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MEMBERSHIPS

- Ferris Honors Program
- Delta Zeta Sorority
- National Society of Collegiate Scholars
- Public Relations Student Society of America (PRSSA)
- Ferris Student Government Association
- Phi Theta Kappa National Honors Society

AWARDS

- Michigan Campus Compact - Commitment to Service Award 2017
- Rotary Scholarship recipient and Young Leadership Delegate

EDUCATION

2015-2018

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC RELATIONS

Ferris State University

2017-2018

CONCENTRATION IN CREATIVE BUSINESS

HU University - Netherlands

2013-2015

ASSOCIATES OF ARTS BUSINESS

Southwestern Michigan College with Honors

EXPERIENCE

2018 - Present

COMMUNICATIONS INTERN

Angels of Action

Assist the President of the organization with an array of facets including social media and other public relations efforts. Also, grant writing, logistics, and support for fundraising events.

2016 - Present

SHOWSPAN SHOW STAFF

ShowSpan

Worked as supporting staff during a number of consumer shows for three show seasons.

2015- 2017

VOLUNTEER CENTER STUDENT MANAGER

Center for Leadership Ferris

Responsible for communications between local nonprofits and Ferris students. Assisted in Career Center efforts on campus including job fairs, speakers and the Michigan Gift of Life campaign.

LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

2016-2018

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS

Ferris Student Government

Spring 2017

CLC COMPETITION

Great Lakes Results winners for the Collegiate Leadership Competition.

2016-2017

VICE PRESIDENT OF CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Ferris PRSSA

Fall 2016

FERRIS LEADERSHAPE

First Collegiate Seminar

Fall 2014

CHAPTER PRESIDENT

Phi Theta Kappa

Southwestern Michigan College

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PAST WORK

June 2017 -
Aug. 2017

FRONT OFFICE CALL CENTER

Whirlpool/Aerotek

Responsible for reporting inbound calls from Home Depot associates nationwide for replacements and logistics of large appliances.

May 2015 -
Aug. 2015

INSIDE LAWN AND GARDEN ASSOCIATE

Lowe's Home Improvement

Assist with shoppers need, knowledge of residential horticulture needs

June 2014 -
Aug. 2014

GARDEN MANAGER

Blankenship Greenhouse

Responsible for overall operations including receiving and petty cash.

Jan. 2007 -
Aug 2015

NIMTZ FAMILY FARM

Eau Claire, Michigan

Applied problem solving skills in an ever changing environment. Experience with large machinery and animal husbandry.

OTHER EXPERIENCES

Spring 2017

SPRING BREAK MISSION TRIP

I joined Ferris Wesley House on their missions trip to Mississippi to help out at the Choctaw Native America Reservation.

2015-2017

STUDENT CO-CHAIR

Position in the Career Center Advisory Board. I bridged the gap between students and potential employers.

Spring 2016

ALTERNATIVE SPRING BREAK

The trip focused on career exploration and civic engagement across Michigan.

Spring 2016

BREAKOUT SPEAKER

Spoke during the Leadership Conference for Career Management at Ferris.

Spring 2014

PROJECT BEAUTY: THE ROYAL SWAP AND SHOP

Passion project I spear headed to offer formal and business wear to low income young women.

CERTIFICATES

- Ferris State University Soft Skills Training

REFERENCES

- **Nicholas Campau**
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