

RITA KIEN

PROFILE

Recent college graduate with a Master's of Biological Sciences committed to delivering high quality, responsive services. Practical projects and teamwork experiences during degree studies have revealed exceptional strengths in critical problem solving, analysis, project leadership and troubleshooting. Easily adaptable to changes, with and eagerness towards learning and expanding capabilities.

EXPERIENCE

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY, Boca Raton, Florida 2010 to 2011
Teacher's Assistant

Interned in undergraduate classroom by teaching Anatomy and Physiology Lab, creating, administering, and correcting tests, recording attendance, and exercising good conduct

- Assisted students by providing individualized instruction based on observation.
- Produced narrative reports to inform parents of progress and challenges.
- Managed classrooms, followed classroom outlines, and provided instruction.

MR. RON STERLING, Lake Worth, Florida 2008 to Present
Maintenance / Accounting

Function efficiently as part of a team consisting of up to ten members. Manage and perform general maintenance duties, including painting, construction and general grounds upkeep.

- General accounting.
- Repair and install plumbing, electrical wiring.
- Perform residential construction.
- Handle a wide range of carpentry jobs

SEAMIST ENTERPRISES, Boynton Beach, Florida 2000 to 2005
1st & 2nd Mate

Worked under the guidance of captains and crewmembers.

VOLUNTEER WORK EXPERIENCE

WELLNESS ADVOCATE VOLUNTEER EDUCATORS, Boca Raton, Florida 1996 to 2011
Activities on campus concentrate on teaching and promoting healthy lifestyle and teaching the health risks associated with smoking, drinking and driving, and drug and alcohol abuse among other subjects. Participated in annual conferences.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Boynton Beach, Florida 2000 to 2009
Leading and assisting in youth group activities as well as assist in teaching Sunday school classes to children from the age of 3 to 10 years old. Have previously been involved in teaching Vacation Bible School.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY, Boca Raton, Florida

Directed Independent Study

Acknowledged for my participation in Master's thesis project with Mr. James Smith, Sulfide Effects On Thalassia Testudinum Carbon Balance And Adenylate Energy Charge

Assisted Miss Erin C. Sterling on her Master's thesis project, A Comparative Approach To Understanding Hatchling Sea Turtle Metabolism During Emergence. Obtain field experience in collecting blood samples, taking temperature readings, collecting air samples from relocated nest chambers, relocating nests, and by determining other factors

EDUCATION

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY, Boca Raton, Florida

2000

Masters, Biological Sciences

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY, Boca Raton, Florida

Bachelor of Science, Biological Sciences - Premedical / Pre-professional Studies

ADDITIONAL SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE

- Intermediate Spanish speaker
- Computer skills and Internet savvy
- Teaching Practices, Classroom Dynamics, Lecture Techniques
- Well-Developed Communication Skills
- Skilled in team teaching and interfacing with students, colleagues, and administration
- Team Building, Training, and Development