

Stacy Kenney

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EDUCATION

University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH

Expected graduation, May 2019, Honors in Major

Major: Communication Sciences and Disorders

Minor: Psychology

GPA: 3.81/ Major GPA: 3.97

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Honors Thesis, Durham, NH- *First Author*

September 2018 - Present

- Conduct research for a honors thesis on language within probable Alzheimer's disease
- Present results at the 2018 ASHA Convention

Laboratory of Speech and Language Neuroscience, Durham, NH- *Research Assistant*

September 2017 - Present

- Study aphasia, traumatic brain injury, and dementia
- Awarded funding by the Hamel Center for Undergraduate Research Spring 2018
- Spent time weekly observing and recruiting members at Krempels Center
- Trained with Chat/Clan software for transcriptions and SPSS for statistical analyses
- Trained to administer the AphasiaBank protocol and conducted one-on-one sessions with aphasic patients

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Krempels Center, Portsmouth, NH- *Intern*

August 2018- December 2018

- Facilitate two group therapy sessions daily
- Coordinate sessions in advance to improve the critical communication and life skills for members with brain injury

Alzheimer's Association, Bedford NH- *TrialMatch Lead*

May 2018- September 2018

- Collaborated with researchers in New Hampshire to recruit clinical trials focusing on dementia for the TrialMatch database
- Coordinated volunteers at Alzheimer's Association walks to advocate for clinical trials and enroll participants

Warde Rehabilitation Center, Windham, NH- *Activities Assistant*

June 2017 - March 2018

- Trained on how to effectively communicate with residents
- Developed and facilitated activities to engage individuals with dementia, post-stroke trauma, and other cognitive impairments
- Ensured resident's safety and well being effectively with other staff members

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Dimond Hill Farm, Concord, NH — *Store Employee*

May 2013 - Present

- Organize store displays and coordinate inventory with suppliers
- Supervise cashiers and manage customer service

Pats Peak Ski Resort, Henniker, NH — *Snowboard Instructor*

Nov. 2012 - Apr. 2013

- Taught children and adults beginner techniques while creating a positive experience
- Provided specialized coaching to children with special needs

SKILLS/TRAINING

Excel and SPSS

Chat/Clan software

Administer AphasiaBank Protocol

Facilitate group activity/therapy sessions

INVOLVEMENT

UNH Serves

- Volunteered at Chase's Home for Children

- Volunteered at Waysmeet Food pantry

UNH Psychology Club

UNH Upper Quad Hall Council

UNH Craft Crazy Club

UNH NSSLHA

National NSSLHA