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SKILLS

With more than 25 years of professional experience, I look forward to sharing the following skills:

- Managing paid and volunteer staff to foster a productive and pleasant working environment for all
- Interacting professionally and with customers, colleagues, and clients
- Creating original social media content via Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram
- Copy editing a wide variety of print and online publications, posts, articles, etc.
- Handling a high volume of scheduling requests and organizational needs with utmost accuracy
- Writing speeches and speaking publicly in front of small groups or large crowds
- Publishing blogs, especially on a WordPress platform
- Communicating considerately yet concisely in person, over the phone, and via email at all times
- Proficient with the following organizational/scheduling/media editing tools:
 - o Google Mail, Drive, Calendar, and Keep
 - o GiMP (open source image editor similar to PhotoShop
 - Audacity (audio editor)
 - o Basic HTML
 - Typing up to 70 words per minute
 - o Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- Freelance Writer (CraneWrites.com). 2007-present.
- National Organizer, AFGE. Various locations, October 2017 August 2018.
- Morning Show Host/Program Director, 98.7 FM The FREQ. State College PA, June 2015-October 2017.
- Manager, Webster's Bookstore Cafe. State College PA, March 2014 August 2015.
- Receptionist, Sutliff Buick, GMC, Cadillac. State College PA, October 2013-March 2014.
- Online Content Creator and Webmaster, Auburn University College of Human Sciences. Auburn AL, December 2012 June 2013.
- Communications Specialist, Capital Region BOCES. Albany NY, March 2009 June 2010.
- Organizer/Organizing Director/Union Representative, UNITE HERE. Rochester and Albany NY, June 2005-March 2009.
- Station Manager, Development Director, Afternoon Drive-Time Host at Jazz90.1 (WGMC). Rochester NY, November 2001 November 2004.

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- Operations Producer, WXXI. Rochester NY, September 2001 November 2001.
- Organizer, SEIU. Boston MA, Concord NH, and Rochester NY, July 2000 September 2001.
- Copy Editor, Nikkei News Bulletin (NYC, NY); *The Island Packet* newspaper (Hilton Head Island, SC); **Kyodo News World Service** (Tokyo); *Daily Yomiuri Newspaper* (Tokyo). Various times between January 1997 and June 2000.
- **Saxophonist** (Arizona, New York, Pennsylvania, Japan, South Carolina). Various times between October 1994 and January 2000.
- Radio Reporter (Tokyo), National Public Radio's *Morning Edition*. March 1998 December 1998 (concurrent with other work).
- Radio & TV News Writer, Radio Reporter, Copy Editor, Bloomberg Information Television & Radio (Tokyo). January 1997 June 1997.
- Radio Host, KUAT (classical) and KUAZ (jazz). Tucson, Arizona. September 1995 June 1996.