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Profile

I am currently finishing my final year of studying Journalism at Leeds Beckett University and I am extremely interested in gaining a further real life understanding of the television production environment via work experience

Experience

STE Waste, Cheadle, Summer 2018:

I worked as an in-house journalist where I wrote and contributed to a series of articles to enhance the search engine optimisation of their company website.

True North June 2019

I did my college work experience at True North Studios in Media City.

Here I helped edit subtitles into new episodes of Teen Mom UK and also worked as a Runner. It was a fantastic experience as it gave me an insight into the process of television production.

BeckettNow/Leeds Hacks news

During my time at University, I have enjoyed gaining experience with the BeckettNow team, this has involved working in the production control room. In addition to this, an element of my course requires creating content for Newsday's which includes writing scripts, articles, and producing TV or radio packages. On some days, I have had the opportunity to be allocated the role of the presenter which I enjoyed immensely.

BBCsounds/Radio 5

I had the incredible opportunity to appear on BBC sounds for a radio programme which Naga Munchetty has been producing about the issues around women's safety. We went on a night out in Leeds where she interviewed my friends and I about our experiences with sexual assault

on nights out and our advice for other young women going through the same thing. I thoroughly enjoyed this as it gave me a chance to practice my radio presenting skills and I was able to take part in spreading awareness about women's safety.

Leeds 2023

I have completed work experience at Leeds 2023 year of culture as a marketing assistant. Here, I worked in a team to help organise events that'll bring Leeds together as a city. I also put together cost spreadsheets for the marketing manager in order to help him decide on what would be the most cost efficient way of handing out leaflets. Doing my work experience here gave me an understanding on what it's like to work in an office environment and helped me to develop my team working skills.

David Lloyd, Summer 2021, David Lloyd, Summer 2022

Throughout summer 2021 and 2022, I worked as a front of house receptionist at David Lloyd in Cheadle and Leeds. This job helped me to develop my team working skills and also gave me a great level of responsibility along with the ability to work under stressful circumstances as there were days when I'd be running reception alone.

Little Owl Farm November-December 2021

Throughout the Christmas period, I worked on Little Owl Farm in Rochdale as an elf for Santa's Grotto. This was an extremely fun job as I was contributing towards making Christmas magical for children. I learnt how to problem solve under time pressured circumstances using my initiative and creativity.

Education Cheadle Hulme School from 2009-present

8 GCSEs ranging from A*-C 3 A levels ranging from A-C

Skills

I am an extremely friendly and enthusiastic person, with good listening and organisation skills, time management and the ability to work within both a team or independently. I really enjoy working with the public.

References available upon request