# JOSEPH NEWSWANDER

# *Student Seeking Internship Opportunities*

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## **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Arts Labor Studies CUNY SLU Jan 2022 - May 2025 PA: 3.87

Information Technology Bridgerland Technical College i Jan 2020 - May 2020

High School Diploma Green Canyon High School Aug 2015 - May 2020

### SKILLS

- CRM Software (Salesforce)
- Database Platforms (QuickBase, Excel, Tableau)
- Customer Service
- Training and Development
- Process Improvement
- Community Engagement
- External Communications
- 80 WPM Typist

## ACTIVITIES

- Peer mentorship for students with disabilities
- Study abroad in Latin America
- Competitive extemporaneous speaking

# OTHER

Temporary and Gig Work

- UNIQLO, Taylor Creative, Avo Now-Warehouse Associate
- Ardsley Country Club-Event Server

#### • Uber Eats/Doordash-Courier

# **RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE**

### Escalations Service Advocate

### Aetna, a CVS Health Company

- 🛗 Sep 2021 current 🛛 🔍 Remote
  - Serving as the single point of contact between inbound customer service and consultants.
  - Maintaining customer satisfaction survey response of over 98%, delivering concierge-level service resolving member billing disputes with providers and scheduling appointments.
  - Researching benefits and eligibility issues in a high-volume production environment, leveraging extensive industry knowledge and enterprise systems, ensuring compliance to benefit eligibility, grievance, and appeal statutes.
  - Designated Subject Matter Expert on the bSwift platform (B2B SaaS) and group Medicare Advantage plans, training and developing workflows 200+ new-hires and tenured associates.
  - Tracking call-drivers in collaboration with management to develop workflows regarding appropriate triage and timely correspondence based on urgency.

### Administrative Clerk, Accounts Payable

### Cache County

- 🛗 Jul 2021 Aug 2021 🛛 🔍 Logan, UT
  - Processed merit awards for 200+ County Fair participants. Maintained meticulous records for payment method and disbursement time.

### AmeriCorps Remote Learning and External Affairs Coordinator

### City Year New York

- 💼 Sep 2020 Jun 2021 🛛 🔍 🔍 East Harlem, New York
  - Collaborated with teachers to provide academic and social mentorship to 150 middle school students. Monitoring student academic and social-emotional learning effectiveness by compiling and comparing data using Salesforce and Excel.
  - Implemented remote learning and community engagement initiatives to double program participation.
  - Developed an array of digital content, including creating a mobile-optimized website and district-wide video showcase.

### Digital Content Consultant and Coach BEE IN MOTION

🛗 Aug 2020 - current

- Developed curricula on bicycle, skateboarding, and general physical education for youth and adults with disabilities, coaching sessions for approx. 40 students.
- Created video and photo digital content for marketing and social media.

New York, NY

### Server Host

### Chili's Grill and Bar

- 🛗 Apr 2018 Jul 2020 🛛 🔍 🔍 Logan, Utah
  - Optimized OpenTable platform to tailor To-Go fulfillment to accommodate safety protocols and ~300% increase in orders due to pandemic.
  - Welcomed guests and processed orders. Met goals for incentivizing rewards program enrollments.