EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in <u>Psychology</u> Wartburg College, Waverly, IA Cumulative GPA: 3.566/4.0 Minors: <u>Community Sociology</u>, <u>Spanish</u>, and <u>Art</u>

LANGUAGE SKILLS

• Proficient in conversational Spanish (Study Abroad: Cuernavaca, Mexico, May 2007)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

 Advanced Research Methods & Data Analysis, Wartburg College Sept. 2007 – May 2008 <u>Independent Research Topic</u>:

May 2010

Social comparison of siblings & peers on academic performance & achievement motivation

- Edited and submitted protocols and other required research documentation.
- Obtained informed consent of from all research subjects.
- Performed descriptive and multivariate statistical analyses of data, using SPSS.
- Verified the accuracy and validity of data entered in databases.
- Prepared tables, graphs, fact sheets, and written reports summarizing research results.
- Developed and implemented a step by step process to maintain quality control.
- Conducted library and internet-based research based on research topic.
- Presented research findings to campus community.
- Accepted to present at Midwestern Psychology Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 2009

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

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•	<u>Student Ambassador</u>	Sept. 2008 – Present
	 Assist college admissions directors in recruiting prospective students Participate in panels where Wartburg students share their experience to the prospectives Give tours of the college campus to prospective students 	
•	<u>Gospel Choir: Voices of Praise member</u> – Wartburg College	Sept. 2008 - Present
	- Rehearse twice a week	
	- Perform around Iowa throughout the year	
•	<u>Student Athlete</u> – Wartburg College Track & Field	Sept. 2007 – Present
	- Encourage and motivate team members	-
	- Improvement with time management skills between academics and athletics	
OR	K EXPERIENCE	
•	Spanish Tutor, 3 rd grader: Waverly, IA June	e 2008 – August 2008
	- Taught Spanish to a young girl once a week	0
	 Organized and structured creative lesson plans 	
•	Big Brothers Big Sisters Intern: Waverly, IA	June 2008 – Sept. 2008
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- Called references for big brothers/sisters background check
- Acquired paperwork for background checks and interviews

WORK EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

- Admissions counselor assistant: Wartburg College, Waverly, IA
 - Organize high school visits
 - Send information to high school students interested in Wartburg
 - Call prospective students
- Pharmacist Technician: Meyer Pharmacy, Waverly, IA June 2007 January 2008
 - Answered the phone and helped customers order and receive their prescriptions
 - Filled and prepared the prescriptions for the pharmacist to check
 - Filled, cleaned, and maintained the robot that fills I utilized for some of the prescriptions
- Transaction Banker (Teller): 1st National Bank, Waverly, IA June 2006 February 2007
 - Performed transactions with customers in person, in the drive up, and on the phone
 - Was able to answer any questions customers may have had
 - Confidentiality and security of all account and personal information of customers and the bank was maintained
- Child Caretaker: Waverly, IA
 - Transported the two boys to Parks and Recreation activities
 - Prepared meals and helped them with their homework
 - Reinforced their summer chore list and helped them expand their education by practicing school subjects in the summer

REFERENCES

Dr. Shaheen Munir Professor of Psychology Work: 319-352-8458 shaheen.munir@wartburg.edu

Melinda Pitt Big Brothers Big Sisters Mentor Coordinator Work: 319-352-2813 melinda@iowabigs.org

Alan Johnson Wartburg College Admissions Counselor Work: 319-352-8473 alan.johnson@wartburg.edu

Bill and Beth Havlovic Home: 319-352-3990 2003 - 2008

Fall 2007 – Present