# KRISTEN SHIFFLETT

#### **EDUCATION**

B.A. in English: Concentration in Writing & Rhetoric, Minor in Electronic Journalism, George Mason University, May 2016

- Cumulative GPA: 3.30
- Relevant coursework: Web Authoring & Design, Document Design, Professional & Technical Writing, Online Journalism, News Writing & Reporting, News Editing

### A.A. in Liberal Arts, Northern Virginia Community College, August 2012

- Cumulative GPA: 3.413 (Cum laude)
- Member of the academic honor society, Phi Theta Kappa

## WORK EXPERIENCE

# Macy's, Arlington, VA Sales Associate

July 2014 -Present

- Exceeded customers' expectations while generating sales
- Met and surpassed sales goals
- Offered timely service with a positive attitude while assisting customers
- Provided product information and recommended different product options to customers
- Handled cash, check, and credit card transactions via Macy's POS system

# Star Selling Ambassador (SSA), Nov. 2015 - Jan. 2016

- Utilized problem solving skills to resolve customer issues
- Assigned tasks and goals to associates
- Managed merchandise replenishment on department sales floor
- Provided additional training to seasonal associates on customer service, procedures, and in product knowledge

# Maloney & Mohsen, PLLC, Washington, DC Legal Assistant

Aug. 2011 -July 2013

- Conducted and assisted on over 30 introductory interviews with prospective clients
- Facilitated case management and utilized strong communication skills through calls and letters with clients and insurance agents
- Aided in training and supervising four summer interns and one legal assistant/receptionist in their responsibilities and duties
- Maintained physical and computer database case files in organization, upkeep, and production of records
- Prepared expense packets for over 100 insurance claims
- Reviewed medical records & billing for accuracy and claims relevancy

#### Data Entry Clerk - Aug. 2011 - Sept. 2011

- Quickly learned use of Needles and entered case data for over 100 files.
- Performed receptionist duties i.e. answering phones, taking messages

#### **SKILLS**

- Experienced in most Microsoft Office programs, MS Word, Outlook, PowerPoint, etc.
- Extensive experience with Needles, a legal case management software program
- Basic to intermediate experience in coding HTML and CSS
- Basic to intermediate experience in using Adobe InDesign and Photoshop
- Extensive experience with various academic research databases
- Approximately 65 wpm typing speed; 350 wpm reading speed