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Personal Statement:

Graduate of BA Honours Drama and Theatre degree at York St John University looking to find work in a creative capacity doing a range of different creative jobs to utilise my skills in devising and performing theatre but also my work experience in film and photography and music.

My eventual career goal is to be working in a creative capacity helping other artists have space to use their voices with my artist collective whilst also working as an artist myself in whatever creative outlet that may be.

Education:

York St John University (2017 – 2020):

2:1 BA Honours in Drama and Theatre

Key Skills Gained:

- A key understanding of performative techniques in theatre in a contemporary format and also of the history and background to which theatre has evolved
- Directorial techniques and key visions in creativity and devising
- Ability to handle complex and high-demanding tasks as an individual and as a group
- Confidence in public speaking
- Accomplished in communication skills both verbal and written, developed through essays and presentations
- Performance and creative skills
- Time management and leadership skills

Sheena Simon, The Manchester College (2014 – 2016):

Triple Distinction * in Performing Arts (Acting)

Hope Valley College (2009 – 2014):

10 GCSEs, grade A*- C including Maths and English.

Hobbies & Interests:

Photography and film are big interests of mine, working as a freelance filmmaker and creative in my spare time. Creating an artist collective, 'The Northern Project', with two other creatives we have used this space to collectively create and share our film, photography and other creative projects. I also have always been very involved in music be it writing for others or performing and promoting; I'm a self-taught guitarist and pianist and I also sing.

Work Experience:**Freelance Filmmaker (2015 – Present):**

Working with my artist collective 'The Northern Project', we have been commissioned by artists to create films, including music videos, and professionally photograph, including headshots. I have acquired networking and conversational skills as well as creative and practical working skills. Working with another freelance filmmaker, Sam Devito Film & Photography, I have worked as a second camera operator and director and producer on projects for companies such as J.P Morgan, Ramm & Martel Footwear and Breedon Cement Works, acquiring professional experience in a variety of different workplaces and demonstrating flexibility in my range of skills on each job.

Edale Wood Fire Pizza Company (2014 – 2017):

Duties included:

- Making pizzas from scratch whilst taking orders and serving customers in a polite and professional manner
- Stock management of food demonstrating a high-level knowledge of health and safety standards in the industry
- Working with others and taking charge, showing leadership skills and group working skills
- Managing all of the company's social medias as well as building their website

Waitress in Café (2013 – 2015):

Duties included:

- Serving customers in a polite and professional manner
- Keeping calm in busy situations
- Re-stocking the kitchen, ensuring a high level of stock management and not afraid of taking on responsibility

References:

References available on request.