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EDUCATION

College of William and Mary Williamsburg, VA
B.S. Kinesiology and Health Sciences with a concentration in Health Sciences Pre-Physical Therapy
B.A. Integration of Dance, Music, and Theatre Performance Interdisciplinary Study

TECHNICAL SKILLS

MaaS360	Website creation (Weebly, SquareSpace)
Epic (Basic proficiency)	Gimp
PowerPoint	Word
Excel	Google Calendar
Box Office (Square)	iCalendar
Spanish (Beginner Proficiency)	Outlook
Social Media Management (Instagram, Facebook)	

PERSONAL COMPETENCIES

High emotional intelligence	Flexible to situations and personalities
Leader in fast-paced, high-stress environments	Tenacious
Extremely organized	Loyal
Self-motivated	Responsible
Compassionate	Empathetic

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Standardized Patient

<i>VCU Health</i>	Richmond, VA	August 2019-Present
<i>Eastern Virginia Medical School</i>	Norfolk, VA	January 2021-February 2022

- Coach physicians and medical, nursing, social work, and dentistry students on communication, professionalism, and bedside manner through simulations in safe, real-to-life environments using the scientific method.
- 2020 research study partner under Dr. Aaron Anderson of the Critical Communications Group that gathered data on physicians and their ability to deliver bad news in telehealth situations. We were able to enhance communication and create new guidelines to be used worldwide.
- Aide in students and physicians' medical advancement through years of medical school, receiving grants, and adding specialties to their fields of study.
- Lead debriefing sessions after simulations of delivering bad news scenarios (pregnancy loss, death of a family member) and explain how to improve patient experience using the stair step model which I have assisted physicians with refining over the past 4 years.
- Develop simulations for Anesthesia Residents to increase passing rates on their board examinations.
- Provide reflective learning experiences for students to effectively implement techniques in their fast-paced, high-stress working environments using the inquiry/advocacy method as a guide.
- Model patient scenarios to give students feedback on conducting physical exams.
- Train new standardized patients and review footage of patient-provider interactions to give feedback and ensure quality and consistency.

Professional Musical Theatre Performer and Choreographer

Various regional theatres (resume available upon request)

2013-Present

- 10 years performing professionally with theatre companies across the United States.
- Rehired over a dozen times at various theatres because of work that exceeded expectations in high-stress, fast-paced environments.
- Leadership experience as a dance captain and choreographer overseeing casts of 20-80 performers including children and animals.
- Adapt in constantly changing environments, using a high level of emotional intelligence to allow conflicting personalities to be heard while keeping audiences unaware of changing variables.
- Learn hours-long shows to their full extent in a condensed time period.
- Advanced proficiency in ballet, pointe, tap, jazz, musical theatre, and partnering with over 20 years of training.

Performing Arts Studio Owner

The Miller Studio

Richmond, VA

August 2022-Present

- Plan syllabi for weekly performing arts classes adapting to students of all ages and abilities.
- Create and maintain graphic design content as the webmaster of TheMillerStudio.com.
- Coach private dance and audition technique classes to help students thrive in stressful audition environments and continually work to achieve their professional and performance goals.
- Manage front of house, ticket sales, and merchandise for monthly professional performing opportunities at 400-800 seat theaters.
- Aide in students achieving goals of getting cast in shows, performing in public for the first time, and enhancing special awareness.

Dance Instructor

Various studios nationwide (resume available upon request)

2013-Present

- Teach classes focusing on technique, performance, and body conditioning to help students see progress weekly.
- Instill the importance of keeping the body healthy and safe to ensure long careers for young dancers.
- Adapt syllabi to a variety of ages and abilities in the moment while instructing up to 40 students.
- Provide life skills, such as public speaking and body awareness, that students can take beyond a studio into a professional career of any kind.

Physical Therapy Aide

Performing Arts Physical Therapy, Stroma Physical Therapy, Westside Dance Physical Therapy, PhysioArts Physical Therapy, Encore Physical Therapy

New York, NY

June-August 2013

- Assisted physical therapists backstage with weekly maintenance care, rehabilitation, and Pilates exercises for Broadway performers in *Matilda* and *Wicked*.
- Designed a one-of-a-kind internship with leading physical therapists in Manhattan who work with the top musical theatre performing artists in the nation.
- Performed over 200 hours of exercise-based recovery with patients while using equipment and modalities.
- Screened patients ranging from children to the elderly including more athletic individuals and post-surgery patients while taking detailed notes advancing their care to reach their physical goals.
- Taught dance conditioning and injury prevention workshops for young dancers using physical therapy techniques.
- Offered positions with these companies, but unable to relocate at this time.

Special Needs Caregiver

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Chester, VA

April 2012-January 2018

Private Family

Williamsburg, VA

March 2012-May 2015

- Caring for individuals that are incapable of communicating or walking by planning activities for dexterity and exercise around an eating and medication schedule.
- Reporting medical info daily for group home settings using Excel.
- Assisting with transport in and out of wheelchair as well as into the community operating handicap vehicles.
- Accessing G-tube for medication delivery when necessary.
- Adapting non-handicap environments for people of all abilities.

Entrepreneur

Made by Megan

Richmond, VA

2014-Present

- Collaborate with clients to create memorable t-shirt blankets, memory bears, and pillows while keeping our one-for-one mission of donating a blanket for every blanket made.
- Manage over 10K in annual sales every year since 2020 as a sole proprietor.
- Create and maintain content as the webmaster of MadeByMeganGifts.com.
- Donated over 300 blankets in 2021 to children's hospitals, homeless shelters, and women's recovery homes with 400 to be donated by the end of 2023.

Resident Assistant

College of William and Mary Residence Life

Williamsburg, VA

February 2013-May 2015

- Encouraged self-determination, mediate interpersonal conflicts, promote student wellness, and ensure safety.
- Suicide prevention and advocacy for residents dealing with grief and high-stress environments.
- Organized social programs pertaining to self-defense, community building, mental health, and education.

NOTABLE HONORS

We Make for Good Fairfield Donation Award

2018, 2020, 2022

Saber Volunteer Hero Award

2020

Richmond Theatre Critic's Circle Best Choreography Nomination

2019

Equity Membership Candidate (Actors' Equity Association)

2014

William and Mary's Roby Sherman Merit Scholarship

2012, 2013, 2014, 2015