

Corryn Patterson

*College Student &
Aspiring Scholar*
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Objective: *Currently looking for a position that will develop my writing, graphic design, project management, and communication skills.*

About Me: Knowledge-seeking undergraduate researcher **double-majoring in English and philosophy** at Coastal Carolina University. Armed with **varied work experience** and distinguished knowledge of academic **critical inquiry in English and philosophical fields**. Demonstrates meticulous **attention to detail**, strong **organizational skills**, ambitious **efficiency**, and quality **customer service**. Dedicated to academics, pursuing a doctorate degree in composition and rhetoric (an analysis-based field in English studies) to become a **research scholar** and **professor** of English.

Skills

Advanced **comprehension and research skills**
Academic and creative **writing**
Grammatical knowledge and **editing**
Graphic design (Adobe Photoshop)
Video editing
Microsoft & Google programs
Experience with Windows, Mac, and Linux

Experience

Coastal Carolina University / Edwards Research Fellow
JANUARY 2017 - PRESENT, CONWAY, SC

One of 12 freshman students referred by professors for the **highly selective** Edwards College of Humanities and Fine Arts Research Fellowship program. Actively conducting research projects under professor mentorship. Learning **research mastery**, **effective time management**, and **presentation/publishing skills** in competitions, conferences, and academic journals.

Coastal Carolina University / Philosophy Tutor
FEBRUARY 2020 - PRESENT, CONWAY, SC

One of 2 high-performing philosophy majors chosen by the department head to **tutor students** on topics such as sentential, symbolic, and modal logic systems; metaphysics; ethics and more. Requires **advanced understanding** of the field as well as **communication**, **patience**, and **teaching skills**.

Coastal Carolina University / Student Worker/Admin Assistant
SEPTEMBER 2018 - PRESENT, CONWAY, SC

Assistant to the administrative specialist of the English department. Responsible for tasks such as **assisting** faculty with their needs; copying, scanning, and delivering files; organizing course schedule information per semester; etc. Frequent use of **Microsoft Word and Excel**.

[Work experience continued on next page.]

Vector Marketing / **Cutco Sales Associate**

MAY 2019 - AUGUST 2019, CONWAY, SC

Made multiple sales for reputable **fine kitchen cutlery company Cutco** through **in-house product demonstrations**. Amassed total **career sales of nearly \$10,000** and received three promotions. Learned invaluable communication skills in **making appointments** by phone call, establishing **trustworthy connections** with strangers in their own homes, and **delivering information clearly and persuasively**.

Food Lion / **Cashier Sales Associate**

NOVEMBER 2016 - JUNE 2017, MOORESVILLE, NC

Grocery store experience in accurate cash handling, scanning and bagging items with **quickness and efficiency**, and properly stocking products/processing out expired products from shelves. Manager received **multiple compliments** from customers on experiencing **exceptional customer service and a happy attitude**.

Education

Coastal Carolina University / **BA of Philosophy & English**

AUGUST 2017 - CURRENTLY ATTENDING, CONWAY, SC

Currently pursuing **bachelors degree in both English and philosophy**, maintaining a **4.0 GPA** throughout (at 5-6 classes per semester). Working **three concurrent jobs** (detailed on first page).

Oxford High School, Avon High School, & Homeschool

2013 - 2017, OXFORD, CT; AVON, OH; MOORESVILLE, NC

Attended two public high schools during freshman and sophomore years and graduated through a homeschool curriculum, which enforced **polishing time- and information-management skills** and ability to **learn independently**.

Awards

President's List awards, maintaining **4.0 GPA every semester** ('17-'19)

HTC Honors College Excellence Award ('19)

Member of international **English honors society**, Sigma Tau Delta ('19)

Member of international **philosophy honors society**, Phi Sigma Tau ('20)

Edwards **Research Fellowship Award** ('18)

Sophomore of the Year in Philosophy award ('18-'19)

Freshman of the Year in English award ('17-'18)

References

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