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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Synapse Energy Economics Inc., Cambridge, MA. *Communications Associate*, 2016 – present.

- Proofread, edit, and format Synapse written work products
- Develop and post content for Synapse’s website and social media accounts
- Assist with external and internal communications initiatives

Peer Health Exchange, Boston, MA. *Development Manager*, 2015 – 2016.

- Managed all aspects of institutional giving for the Boston program, which provides comprehensive health education in under-resourced public high schools
- Conducted prospect research, wrote grant proposals, and created reports for foundation and corporate funders
- Crafted newsletters, event materials, and other communications for individual donors, institutional funders, community partners, and volunteers
- Oversaw data management systems in Salesforce

Peer Health Exchange, Boston, MA. *Program Manager*, 2015.

- Trained 150+ volunteer health educators in public speaking, cultural competency, health content, and classroom management
- Coordinated staffing and logistics for 120 workshops in 27 high schools each week, reaching 3,944 teens in 2014-2015
- Led development of a new health content volunteer training module

Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN. *Program Coordinator*, 2013-2014.

- Managed six campus programs and initiatives related to gender and health equity
- Coordinated planning and marketing for Women’s History Month programming
- Spearheaded an educational campaign about consent in collaboration with the university’s sexual assault victim advocates

Cardinal Glennon Children’s Medical Center, St. Louis, MO. *Master of Social Work Intern*, 2012.

- Conducted psychosocial assessments and evaluated patients for trauma and abuse
- Collaborated with the medical team to determine appropriate interventions and promote medical compliance

St. Louis County Municipal League, St. Louis, MO. *Master of Social Work Intern*, 2012.

- Created survey instrument on financial best practices used to assess performance of small city governments
- Researched and wrote briefs for leadership in preparation for legislative session, with focus on state sales tax policies and TIF legislation

Envision EMI, Washington, DC. *Faculty Advisor*, 2011.

- Implemented the National and Global Young Leaders Conferences public policy curriculum with high-performing high school students from the US and abroad

Jesuit Volunteer Corps Northwest, Tacoma, WA. *Program Staff at the Nativity House*, 2009-2010.

- Completed a full-time year of national service at a drop-in center for adults experiencing homelessness
- Managed day-to-day operations of the shelter, provided resource referrals, supervised volunteer groups, and cooked twice daily meals for up to 400 guests

EDUCATION

Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO

Master of Social Work in Health & Organizational Development, 2013

Georgetown University, Washington, DC

Bachelor of Arts in English, 2009

Resume dated March 2016