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### **Summary of Qualifications**

- *Committed, energetic, well organized Occupational Therapist*
  - *Excellent communication and interpersonal skills*
  - *Strong team player who can work well within a multi-disciplinary environment*
  - *Compassionate and patient when working with clients and their families*
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### **Education**

- 2003 – Present      Master of Health Administration  
University of British Columbia
- 1999 – 2003        Bachelor of Medical Rehabilitation (Occupational Therapy)  
University of Manitoba; GPA: 3.95  
Degree conferred: May 2003

### **Awards and Scholarships**

- Dean's Honour List('01, '03) University 1 Honour List('00)
- Canada Millennium Scholarship ('01, '03)
- Honourable Mention Prize Awarded by The Arthritis Society for a school project ('02)
- The Royal Canadian Legion Scholarship (for excellence in academic achievement)('01)
- UMSU Scholarship (for high academic achievement)('00)
- Hogg Centennial Scholarship (for high standing on admission to University 1)('99)
- Advance Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB) Scholarship Enhancement ('99)

### **Work Experience**

- Oct 2003 – Present      **Occupational Therapist, RehabCare Group Inc.**  
- Activities of daily living skills (ADLs)  
- Muscular strengthening and endurance training & Range of motion (ROM) activities  
- Coordination, balance, fine motor skills exercises  
- Higher living skills assessment and teaching & caregiver teaching and training  
- In-home visitations for adapting environment to increase safety and independence
- May 2003            **Exhibitor, National Occupational Therapy Conference**
- Summer, 2001      **Rehab Assistant, Parkview Place**  
- Provided and fixed equipment/aids for the residents.  
- Assisted residents in walking and ROM programs and charted the progress.  
- Coached resident's feeding at breakfast and lunch.  
- Assessed appropriate method of transfer for residents

### **Clinical Education**

- Jan.-Feb. 2003      **Rehabilitation Hospital, HSC, Winnipeg, MB. Neurology**  
(6 weeks)  
- Mid to older adult with CVA, TBI or other neurological conditions.  
- Worked in a multidisciplinary team under minimum supervision.  
- Conducted initial interviews, functional & cognitive assessments, & home visits.  
- Intervened with ADL retraining, NDT, remedial activities, visual/ cognitive/ perceptual remediation/compensation techniques.  
- Experienced with SMD w/c form & CTS referrals.
- July-Aug. 2002      **Rehabilitation Centre for Children – Switched-on Computer Camp**  
(8 weeks)  
- Planned and designed camps for 14 campers aged 5 to 18 with various disabilities under minimum supervision.  
- Practiced computer, motor and power w/c driving skills & sensory activities.

- Reports regarding campers' experiences at camp, activities enjoyed and recommendations were provided to school OT & parents.

April-June 2002  
(6 weeks)

**Riverview Health Centre – Personal Care Home & Chronic Care**

- Mid adult to old adult under moderate supervision with dementia & brain injury.
- Prepared and conducted individual and group art sessions.
- Reality orientated patients and involved in sensory stimulation group.
- Revamped guidelines for postural seating process and led discussion groups.
- Assessed pt for seating & w/c needs.

Feb.-April 2002  
(6 weeks)

**PsychHealth Centre, HSC, Winnipeg, MB. Mental Health**

- Schizophrenia, personality or depressive disorders pt 18+ under mod supervision.
- Observed & performed initial interviews and conducted intervention sessions
- Planned & co-facilitated 6 educational sessions on Anger Management.
- Presented a patient case study. SOAP used for charting.

September 2001  
(4 weeks)

**Children's Hospital, HSC, Winnipeg, MB. Child Health**

- Observed and conducted physical and standard examinations with clients aged 0-4 yrs., with high risk of developmental problems and motor functioning deficits.
- Provided suggestions and handouts to parents to facilitate motor skills.
- Completed a literature review project.

April – May 2001  
(4 weeks)

**Rehabilitation Hospital, HSC, Winnipeg, MB. Rheumatology Service**

- Post THR, TKR or fractures patients aged 18+ under supervision.
- Conducted initial interviews and functional assessment.
- Assessed mobility/transfers and lower extremity dressing.
- Prescribed equipment/aids and assisted in discharge planning.

**Research Experience**

Summer, 1998

**Research Assistant, Deep River Science Academy**

- Participated in research in partnership with Atomic Energy of Canada Limited.
- Completed a scientific report and presented results of the research in a seminar.

**Volunteer Experience**

2001 – 2003

**Editor**, Local Church

1999 – 2003

**Volunteer Instructor**, Local Church

1998 – 99

**Mandarin Teacher**, Dalhousie Elementary School

**Membership**

2003 – Present

Washington State Occupational Therapy License

2003 – Present

Occupational Therapist Registered Certification by NBCOT

2003 – Present

Eligible for Canadian Association of Occupational Therapists Membership

2003 – 2004

**Member**, Association of Occupational Therapists of Manitoba

2001 – Present

**Member**, Christians on Campus

**Continuing Education**

2003

Washington State HIV/AIDS Prevention, Education and Training

2002

Current CPR Certification

2001

Aboriginal Culture Awareness Workshop

2001

Hearing Voices Workshop

2001

Non-violent Crisis Intervention Workshop

1999

Student Leadership Program

1998

Scientific Research Skills Program

**Special Skills**

Languages:

Fluent in English and Mandarin

Computer Skills:

Type 50 w.p.m, Word Xp, Excel Xp, PowerPoint Xp, & FrontPage Xp, Mail, Internet

**References**

Available upon request

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