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### **OBJECTIVE**

To obtain a position in event planning that will utilize my education and training, organizational skills, communication and customer service experience, and enthusiasm.

#### **EDUCATION**

Longwood University - Farmville, Virginia

- > Bachelor of Arts expected May 2011
- > Communication Studies with a concentration in Organizational Communication and Public Relations
- Dean's List Spring 2010

## **EDUCATION HIGHLIGHTS**

Team Lead, Every Victim Can Be Saved - Longwood University, Spring 2010

- > Created an advertisement video to persuade teens, young adults, and adults not to drink and drive
- Collaborated with other anti-drinking and driving organizations
- > Designed and administered a survey to evaluate our target population
- Coordinated a persuasive plan to further project goals

Team Co-Leader, Blooming Group - Longwood University, Spring 2009

- > Planned fundraising activities to support the organization, Operation Smile
- > Collaborated on the design and the implementation of advertising and promotion strategies
- Collaborated on the creation of branding strategies
- Conducted the team's meetings

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

College Intern, Office of Administration and Technical Services and Office of Public Affairs - Federal Air Marshal Service, May 2010 to August 2010

- > Collaborated on public awareness campaign for airport security use of explosive detection dogs
- Assisted in production of K-9 awareness campaign
- > Served as administrative assistant

College Intern, Distance Learning Branch - Federal Air Marshal Service, May 2009 through December. 2009

- > Established organizational system for branch video productions
- > Assisted with video production and editing
- Assisted with Department of Homeland Security conference documentation
- > Served as administrative assistant

Apprentice - A Sweet Soiree Events, Event planning and design services, Northern Virginia

Conservatory Ballet and Shoppe - August 2006 through August 2008

- > Served as administrative officer
- Collaborated on Reston Community Center's Center Stage productions
- Maintained extensive inventory
- Served as registrar
- Served as part-time faculty