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Education

The University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY
M.A. student, Geography, expected graduation: December 2007
Advisor: Dr. Sue Roberts
GPA: 4.0

The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA
B.A., International Politics, 2004
B.A., French Language and Culture, 2004

Professional Experience

Environmental Public Outreach Specialist, Hoffman Environmental Research Institute
Bowling Green, KY (web-based position): January 2007- present

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Kentucky Department of Geography
Lexington, KY: August- December 2006

Tutor, Obunsha Academy of the Bluegrass
Lexington, KY: July- December 2006

Undergraduate Research Assistant, Penn State University Department of Geography
State College, PA: Summer and Fall 2004

Book Review Editor, *disClosure*, University of Kentucky Committee on Social Theory
Lexington, KY: Spring and Fall 2006

Photo Lab Technician, CVS Pharmacy
Pittsburgh, PA and State College, PA: April 1998- May 2002
Pittsburgh, PA: December 2004- August 2005

Intern, Lubrizol Corporation
Rouen, France: Summer 2003

Intern, SOLLAC Atlantique
Dunkirk, France: Summer 2002

Tutor, Penn State University Department of French
State College, PA: Fall 2003 and Spring 2004

Awards and Honors

Kentucky Opportunity Fellowship, The Graduate School, University of Kentucky
Academic Year 2005-2006 (*\$15,000 + full tuition*)

Graduate Travel Grant, The Graduate School, University of Kentucky
July 2006 (*\$800*)

Graduate Travel Grant, The Graduate School, University of Kentucky
June 2006 (\$800)

Summer Institute Scholarship, International Institute for Women in Engineering, Ecole D'Ingénieurs Généraliste
July 2003 (*full tuition*)

International Travel Grant, Cooperative Education Program, Pennsylvania State University
May 2003 (\$1,500)

International Travel Grant, Cooperative Education Program, Pennsylvania State University
May 2002 (\$1,500)

Publications

2007. *African Gender Studies*
Book review, forthcoming in *Progress in Development Studies*

Research Interests

Political Geography, Economic Geography, Development Studies, Theories of Development and Anti-Development, Social Theory, Social Justice, Feminist Geography, Feminist Theory, Critical Geography

Computer Skills

Programming: C++
OS: Windows XP/2K/ME/NT/98/95, Mac OS, LAN, DOS
Web and Design: Basic Photoshop and GoLive

Professional Service

Graduate Student Representative, Colloquium Committee
Fall 2005-Spring 2006

Secretary and Exchange Student Coordinator, International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience (IAESTE Penn State)
Fall 2001- Summer 2003

Foreign Languages

French, Near Fluent
German, Limited Conversational

Travel Experience

North America: Canada, Mexico, United States
Europe: Belgium, Cyprus, England, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Scotland, Spain, Switzerland
East Asia: Cambodia, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand
Middle East: Lebanon