

CASSIE MEYER

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I am a kind-hearted young woman who holds a great passion for people and a good dose of empathy. Enthusiastic and energetic, I am always up for a challenge. I balance my studies with time in the outdoors, rock climbing, loving my cats, and volunteering for causes I find important.

Work Experience

Events Assistant – *Part time*

CityRock Cape Town

Cape Town, RSA
Jan 2023 — Present

CityRock is South Africa's largest climbing gym with world-class facilities that provide a fun and encouraging space for like-minded people to keep fit, achieve goals, build lasting friendships and share the love of rock climbing.

My role included working the front desk, (customer support, sales of day passes and memberships), giving tours of the gym, facilitating children's birthday parties, and interacting with customers in a friendly and polite manner, while still upholding safety regulations when monitoring the gym.

Activity Coordinator– *Part time*

Intern Afrika

Cape Town, RSA
2023

InternAfrika offers internship programs for international students to gain work experience in South Africa, balancing their work with volunteering and touring Cape Town and surrounds

Included was organising initial transport for the students from the airport, settling them into their accommodation, and organising and facilitating weekly activities such as groups hikes, dinners, and drinks.

Lift Operator

Eldora Mountain Ski Resort

Colorado, USA
Dec 2022 — Feb 2023

Eldora Mountain Resort is a ski area in the western United States, located in the southwest corner of Boulder County, Colorado, I worked a ski season as a lift operator to support my undergraduate studies.

Responsibilities included safely loading and unloading guests from the lift, shoveling snow, dealing with general customer service queries, greeting, and interacting with guests in a friendly and polite manner, and general manual labour at the beginning and end of every day.

Tutor

Self-Employed

Durban, RSA
2019-21

Privately tutored Mathematics and English to support my undergraduate studies

Cashier/Waitress

Family business – The Odd Cup

Durban, RSA
2017-19

A helping hand at a family-owned business in Durban North, Kwazulu-Natal. Responsibilities included handling cash, general duties, and waitressing tables at events.

Education

The TEFL Academy

Qualifi Level 5 Diploma in Teaching English as a Foreign Language
Classroom Teaching Practice Course (10 hours)

2024

AFDA Cape Town

BA Creative Writing

Cape Town, RSA
2022-24

- Relevant course work includes Research Studies, Screenplay Writing, Novel Writing, Documentary Writing, and Journalism
- Multiple projects produced, including "Special"; Young, Broke and Hungry; A Diamond in the Rough
- Consistently ranked top of my class
- Activities and societies: Public Speaking and Debating club, 2022-23. Consortium Member for AFDA Experimental Film Festival, 2024.

Reddam House Umhlanga (High school)

IEB Matric Certificate

Durban, RSA
2019-21

Prefect, Captain of the Public Speaking and Debating team, multiple academic and leadership awards

300+ hours of volunteer work (Various areas: youth sports programs, animal welfare, academic outreach)