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## **OBJECTIVE**

Obtain a full-time position as an Electrical Engineer and Lighting Designer to utilize and enhance my knowledge and skills of engineering and design.

## **EDUCATION**

#### The Pennsylvania State University

Integrated Bachelor and Master of Architectural Engineering – Lighting/Electrical Option 5-Year Professional Degree – ABET Accredited

University Park, PA Class of 2009

#### Sede di Roma - Study Abroad Program

**Architecture Studies Minor** 

Rome, Italy Summer of 2007

EIT status upon graduation

Cumulative GPA: **3.78/4.00** M.A.E. GPA: **4.00/4.00** 

## WORK EXPERIENCE

SmithGroup Summer '08

• Assisted in the lighting design, calculations, and documentation for the National Intrepid Center of Excellence, a state of the art medical facility on the National Naval Medical Base in Bethesda, MD.

- Gained an enhanced understanding of control systems in numerous types of spaces.
- Corresponded with lighting representatives to obtain and select lighting fixtures.
- Sized and circuited electrical equipment and wiring for a variety of projects.

## **Alexander Building Construction, LLC**

Summer '07

- Worked closely with the Project Engineer to oversee work on the new Geisinger Health System Grays Woods Ambulatory Care Center.
- Completed takeoffs of construction documents to obtain quantities of work.
- Reviewed and updated shop drawings while tracking and documenting RFIs and RFPs.

#### The Whiting-Turner Contracting Company

Organized meetings, site tours, and bid out the abatement and IH work.

Summer '06

- Assisted in bidding a job by completing takeoffs, contacting subcontractors, and completing closeout paperwork.
- Corresponded with subcontractors and owner in order to complete the punch list for the renovation of the Garrett-Jacobs Mansion in Baltimore, MD.

## **LEADERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES**

## Illuminating Engineering Society (IES), Penn State Student Chapter

Fall '07-present

- Appointed to the position of Student Chapter President for the 2008-2009 school year.
- Plan events and presentations that increase students' exposure to the lighting industry.

## **Architectural Engineering Envoy**

Fall '06-present

- Selected by the AE Department to represent the major to prospective AE students.
- Give tours and provide information regarding the program and its opportunities.

## **Operations Committee, Penn State Dance Marathon (THON)**

Fall '06-present

- Participate in the largest student run philanthropy, raising money for The Four Diamonds Fund.
- Assist in the setup, cleanup, and other duties necessary throughout the 46 hour event.

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- AGI
- Autodesk AutoCAD & VIZ
- Autodesk Revit MEP & Architecture
- Adobe Photoshop & InDesign
- Daysim

#### HONORS

- Dean's List (all semesters)
- Howard Brandston Student Lighting Design Education Grant
- SmithGroup Scholarship
- Phi Alpha Epsilon, AE Honor Society