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EDUCATION

Marist College, Poughkeepsie, NY
B.A. Communication: Radio/TV/ Film

December 2008
GPA: 3.3

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Marist Office of Advancement, Poughkeepsie, NY

2009 – Present

Freelance Photographer

- Photographed campus locations and projects for publication in the Marist Magazine
- Scheduled and coordinated shoots with administrators of Marist College

The Times Herald-Record, Area Newspaper, Middletown, NY

2008 – Present

Freelance/Part-time Photographer

- Photographed several events assigned by the Photography Editor and Coordinator
- Observed and participated in the operations of a 85,000 distribution daily newspaper
- Worked with the Special Sections Editor on quarterly features publications
- Covered spot news events throughout Orange County, NY

The Circle, Marist College Newspaper, Poughkeepsie, NY

2006 – 2008

Photography Editor & Chief Sports Photographer

- Coordinate scheduling with the Marist athletic department as well as all major clubs & campus organizations
- Distribute & coordinate photography assignments to photographers for the weekly college newspaper
- Photographed the 2007 MAAC Basketball Tournament in Bridgeport, CT
- Photographed the 2008 MAAC Basketball Tournament in Albany, NY
- Editing of all pictorial advertising submittals for *The Circle*
- Photograph all college sports events

Resident Assistant, Marist College, Poughkeepsie, NY

2008

Building Mentor and Role Model

- Helped to coordinate events and gatherings with fellow RA's both in my building and across campus
- Helped to maintain a safe and healthy environment for all residents in the building
- Responsible for approximately 70 residents on the floor

Marist Admissions Department, Poughkeepsie, NY

2008

Part-time/Freelance Photographer

- Coordinated a campus wide photography competition sponsored by the Marist College Admissions Department
- Volunteered photographs of Marist events and activities

The Comeback Tour, Local Band, Poughkeepsie, NY

2006 – 2008

Official Photographer

- Traveled and photographed band members on and off stage
- Volunteered photographs for tour and website promotions
- Negotiated and scheduled photo-shoots

COMPUTER SKILLS

Adobe Photoshop (CS4, CS3, CS2), Adobe RAW, Adobe Bridge, AVID Video Editing, Adobe Elements, & Microsoft Office (Excel, Outlook, Power Point, Publisher, Word)

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- *The Circle* newspaper club member (2006-2008)
- Member of the Gaelic Society at Marist College (2006-2008)
- Official Photographer for The Comeback Tour, a band (2006- 2008)
- Played on Intramural Soccer team (2005-2006)
- Volunteered at St. Anthony's Hospital in Warwick, NY (2000-2004)

DISTINCTIONS

- Nominated to attend the presentation of the Lowell Thomas Communications award to Bill Geist
- Assisted Michael Bloom, professional photographer, photographed the Monticello Motor Club
- Contributed photographs to *Seats: New York*, a theater guide to New York City.
- Placed 2nd and 3rd place in the Tour De Creek Annual Photography competition