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SUMMARY

Personal and professional experiences have both provided excellent opportunities to develop the skills necessary to become a great math teacher.

- Masters Degree, Education (M.Ed in progress), Holy Family University
- 9 years accounting and finance experience includes training employees and leading process improvement teams
- 15 years playing competitive soccer including the Olympic Development Program
- Multiple full athletic soccer scholarships awarded during college recruitment
- Certified public accountant – commonwealth of PA (inactive)
- B.S. Business Admin Accounting/Finance, La Salle University

CERTIFICATIONS

Pennsylvania Instructional I: Mathematics (7– 12), May 2009

New Jersey Substitute Teacher's Certificate (N – 12), November 2007

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

MaST Community Charter School, Philadelphia PA February 2009 – Present

- Completed student teaching in spring 2009 under Holy Family's supervision
- Facilitated grades 9 and 10 algebra and geometry classes
- Devised and differentiated lessons that align with PA state standards while collaborating with special education instructors to adjust teaching strategies.
- Supported school activities including: club math 24, soccer, spirit day, raffles, etc.
- Presently continue employment as a per diem substitute

South Hunterdon Regional HS, Lambertville, NJ May 2009 – Present

- Per diem substitute teacher

Youth Services Alternatives, Middletown, PA August 2008 – February 2009

- Instructed learning/emotional support students in grades 9 through 12
- Planned, differentiated and assessed algebra, geometry and business-math classes
- Worked in a team to create behavior and education plans (IEPs) as well as executed classroom management strategies for behavior issues.
- Supervised club activities including basketball, ping-pong, yoga; and participated in adventure activities including: rock climbing, kayacking and ultimate frisbee.
- Obtained training in CPR and safe crisis management

C.C.A. Baldi Middle School, Philadelphia , PA January 2008 – May 2008

- Completed student practicum in Spring 2008 under Holy Family's supervision

TECHNOLOGY

Geometer's Sketchpad, TI – 84 Graphing Calculator, Microsoft Excel, Word, and Powerpoint, Angelfire web host

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

Prepared tax returns and administered audits for a public accounting firm. Maintained general ledgers and produced financial statements for manufacturing and service oriented companies. Trained and mentored employees as well as led process improvement teams.

Heritage Building Group. , Jamison, PA	June 2006 – August 2008
Milton Roy USA. , Jamison, PA	April 2004 – March 2006
Waste Management , Ewing, NJ	September 2003 – April 2004
SPS Technologies , Jenkintown, PA	August 2002 – September 2003
Asher & Company, Ltd. , Philadelphia, PA	January 2000-April 2002

Transferable Teaching Skills

- Creative presentation of verifiable financial data via powerpoint.
- Computer skills help abridge educational technology usage.
- Deploy a business-like and life-application approach.

EDUCATION

Masters Degree, Education – pending, Holy Family University, Philadelphia, PA
B.S. Business Admin Accounting/Finance – 2000, La Salle University/Philadelphia, PA

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Certified Public Accountant – Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (inactive), Full Athletic Scholarship – La Salle University Men's Soccer Team, Member of the 1996 and 1998 Academic All Regional Soccer Team, Dean's List and Athletic Department Honor Role, Volunteer Mentor and Tutor for Student Athletes

ACTIVITIES

Soccer, rock climbing, running, mountain biking, swimming