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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

FIELD REPRESENTATIVE | U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES | THE OFFICE OF CONGRESSMAN KEVIN BRADY MAY 2016 – CUR.

Serve as the Member's "man on the ground" in the District. Advance and staff the Member at various events throughout the 9-county District. Act as a liaison between local elected officials and the Member. Schedule, plan, and execute public and private events for the Member. Meet with various community leaders to get feedback on federal issues and provide information to the Member.

PUBLIC POLICY INTERN I U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES | THE OFFICE OF CONGRESSMAN KEVIN BRADY JAN – MAY 2016

As part of Texas A&M University's Agricultural and Natural Resources Policy Internship Program, tasks include staffing the office in Washington, D.C., handling constituent correspondence, writing letters, researching agricultural and natural resources issues, preparing policy memos for the Congressman and the Legislative Staff, attending hearings and briefings, and general support of the staff.

PHOTOGRAPHER | FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY

MAY 2012 - MAY 2016

Work with teams of increasing size to produce ultra-high quality photographs of every graduating student from Texas A&M University during numerous Commencement ceremonies throughout each year. Our team's responsibility has grown every year of my involvement and is now over 10,000 photographed students per year.

INSURANCE SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE | TEXAS FARM BUREAU INSURANCE

AUG 2011 - JAN 2016

Responsibilities included selling and servicing insurance policies and other services that protect individuals and businesses from financial loss resulting from automobile accidents, fire, theft, storms, and other events that damage property, all while supporting the mission of Texas Farm Bureau to be the *Voice of Agriculture* by maintaining active memberships of over 4,600 families in Brazos County, Texas.

PRESIDENT & CEO | GLOBULEZ, LLC

2010 - 2011

Oversaw the startup of a youth entertainment company focusing on Texas fairs, festivals, carnivals, and special events. Became an industry leader by creating a popular, clean, safe, memorable image, brand, and operation. Responsible for developing business plan, strategic planning, forecasting, budgeting, and execution.

MASTER CERTIFIED SALES CONSULTANT | JENNINGS ANDERSON FORD

2009 - 2010

Duties included developing new and assisting current clients in identifying and purchasing the proper vehicle to match their needs and wants. Maintained top sales performance throughout my tenure with the dealership; was consistently in the top 5 in total sales.

MANAGER | LIMESTONE GRILLE & YE KENDALL INN

2008 - 2009

Managed a staff of over 10 individuals with varying responsibilities while maintaining the highest level of customer satisfaction though intimate interaction with patrons and highly trained staff. Handled product ordering, sales, menu writing, and marketing while increasing revenues through new, innovative, localized, and personal marketing techniques and methods.

SKILLS & ACTIVITIES

LEADERSHIP

Secretary of Brazos Union Masonic Lodge | 2005-2006 State Secretary of Texas Technology Students Association | Former President of The Kendall County Republican Club | Former Parliamentarian of The Republican Party of Kendall County | Former Vice-Chair of City of Boerne Ethics Review Committee | Former Student Council President | Past Master Councilor of San Antonio Chapter – Order of DeMolay | Past Illustrious Knight Commander – Albert Pike Priory | Speaker of the House – Texas DeMolay Association

COMMUNITY

Member, The Federalist Society | Member, Texas State Society | Former Board Member, Republican Party of Kendall County Executive Committee | Former Member, Kendall County Courthouse Rededication Committee | Fellow, Grand College of Rites | Member, The Masonic Society | Board Member, Texas Hill Country DeMolay | Member, Kendall (897), Brazos Union (129), & St. Alban's (1455) Masonic Lodges | Member, Alzafar Shrine | Former Board Member, National Technology Students Alumni Association Council | Alumni Representative, Texas TSA Board of Directors | Vice Chairman, City of Boerne Ethics Review Commission | Election Judge, Kendall County Elections

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE | TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

ONGOING STUDIES

Major: Agriculture Leadership and Development | Emphasis: Agriculture Policy & Government

ASSOCIATES OF ARTS | BLINN COLLEGE

GRADUATED: 2014

Major: Agriculture