Katherine Denzin

EDUCATION

Michigan State University | East Lansing, MI

Apr 2024

- Bachelor of Arts, History
- Minors in computer science, data science, and social science quantitative data analytics
- Honors College | Cumulative GPA: 3.873 | Dean's List Roster 8/8 semesters

WORK EXPERIENCE

MSU College of Education | East Lansing, MI | Teacher Preparation Program Data Administrator May 2024 - Present

- Managed internal records including student placement agreements, survey results, and confidential scores
- Generated reports from data collected for the purposes of program improvement and accreditation reporting
- Curated the Watermark SL&L platform to collect data needed for accreditation and manage teaching placements
- Trained users to utilize Watermark SL&L, developed multiple user guides and FAQs, and hosted training sessions
- Designed and administered Qualtrics surveys related to feedback, applications, and other administrative needs
- Administered the Intercultural Development Inventory to measure intercultural competence of the program
- Coordinated with student advising and MDE to track the teacher candidate pipeline on the MOECS system

MiCAREER Rural Education Hub | Mt. Pleasant, MI | Evaluation Team Member

July 2024 - Present

- Served on a team to design evaluation instruments for the new MDE funded non-traditional rural certification pathway aimed at reducing the educator shortage in rural Michigan
- Created summative reports and developed qualitative data collection protocols

Todd Martin Youth Leadership | Lansing, MI | *Tennis Instructor*

May 2025 - Present

Instructed youth tennis for the program's outreach sessions and completed a trauma-informed coaching training

The Red Cedar Log | East Lansing, MI | Editor-in-Chief

July 2021 - Apr 2024

- Edited stories for structure, AP Style, and grammar and edited completed Adobe InDesign spreads
- Managed a team of 17 people to write and compile creative content for the annual 395-page yearbook
- Led team meetings according to deadlines and communicated with campus and community partners
- Organized digital files including photography, articles, and inDesign spreads for the 133rd-135th editions

Residence Education and Housing Services | East Lansing, MI | Resident Assistant

Aug 2022 - Apr 2024

- Served as a live-in community facilitator responsible for the engagement and safety of residents
- Completed a 2-week training about emergency response, community values, DEI, and housing policies
- Planned monthly floor and building wide events, designed bulletin boards, and served on call once a week

College of Social Science | East Lansing, MI | Undergraduate Research Assistant

Apr 2021 - Apr 2023

- Participated in both independent and faculty-led research projects throughout 3 years
- Designed, distributed, and analyzed a Qualtrics survey about small business grant impacts on local businesses
- Collected Facebook data related to local news media dynamics in Midwestern cities and assisted with R analysis
- Researched declining suburbs and the role of homeownership within these trends through a literature review

Michigan State University Press | East Lansing, MI | Editorial Assistant

May - July 2022

- Processed and summarized manuscript proposals, researched prospective peer reviewers, and investigated comparable titles within the MSUP catalog and other publishers
- Managed and compiled files for editing and production including art permission logs and author contracts

Furnace Street Distillery | Frankfort, MI | Point of Sale and Prep

May - Aug 2023

Interacted with customers, answered customer queries, and batched drinks before opening

Crescent Bakery | Frankfort, MI | *Production Assistant*

May - Aug 2023

• Multitasked frying, decorating, and cleaning while producing between 400-600 donuts daily

ACTIVITIES

Social Science Scholars Program | East Lansing, MI | Member

June 2020 - May 2024

- An elite program dedicated to research, discussion of current events, and community service
- Completed 4 semesters of seminars related to inequality, climate change, psychology, and history

• Embarked on a 3-week study abroad to the United Kingdom in the summer of 2022

Capital Area Literacy Coalition | Lansing, MI | Volunteer Tutor

Jan 2025 - Present

• Tutored members of the community in math skills in preparation for the GED test

Spartan Sierra Club | East Lansing, MI | *Member*

Jan 2022 - Apr 2023

• Participated in community service events such as beach and park clean ups, volunteering on the student organic farm, and picking up recycling at campus sporting events

Senior Ambassadors Program | East Lansing, MI | Participant

Sept 2020 - Present

Dedicated to reducing loneliness in both the senior and student communities through weekly social gatherings

The Current | East Lansing, MI | Writer and Editor

Jan - Apr 2022

Collaborated with a team to write, edit, proofread, and take photos for an online quarterly culture publication

SKILLS

AP Style

• G-Suite

Python

Chicago Manual Style

Qualtrics

Excel

• Microsoft Office

• R

CERTIFICATIONS

- Intercultural Development Inventory (IDI) Qualified Administrator (July 2024)
- American Heart Association Heartsaver AED CPR (August 2024)