

Curriculum Vitae

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BUSINESS ADDRESS

Vocational Economics, Inc.
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DATE OF BIRTH: May 20, 1980

EDUCATION:

1/07 to 5/08 University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky
College of Education
Master of Rehabilitation Counseling
Certified Rehabilitation Counselor, #108803.

9/98 to 6/02 University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio
McMicken College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Arts with Honors in Economics
Concentration in Labor Economics

WORK EXPERIENCE:

1/06 - Present Vocational Economics, Inc.
Vocational Analyst (May '08-present)
Analyze loss of earning capacity in cases of total disability, partial disability, and death. Provide vocational rehabilitation counseling, assessments, and consultation to clients with and without disabilities.

Case Manager, January '06 to May '08
Assisted experts in analyzing loss of earning capacity in cases of total disability, partial disability, and death. Managed and coordinated case intake and report preparation.

3/05 to 12/05 Real Estate Agent

Louisville, Kentucky

Responsible for all aspects of residential real estate property transactions including determination of appropriate market price, comparable market listings, and proper completion of legal documents. Requires advanced knowledge of real estate law.

1/04 to 8/04 Fastenal Co.

Assistant Manager/Inside Sales Associate
Fairfield, Ohio and Louisville, Kentucky

Supervised four employees assisting corporate and individual customers with construction and fasteners needs. Requires advanced knowledge of materials used in construction. Assisted customers in determining proper fastener to complete projects.

12/02 to 1/04 Henry M. Wood Co.

Lead Inside Sales Associate
West Chester, Ohio

Supervised and trained employees to assist corporate customers with industrial fitting needs including pneumatic valves, tubing, fittings, and hydraulic cylinders. Instrumental in implementation of new computer operating system.

3/99 to 8/02 Wurth/Service Supply Company
Business Unit Manager (3/02-8/02)
Inside sales associate (3/01-3/02)
Sales clerk (3/99-3/01)

Glendale, Ohio

Assisted corporate customers with fastener needs. Instrumental in implementation and training on new computer operating system. Worked closely with sheltered employment workshop to assist persons with disabilities with job opportunities. Youngest business unit manager in company history.

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS:

Gamboa, Anthony M Jr., et al. "A Vocational Economic Rationale." *Estimating Earning Capacity: A Journal of Debate and Discussion* 2, no. 2 (2009): 97-123.

Ford, Sara A., and Jacquelyn Vega Velez, "Issues in Gender Assignments: Appropriate Use of Male Worklife Expectancy Data for Females." *Trial Talk* Colorado Trial Lawyers Association April/May 2009 Volume 9, Issue 3.

Ford, Sara A., "Defining Earning Capacity Loss for Lightning Strike/Electrical Shock Survivors." Presentation given at Lightning Strike and Electric Shock Survivors International Conference, Myrtle Beach, SC, August 7-8, 2009.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS:

Awarded Hewitt Kautz Fellowship for outstanding performance in the field of economics.
Member, Omnicron Delta Epsilon, business and economics honors fraternity.

SERVICE:

Treasurer, University of Cincinnati Flying Club (1/01 to 6/02)

MEMBERSHIPS:

International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals
Support Team Member, Worthington Fire Department

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