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Resume Samples

1. **Betina Bronco:** resume written in paragraph form
2. **Saul Goodman:** resume using bullet points
3. **Henry Johnson:** Tech Edge student
4. **Sameer Bhandari:** public interest focus
5. **Sarah Bright:** BigLaw or in-house focus
6. **Art Smart:** public sector or government focus

Betina Bronco

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EDUCATION

Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA

Juris Doctor Candidate

Expected May 2025

Member, Women and Law

Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA

Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

June 2022

President, Delta Gamma

Stanford University, International Management Studies, Summer 2021

EXPERIENCE

Law Offices of Joe Bronco

June - August 2022

Office Assistant

San Jose, CA

Managed front desk and multiple phone-line system. Developed and implemented filing system and organized cases. Created trial binders and arranged evidence for trial.

Calendared attorney meetings and court appearances.

Starbucks Coffee

May 2019 - April 2022

Barista

San Jose, CA

Supervised and trained 10+ new hires on cash register, created specialty drinks, and general store operating procedures. Engaged and interacted with customers; answered questions and sold merchandise; attended to requests, comments, and concerns from customers.

Managed cash register and specialty drink preparation.

Academic Mentor Program

May 2019 - April 2022

Coordinator

San Jose, CA

Collaborated with teachers, parents, and mentors to ensure positive mentor relationships.

Trained 200 mentors in cultural sensitivity. Managed \$1,000 budget. Created organized system to track 2,000 mentor-mentee meetings and students' improvement in grades.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Conversational Cantonese (spoken/written)

Soccer fanatic and marathon runner

Saul Goodman

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EDUCATION

Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA

Juris Doctor Candidate

Anticipated May 2025

- Emery Merit Scholarship Recipient
- Phi Alpha Delta, Law Fraternity

University of California, Irvine, Irvine, CA

Bachelor of Arts, Psychology, summa cum laude

June 2021

EXPERIENCE

XYZ Inc., Sunnyvale, CA

July 2021 - July 2022

Marketing Associate/Sales Order Processor

- Reviewed legal contracts and non-disclosure agreements regarding intellectual property rights
- Interfaced directly with outside counsel to facilitate contract negotiations
- Drafted and coordinated with legal team regarding proposals for contract changes
- Managed marketing budget by coordinating with executive management and marketing team
- Designed and led new weekly meetings to improve operations and increase productivity
- Processed and tracked orders from release to shipment ensuring deadlines were met

ReadUp, Irvine, CA

August 2019 - June 2021

Volunteer Aid

- Tutored seven children with developmental disabilities
- Created after school programming for 50+ children to increase social interaction
- Reviewed and analyzed Individual Profile and Individual Response Guides to better direct participation
- Collected and maintained data in order to monitor members' individual progress in the program

Home Depot, Monterey, CA

Summers 2017 - 2019

Customer Service Clerk

- Engaged and interacted with customers to answer questions and find solutions for their projects
- Managed cash register and processed returns and exchanges
- Organized, arranged, and restocked items in inventory
- Won employee of the month for best customer support story as written in by a customer

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Domestic Violence Hotline of Monterey County, Monterey, CA
- UC Irvine Food Drive, Organization Team Volunteer

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- Fluent in Spanish and French
- Tae Kwon Do, Cooking French and Spanish dishes

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HENRY JOHNSON
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EDUCATION

Santa Clara University of School of Law, Santa Clara, CA

Anticipated May 2024

Juris Doctor Candidate, GPA: 4.0

Dean's Fellowship (full-ride scholarship); Tech Edge Program (technology law certificate)

St. Mary's College, Moraga, CA

May 2016

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, cum laude, GPA: 3.64

EXPERIENCE

Stanford Graduate School of Business, Stanford, CA

Editorial Assistant

December 2021 – Present

- Research and write for a well-known professor working on publishing a book
- Edited multiple journal articles and book chapters

International Journal of Foreign Policy, Moraga, CA

Copy Editor

June 2020 – Present

- Serve as the lead copy editor for a professional academic journal
- Edit publications by contributors consistently meeting deadlines with tight timelines

Business Monthly Magazine, Washington, DC

Staff Writer

March 2019 – February 2020

- Wrote enterprise features on trends in the economy, such as the emergence of Bitcoin as a new asset class, the plight of cab drivers, and the resurgence of the natural gas sector

Foreign Policy Magazine, Washington, DC

Editorial Fellow

August 2017 – August 2018

- Published two of the website's most-viewed articles in 2016 by following local sources on Twitter and Reddit and tracking local media
- Composed Foreign Policy's morning news brief, which summarized top news from around the world and circulated to more than 100,000 subscribers, and weekly photo slideshows
- Fact-checked pieces, confirmed quotes with sensitive sources consistently ensuring accuracy

JP Peck, LLP, New York, NY

Policy Fellow

January 2017 – May 2017

- Wrote briefs about legislation pertaining to clients' interests in energy, trade, and defense issues
- Monitored and reported on congressional hearings and government agency meetings

