

Jacob P. Crescent

**Education**

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, Gainesville, FL *Graduated May 2012*

B.A. in History with **Minor** in East-Central European Studies and **Minor** in Medieval and Early Modern Studies

*GPA 3.37/4.0 Cum Laude*

LAND O’ LAKES HIGH SCHOOL, Land O’ Lakes, FL *Graduated May 2008*

*Summa Cum Laude*

**Professional Experience**

* *ESL Instructor,* Brighton Junior School, Nowon-gu, Seoul, Korea, February 2014-July 2014
  + Built strong instructional skills teaching 5 different levels of students every week ranging from kindergarten to 4thgrade.
  + Developed time management skills balancing the schedules of 5 different levels of English speakers
  + Gained experience in working with individuals of another background and work culture working at a Korean private English academy
* *Store Manager,* Abercrombie and Fitch Co., July 2012-August 2013
* Built strong leadership, instructional and communication skills leading a management team of two assistant, a manager-in-training and 50-70 teenagers and young adults
* Exercised personal responsibility and accountability overseeing the recruiting, hiring, and termination processes of a 50-70 person workforce
* Gained experience in planning and attacking long term goals reducing store’s inventory loss by nearly 50% in 6 months
* *Assistant Store Manager,* Abercrombie and Fitch Co., July 2012-December 2012
  + Gained immense experience in multi tasking and time management, carrying out daily retail operations at high-volume company location. 40hrs/wk.
  + Exercised leadership skills, leading a team of 5-10 teenagers and young adults daily to achieve often demanding and time sensitive tasks
  + Built strong interpersonal skills and team building working with management team in recruiting, hiring, terminating, and managing a workforce of approximately 50 teenagers and young adults.
* *Intern*, George A. Smathers Libraries Special and Area Studies Collections, August 2011- December 2011, University of Florida
  + Handled historic collections, familiarized with archiving techniques
  + Gained basic experience in web design-designed and fabricated two reference websites for digital collection access by researchers:
  + Gained experience with and utilized computer skills in MS office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
* *Intern,* Samuel Proctor Oral History Program, January 2012-May 2012, University of Florida
  + Learned basic skills in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) for independent project dealing with historical geospatial analysis of African American communities in Gainesville, FL
  + Gained extensive experience working under minimal supervision as interns were expected to complete objectives on their own time schedule.

**Skills and Other Experience**

* General understanding of Korean culture
* Current E-2 visa holder with 1 year working experience in South Korea (Seoul)
* Proficient in German Language and basic Russian.
* Familiar with computer programming –JavaScript, Python, HTML and CSS