Education

B.Sc. FNH, Nutritional Sciences Major (with Honours) - University of British Columbia, 2014

Employment

Meal Program Coordinator

December 1, 2014 – Present (15 hrs/wk)

Inner City Women's Initiatives Society; Vancouver, BC

- Planned, prepared and served two nutritious meals per week for 75 women
- Managed volunteer recruitment, staff scheduling, and balancing of finances

Project Coordinator

March – September 2012 (20 hrs/wk)

Kamloops Public Produce Project; Kamloops, BC

Supervisor: Laura Kalina, RD

- Coordinated media liaison, volunteers, budget, and workshop programming
- Represented project at province-wide gathering of food security organizations

Brand Ambassador

January 2011 – December 2012 (10 hrs/wk)

COBS Bread; Vancouver, BC

Engaged passers by in discussions about diet and nutrition

Hospital/Senior Care Food Service Worker June 2011 – March 2012 (Full/Part-time)

Interior Health Authority; Kamloops, BC

- Worked as part of a team to assemble meals in a clinical setting
- Relied on understanding of therapeutic diets and food safety

Program Coordinator – Cooking Classes

October 2010 – May 2011 (8 hrs/wk)

Little Mountain Neighbourhood House; Vancouver, BC

- Planned and facilitated weekly menus and educational programming
- Directed 50 children and seniors to improve their confidence and skills in the kitchen

Gleaning Program Coordinator

Summer 2009 & 2010 (Full-time)

Kamloops Food Bank; Kamloops, BC

- Managed garden plots and fruit gleaning schedule
- Enlisted new donors and increased media presence of program

Volunteer Experience

Event Volunteer - 'Meet Your Maker'

February 17, 2014 (8 hours)

Farm Folk City Folk; Vancouver, BC

• Supervised lunch preparation as the required Foodsafe-certified individual in kitchen

Committee Member

2010 – 2014 (Part-time)

Kamloops Food Policy Council; Kamloops, BC

Supervisor: Laura Kalina, RD

- Secured program funding as the main author of various grant applications
- Increased following of social media page by almost 100%
- Conducted food security survey of electoral candidates and published results

Volunteer and Participant – Workshop for Health Professionals April 16, 2012 (8 hours)

'Waisting Away'; Kamloops, BC

Supervisor: Helene Charlebois, RD

• Gained understanding of event management, clinical dietetics and treating obesity

Nutrition Educator

January – May 2011 (40 hours)

Nutrikids; Vancouver, BC

Planned and presented educational nutrition workshops for elementary students

Other

- June 2013: IHHS 408; Field studies in Aboriginal health with Seabird Island Band
- March 2014: FoodSafe Level II certified
- Nov 2006 Aug 2007: Katimavik; Canadian youth volunteer and leadership program