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Education

Certificate in Museum Studies (CMS)

Ontario Museum Association, 2015-Present

Masters of Education (M Ed)

University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, 2012. (Partially Completed)
Curriculum - Equity and Diversity Issues

Degree of Bachelor of Education (B Ed)

University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, 2011.
Qualified to teach Intermediate/Senior Science and Geography

Degree of Bachelor of Science (B Sc)

University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ontario, 2010.
Honours Science with minors in Earth Science and Geography

Specific Skills

- Experience developing, marketing, and delivering history-based programs from ages 6 to 104, particularly focused on high school, adult, and senior programming
- Developed educational programming with direct ties to the Ontario Curriculum at both the elementary and secondary levels aimed at embracing multiple learning styles
- Worked on program evaluations to address gaps in programming and significantly increase programming revenue and attendance within the course of a year
- Displays excellent problem solving skills to fix problems rather than allowing them continue
- Strong organization skills and experience developing a curriculum for students

Experience

Brant Historical Society – Program & Community Coordinator (September 2014-Present)

- Administered and developed Seniors Program doubling revenue within one year.
- Experience creating educational program for all ages tied to special exhibits as an additional revenue source
- Created marketing tools for programs, both independently and with a graphic designer

Paris Museum and Historical Society – Assistant Researcher (May 2012 – September 2012)

- Created a Grade 3 and two Grade 10 programs that were put online as a teacher resource
- Experience working with the collection and archives to conduct research
- Delivered 3 well-attended historical walking tours generating additional funds for the organization, where members perviously indicated there was nothing of interest

Thames Valley District School Board – Teacher Candidate (September 2011 – May 2012)

- Engaged with Professional Development opportunities to continually raise expectations of self
- Taught two Grade 10 science classes, reflecting on how I could improve student outcomes
- Delivered two Grade 9 geography classes including equity and social justice components

Rainbow Reels Queer Film Festival – Committee Member (January 2007 – March 2008)

- Gained experience working in an anti-oppressive work environment
- Displayed leadership skills in guiding the committee to increase the impact of the festival by relocating to the centre of the community and hosting first ever gala
- Co-created and edited the Film Festival Guide for attendees and as a marketing tool

Community Activities

City of Brantford – Brantford Heritage Committee Member (October 2015 – Present)

- Read reports on demolitions or modifications to heritage structures in the City of Brantford
- Took an active role in liaising with stakeholders to propose Brantford's First Cultural Heritage Landscape for the City of Brantford
- Have expressed interest in taking over the position of Chair beginning in 2017

City of Brantford – Heritage Research Subcommittee Chair (December 2015 – Present)

- Introduced the motion to create the Heritage Research Subcommittee
- Created agenda discussing methodology to guide this and future studies
- Report that will be produced will identify structures to add to the non-existent Heritage Registry for the City of Brantford

Brantford Lapidary and Mineral Society – Gem Show Chair (April 2015 – April 2016)

- Successfully marketed the Gem Show to the community resulting in a 30% increase to an attendance of 1800
- Improved contract form to vendors by using mail merge feature to e-mail contracts rather than sending through Canada Post.

Brantford Pride Festival – Committee Member (February 2013 – April 2014)

- Ran a Volunteer Training session to place volunteers in a job that would use them effectively
- Created a fundraising tool to approach businesses for sponsorship
- Assisted in the running of the festival and coordinated volunteers resulting in what was referred to as the smoothest run festival to date

References available on request