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### EDUCATION EXPERIENCE

2011 - 2014: University of Hull, BA (Hons) Drama and English, 2.1

2009 - 2011: Notre Dame Catholic Sixth Form College, A-level English Literature B, A-level French B, A-level Theatre Studies B, A-level Classics B

2004 - 2009: St Thomas a Becket Catholic Secondary School: GCSEs 3A\*, 7As

### WORK EXPERIENCE

2013 - present	Actor and Facilitator: Yew Tree Arts Ltd, UK. -Since June 2013 I have worked regularly as a freelance actor and workshop facilitator for Yew Tree Arts Ltd who are based in Wakefield. Some of my work with them has included: -running after school drama workshops and youth theatre sessions with children. -A T.I.E performance and accompanying workshop for Year 7 pupils on the theme of risk and resilience. -A T.I.E performance on the theme of homophobia and bullying with Year 9 pupils -A performance about mental health and how to access mental health services for both college ages students and adults
2016 - 2017	Touring Actor: White Horse Theatre Company, Germany. -I spent 10 months living and working in a team of 4 in Germany. We toured 3 different plays in English in order to help school children improve their English language speaking and listening skills.
2016	Touring Actor: Effectus Theatre Company, UK.

	-I toured various primary schools throughout the UK, as part of a team of 2 performing a T.I.E piece on bullying with an accompanying workshop.
2015	Stage Manager: West Yorkshire Theatre Dance Centre's Alice in Wonderland, UK. -As stage manager I was responsible for calling the show, and also for ensuring the safety of the 100 child performers in the piece.
2014	Activity Leader: Target English International, UK. -I was part of an English language summer school based in Hull, which had pupils from Italy, France, Spain and Russia. My duties included: helping students prepare for their English exams, taking the children on full day excursions and acting as their tour guides while on the excursion, and planning and running afternoon and evening activities for the children.
2012 - 2013	Confidence boosting drama workshops in a local high school: University of Hull, UK. -During my time at university, I helped to run and plan weekly workshops in a local high school where many children did not feel brave enough to answer questions in class.

### **PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES**

I am an enthusiastic, passionate, friendly and hard-working individual who is always up for a challenge. I will constantly put my utmost into everything I do, be it as part of a team or working by myself. From my time on tour in Germany I have developed exceptional team working skills and leadership skills. My organisation and time-keeping abilities are also very good, due to my time working as a Stage Manager in a production with a large number of children, which also helped my flexibility and ability to adapt quickly to whatever situation may arise. My experience working with Yew Tree Arts has given me confidence in my ability to lead a workshop and hold the attention of children of different ages.

**TECHNICAL SKILLS:** I am computer literate and a confident user of all Microsoft Office programs.

**MOTHER TONGUE:** English.

**OTHER LANGUAGES:** I studied French to the age of 18 and have reasonable reading and writing skills, I am less confident with my verbal skills. I have basic conversational verbal skills in Spanish.

**OTHER SKILLS:** I have previously studied First Aid at work, I play the flute as a hobby, I take weekly dance classes and I have just begun an online course in Sign Language

**DRIVING LICENSE:** Full clean driving license, Category A and B.