OBJECTIVE

To join an organization where I can fully optimize my education, creativity and organizational skills. I have accumulated a great amount of software knowledge over the past 17 years, as well as training and organizational skills, which would benefit any company.

EXPERIENCE

New Horizons Computer Learning Centers of Southern CA Burbank, California

October 1997 - Present

Software Instructor

- Training students how to use various software programs on multiple platforms.
- Mentoring new employees / instructors to achieve peak performance.
- Consistently maintains high evaluation scores. Most recently, an 8.63 out of 9.00, where the company minimum is 8.40.
- Specifically requested by company clients and students because of knowledge base and ability to relate well with anyone.
- Very comfortable in any public setting.
- Achieved multiple certifications: ACE, ACI, BPPVE, CIW, MCAS, MOUS and Lean Six Sigma Green Belt.

Hospitality Industry

- Worked in many aspects of the hospitality industry. Bartender, bar back, waiter, bus person, host and manager.
- Was recruited by 100% of all employers to train employees.
- Redesigned work environment to maximize efficiency.
- Specifically requested by many repeat customers.

EDUCATION

University of Kentucky Lexington, Kentucky BA Communications / Journalism

Los Angeles Valley Community College Los Angeles, California

• Took various computer classes. Basic computer skills, Microsoft Office Suite, Pascal

SKILLS

- Organized and detail-oriented.
- Proficient in:
 - o Adobe Acrobat, Dreamweaver, Fireworks, Flash, Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop
 - Microsoft Access, Excel, FrontPage, Outlook, PowerPoint, Publisher, Visio, Word
 - Misc. Act!, Crystal Reports, CSS, GroupWise, HTML, QuarkXPress
 - Windows or MAC platform

INTERESTS

- Started foster parenting in 2002 which led to the adoption of 2 children in 2006.
- Enjoy camping and travel, painting, reading, and DIY home maintenance and improvement.
- Currently maintain the database and website for high school reunions, as well as assisting in
 organizing the reunions.
- Volunteered as membership coordinator for a local camping organization (2003 2010).