INTERESTS

International travel, photography, foreign policy, playing piano

Sameer Bhandari

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EDUCATION

Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA

Juris Doctor Candidate – GPA: 3.34

Expected May 2024

- Emery Merit Scholarship Recipient
- Galloway Moot Court 1L Competition

University of California, Los Angeles, CA

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science

June 2020

EXPERIENCE

Valley Legal Services, Los Angeles, CA

Legal Assistant

June 2021 - August 2021

- Organized 150+ cases, court notes, service of process documents, and evidence
- Compiled relevant information pertaining to individual cases into an easy to follow outline for attorney's quick reference during client interviews
- Collaborated with case workers to arrange in-home visits between clients and legal representation
- Shadowed attorney in court and gained valuable insight into daily rigors of litigating and advocating for clients

Research and Economic Development, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA

Team Lead

March 2019 - June 2021

- Hired and trained 15 employees on all aspects of the job; developed detailed process manual
- Managed and led a team of 30 on changes to systems, databases, and job duties
- Analyzed and evaluated statistical data and resolved discrepancies to maintain efficient workflow
- Reviewed over 100 research agreements and amendments for subject clauses
- Summarized data compiling best practices for policies, integrity, and conflicts of interest
- Promoted from student worker to research assistant to team lead

Yahoo!, Mountain View, CA

Legal Assistant, Law Enforcement Response Team

September 2018 – January 2019

- Specialized in responding to user data, search warrants and subpoenas, following legal guidelines
- Handled sensitive information with high level of discretion, spotted issues, and escalated as appropriate in a fast-paced environment

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- Well-developed critical thinking, analytical, and logical reasoning skills
- Strong communication skills with demonstrated high levels of crisis management skills
- Ability to quickly adapt to different situations and circumstances, promptly implement decisions
- Competitive chess, water polo, and hiking

SARAH T. BRIGHT

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EDUCATION

Santa Clara University School of Law

J.D. Candidate, GPA: 3.41 (top 25% of class)

Expected May 2024

Activities: Vice-President, Business Law Society; Honors Moot Court Internal, Mock Trial Competitor

University of California, Santa Cruz

B.A., Philosophy, cum laude, GPA: 3.64

June 2019

Activities: Vice-President Associated Students; Peer Tutor

EXPERIENCE

Intuit Corporation, Santa Clara, CA

Legal Intern

May 2022 - present

- Draft legal memorandums on how courts interpret the limitations of liability for data breaches
- Prepare supply chain contract negotiation strategies for deals with external companies
- Review applications for unauthorized use of logos and evaluate trademark enforcement options
- Consolidate and update terms of agreements and created an addendum for partner network

Enterprise Technology, Palo Alto, CA

February 2020 – May 2022

Account Executive

- Provided clients with database, integration, security, and cloud solutions for telecom companies
- Spearheaded projects and coordinated live demos of solutions based on customers' needs
- Maintained and grew customer relationships
- Coached and mentored sales development reps to improve engagement efficiency
- Generated 150 prospecting calls and 250 emails per week using social selling techniques
- Promoted from Business Development Consultant to Account Executive within four months

Law Offices of Vangie Abriel, San Jose, CA

Intern

June – August 2017 & 2018

- Kept clients up to date on the status of their case throughout the legal process from filing to finish
- Communicated with insurance companies to submit and update cases

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Diversity Library Project, San Jose, CA

Editorial Assistant

June – August 2017

- Created a writing platform for diverse members of the community to share their life story

Youth Aquatics Center, Santa Clara, CA

Head Swim Coach

June - August 2016

- Mentored, motivated, and coached a team of youth coordinating tournaments and practices

INTERESTS: Recreational Basketball and Volleyball, Swimming, Hiking, Gardening

ART SMART

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EDUCATION

Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA

Juris Doctor Candidate

Expected May 2025

Criminal Law Society Executive Board Member, Internal Trial Team semi-finalist, Honors Moot Court

San Jose State University, San Jose, CA

Bachelor of Arts, Criminal Justice, GPA 3.65

June 2019

Dean's Scholar, Worked full time during school

EXPERIENCE

Al Otro Lado, San Diego, CA

Remote Volunteer

Summer 2022

- Provided asylum seekers trapped at the border with assistance completing part A 1589 applications, conducted legal intakes, drafted declarations, and prepared requests for medically related humanitarian parole
- Translated critical documents for Spanish speaking clients under extreme stress

San Francisco District Attorney's Office, San Francisco, CA

Summer Law Clerk

May - August 2021

- Drafted a winning 995 Opposition motion
- Researched and summarized findings of legal issues regarding 5th amendment rights and confessions
- Observed trials in court to understand process of criminal proceedings

Contra Costa County Prosecutor Academy, Martinez, CA

Participant

May 2021

- Drafted and delivered opening and closing statements
- Performed direct examination of victim and cross-examination of defendant

Robert T. Bledsoe Law Offices, San Jose, CA

Legal Assistant

December 2019 - March 2020

- Organized discovery documents from medical providers and insurers
- Facilitated communication between clients and attorneys using translation skills when needed

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- Fluent Spanish speaker
- Volunteer for community service in low-income areas
- Rock climber, Muay Thai kickboxer, and sci-fi and fantasy movie enthusiast