#### Education

Mississippi State University, Starkville, MS | June 2007 – present Majors: English and Communication (Concentration: Public Relations) Estimated Graduation: May 2011 | GPA: 3.93 (on a 4.00 scale)

### Relevant Work Experience

#### Vision, the College of Arts & Sciences newsletter

Writer, May 2008, May 2010 - present

- Interview students and faculty members for assigned feature articles and award recognition articles
- Write and edit assigned articles and peers' articles

#### Mississippi State University Department of Communication

Public Relations Intern for departmental Internship Coordinator, August 2010 – present

- Communicate with businesses and organizations to find internship opportunities
- Organize and maintain internship files

# Healthy Starkville Public Relations Team (class assignment for Public Relations: Organizations)

Team member, January 2010 – April 2010

- Helped create a public relations campaign plan for the Healthy Starkville committee
- Performed extensive primary and secondary research and wrote individual and group papers such as a client assessment, target public assessment, crisis plan, et cetera
- Designed a logo for Healthy Starkville that was chosen out of several possible logos by the teachers, the committee, and a group of Starkville residents

#### Jabberwock Review, Mississippi State University's semi-annual literary journal

Reader, Spring 2009 - present

• Read and evaluate manuscripts for entry into the journal

#### Mississippi State University Department of Communication

Student Worker, June 2007 - present

- Design flyers, posters, invitations, programs, and forms for department events
- Assist with career fairs and department fundraising events
- Perform tasks such as filing, taking and delivering messages, and delivering documents across campus for department staff and faculty
- Organize the main office, departmental supply cabinets, and departmental filing systems
- Interact with students, faculty, and staff and assist with problems that arise

#### Skills

Adobe InDesign | Adobe Photoshop | Adobe Dreamweaver | Microsoft Word | Microsoft PowerPoint | Familiarity with navigating both Macintosh and Windows operating systems | Layout and design | Basic web design | Press release and News writing | Public speaking | Research

## **Honors and Activities**

Shackouls Honors College | Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society | Lamda Pi Eta Honor Society | Sigma Tau Delta Honor Society | Ladies Social Circle | Catholic Student Association | Rick's Rowdies | International Teaching Assistants Workshop

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