

Holly Sesker

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EDUCATION

The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

Anticipated May 2020

B.A., Human Services with an Emphasis in Aging

- Minor: Health and the Human Condition
- GPA: 3.85/4.0

CIEE Global Institute, Copenhagen, Denmark

June-July 2019

Concentration in Danish History

- Published a study abroad narrative and received honors credit

HONORS AND AWARDS

Honors Program

January 2017-Present

Dean's List

August 2016-May 2019

U of I National Scholars Award

\$2,500/semester

Iowa Heritage Award

\$750/semester

WORK EXPERIENCE

Customer Service Representative

March 2018-Present

UI Treasury Operations, Iowa City, IA

- Assisted students, faculty and staff, and the general public in understanding university policies and bills
- Made outgoing courtesy calls to non-students with past due university bills and retrieved payments
- Mastered the university information systems and databases (MAUI, Service Manager, ID Production, DNA)

Part-Time Caregiver

May 2017-August 2017, May 2019

Private Residence, Omaha, NE

- Assisted 19-year-old client who has Rett Syndrome with bathing, dressing, and other personal hygiene needs
- Prepared meals, administered medication, provided reliable transportation, and organized a daily schedule
- Used patience and flexibility to coordinate adventurous activities and create a memorable summer

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Service-Learning Volunteer

September 2016-Present

Emerson Point Assisted Living, Iowa City, IA

- Over 80 logged hours as a Mercy Hospital certified volunteer
- Led biweekly nail painting sessions and board game activities for tenants
- Spent quality time with tenants to improve their social lives and overall quality of life

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

August 2019-Present

University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics: Neurology Department, Iowa City, IA

- Precisely entered data for baseline, 3-months, and 6 months
- Made outgoing calls to older adult research participants to follow-up on data collection
- Learned how to administer 12 neuropsychology tests to research participants

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Member, University of Iowa Best Buddies

August 2016-Present

- Secretary

August 2017-Present

Member, Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority

August 2016-Present

- Philanthropy Committee

August 2016-Present

- Scholarship Committee

August 2016-May 2017