


Shanara Armstrong

Business Professional

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Dynamic and versatile individual with extensive detailed research and experimental experience. Holds a broad set of analytical and technical skills that would benefit any organization. Proven history of collaboration with cross-functional teams to achieve continuous improvement and far reaching objectives. Proven ability to manage challenging research schedules while working in complex and highly-demanding environments.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Histology Technician

Arkana Laboratories

02/2020 - 04/2021

Little Rock, AR

Delivers exceptional patient care, research and education with one thought in mind: the more we all learn, the more we can do.

Achievements/Tasks

- Prepared sections of human kidney tissue for immediate examination, using rapid tissue processing.
- Cut sections of tissues for microscopic examination using a microtome.
- Operated computerized laboratory equipment to fix, dehydrate, and infiltrate tissue with wax.

Contact: Stephanie Hendrix - (501) 492-7407

Grossing Technician

Dermatology Group of Arkansas

10/2017 - 04/2019

Little Rock, AR

Surgical skin cancer treatment & diagnosis.

Achievements/Tasks

- Received patient specimens into laboratory and stored samples until ready for grossing.
- Printed appropriate grossing protocols and gross dictation procedures.
- Oversaw items in inventory so that they could be reordered before the supply ran out.

Contact: Dr. J. Ahmad Brown - (410) 830-1836

Business Development Manager

Phronesis Group Consulting

03/2015 - 09/2017

Little Rock, AR

PGC offers small business development and financial planning to clients nationwide.

Achievements/Tasks

- Achieved 100% retail reporting coverage by servicing retail accounts within an assigned territory to ensure client standards were met and volume increased.
- Led a group of 4 members to establish an innovative marketing strategy to improve sales for the company.
- Assisted Business Developers in supporting clients' needs by building weekly promo reporting scorecard.
- Created and maintained timelines, client status reports, budget tracker, financial PO numbers, and contracts.

Contact: Anthony Armstrong - (870) 329-1182

SKILLS

Terraform

AWS (EC2, S3)

Master of Priorities

Time Management

Data Collection

Linux Administration

GIT

Troubleshooting

Leader

Ability to multitask

Analytical

Software Troubleshooting

Problem Solving

Ability to work in fast-paced environments

Strong attention to detail and accuracy

ASP.NET

C, C++

Python

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Computer Science

Tulane University

08/2020 - Present

Online

Bachelor of Science in Biology

University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff

08/2012 - 12/2016

Pine Bluff, AR

Courses

- Computer Science
- Mathematics

ACTIVITIES & HONORS

Student Government Association (10/2014 - 05/2016)

Active Member

Carolyn Blakey Honor College (09/2015 - 05/2016)

Active Member

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Social Work Intern

Jefferson Regional Medical Center

05/2019 - 11/2019

Pine Bluff, AR

Tasks/Achievements

- Provided case management skills to patients of many departments.
- Facilitated psychosocial groups.
- Ensured proper documentation of patient interaction.

CONFERENCES & COURSES

Cloud Computing with Amazon Web Service

Udemy

Google Cloud Platform Concepts

Udemy

Learning Microsoft Azure Part 1

Udemy