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## Megan J. McHattie

Experienced Public Speaker Good Knowledge of Microsoft Office Products High Level of Technical Problem Solving Familiarity with Adobe Creative Suite Aptitude for Communication



Bachelor of Arts Degree University of Minnesota Journalism

Experience

## RESOURCE INC 2009 – present Trainer – Ramsey County DWP/MFIP

- Generating content for workshops and seminars
  - Facilitating program overviews, completion of enrollment paperwork
    - Creating and maintaining work related social media outlets
    - Providing consultation services to employment guidance counselers
    - Collecting, compiling workshop data; generating reports, evaluating workshop effectiveness and implementing necessary changes for improvement

Education

- Aiding participants in resume production; proofing, editing, making suggestions on lay-out and presentation
- Providing group and one-on-one job search assistance
- Presending information to groups of 30 or participants

## THE MINNESOTA DAILY 2006 – 2007 Staff Photographer / Freelance Writer

- Shot quality photography within deadlines
- Remained on-call for breaking news assignments and last minute stories
- Assisted in photo editing, cropping, and color correction for publication
- Traveled by car or airplane to away sporting events and other assignments
- Utilized working knowledge of Nikon digital cameras, remote flash systems, Adobe Photoshop & In-Design, and Microsoft Office software
  - Wrote accurate, informative, and concise cutlines for publication
    - Generated and pitched freelance story ideas; researched and wrote stories for publication on a freelance basis

## THOMSON PROMETRIC 2001 – 2005 National Support Specialist IT

- Resolved technical issues remotly for over 250 testing sites across the United States
- Fixed hardware, software, and data related issues in-house and via phone, e-mail, and proxy server
- Oversaw nightly data transfer and end-of-dayclosing procedures
- Supervised employees in-house and at national testing sites, resolved escalated customer concerns
- Assisted system programmers with trouble shooting and fixing crashes.