling

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