**JUSTINE CROSSAN**

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**(Currently holding an FM3 Working Visa for Mexico)**

**Skills**

* **Completed a certification in Bio Construction** in Tapalpa, Mexico, creating ecological houses from renewable resources.
* Made materials from adobe and earth bags.
* Helped assemble bricks, roofs and insulated walls from mud, straw and recycled waste.
* Attended workshop to understand the importance and sustainability of Bio Construction in urban and rural architecture.
* **Certified 150 hour TEFL Teacher** (Teaching English as a Foreign Language).
* Member of the European Youth Parliament, involved in attending debates at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office in London.

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* Completed a Fire Extinguisher Training Course.
* Previously the Editor of the ‘Opinion & Analysis’ section of The Stag, a University newspaper, managing a team of writers and working to tight deadlines.
* Attendance at the Model UN conference.
* Ardent traveller arranging own travel and subsistence in Colombia, Mexico, Indonesia, Japan, Australia, New Zealand, Thailand and Spain over extended periods.
* **Languages**: English & Advanced Spanish.

**Education**

**Bachelor of Science:** International Politics. 2012-2015 (4 year course)

**University of Surrey** – Surrey, England

**Dissertation Title**: ‘Does Economic Growth Improve Quality of Life? Case Study: Brazil 2002-2008’.

**2013-2014** One year of my degree studies involved arranging my own University modules and was spent at La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia on a student exchange.

Other modules studied at University include; Security Studies, Anthropology, Spanish, Research and development, Human Rights & Negotiating politics.

**La Swap 6th Form College, London**. 2009 – 2011. A Level: English Literature (B); History (B); Media Studies (A)

**Mount Carmel Technology College, London.** GCSE A- 4 B- 5 including English (A) and Maths (B)

**Work Experience Length of stay**

**The Westhill Institute – Santa Fe, Mexico City 15/07/2016 to 30/06/2017**

**Year 6 & 7 Chemistry and General Science Teacher**

* Consistently planned versatile lessons and experiments for IB level curriculum using laboratory equipment and online forums.
* Worked to improve the ability and understanding of crucial scientific domains in physics, biology & chemistry within a versatile and energetic learning environment.
* Accompanied children on field trips to take samples for the lab.

**The English School – Salamanca, Mexico. 11/2015 to 07/2016**

**ESL Teacher**

* Maintained important relations with businesses through small and individual classes to meet their specific needs
* Worked to deadlines and produced a variety of materials for students across all media platforms.
* Created and delivered current, personalised and dynamic lesson plans for all levels and ages.

**Lenguas Vivas – Valencia, Spain 15/09/2015 to 22/09/2015**

**Working Experience**

* A week working experience in Cambridge language school.
* Observed classes and exam preparation.
* Helped organise admin work and teacher training.

**(Bartender/ Hostess/ Cashier/Administrator experience throughout time in University)**

**Tante Marie Culinary Academy, - Guildford, Surrey 10/04/2015 to 24/04/2015**

**Cocktail Waitress, Bartender**

* Continually provided exceptional service to customers by being friendly, knowledgeable and accommodating
* Expertly prepared beverages, created classic and complex cocktails. Set up bar for operation, obtained cash float and stocked the service bar.

**Five and Lime Bar, - Guildford, Surrey 09/2014 to 05/2015 Waitress, Hostess**

* Organised open mic nights and served small and large parties.
* Cashier, bartender and cleaner.

**Masterchef Australia – Melbourne, Australia 21/03/2015 Hostess, Waitress**

* Consistently exhibited a calm demeanour during periods of high volume or unusual events to help the live show operating smoothly and set a positive example for the shift team.

**Transit, Rooftop Cocktail Lounge- Melbourne, Australia 09/2013 to 07/2014**

**Bartender, Waitress**

* Created and made complex cocktails, attended a wine course in the Yarra Valley learning the winemaking process and hosted private events.
* Cashier.

**The London Beatles Store, Baker Street, London 01/2013 to 09/2013**

**Administrator**

* Edited website, replied to e-mails from international clients & checked stock.