

Chris Alan White

Education

N.C. State University – Raleigh, N.C.

Bachelor of Science in Sport Management; Journalism Minor

December 2014

Experience

Group Area Host & Guest Services Representative - Durham Bulls Baseball Club - Durham, N.C.

April 2016 - Present

- Hosted fans and corporate personnel in various group areas at the ballpark, including party decks, picnic areas, boxes, and suite level. Promoted to work suite level in 2018.
- Managed Guest Services Center during game days and was entrusted to run the center alone in just third week on the job.
- Worked ACC Baseball Championships in both suite level and Guest Services Center. Ensured guests, dignitaries, and media personnel had positive experiences at the ballpark.

Intern – Duke Homestead State Historic Site – Durham, N.C.

May – August 2014

- Greeted guests as they arrived, informed them on activities to do on-site, and answered questions as needed.
- Led guided tours of historic area for guests daily and aided staff with group visits.
- Researched and developed special project on Town Ball, which was archived for use in a future museum exhibit as well as site newsletter and social media.
- Supported with set-up, clean-up, and historic demonstrations during site events.
- Performed clerical duties such as making cold calls for event donations, manning point of sale system in gift shop, and performing inventory duties in office.
- Assisted site maintenance person with various projects including general upkeep and construction of gravel path to mitigate water runoff ponding.

Certifications

- Sensory Inclusion - KultureCity and Durham Bulls Baseball Club **Summer 2019**
- CHoPS Hospitality - Headway Workforce Solutions **Fall 2018**

Community Involvement

- Wyndham Championship **Fall 2015**
- Duke Homestead Events **Fall 2014 – 2015**
- Electric Run Raleigh **Fall 2013**
- Fuller Elementary School Fall Festival **Fall 2011**
- North Carolina Senior Games State Finals **Fall 2010 – 2013**
- UNC-TV *Festival* Pledge Drive **Spring 2009**

Recognition

- Photography Featured on The Bulls of Durham **Summer 2020**
- Durham Bulls Guest Services Co-Employee of the Year **Summer 2019**
- Durham Bulls Guest Services Employee of the Homestand **Summer 2019**
- Photography Featured in N.C. State Alumni Association Calendar **Fall 2018**
- Durham Bulls Employee of the Year **Summer 2018**
- Photography on hitRECORD **Fall 2013**
- N.C. State Parks, Recreation and Tourism Diversity Symposium **Spring 2013**

Skills

- Guest Services and Customer Relations
- Working Events of Various Sizes
- Public Speaking
- iOS and macOS; Windows OS and Microsoft Office Suite
- Site Hosting on Blogger, WordPress, and Squarespace
- Social Media: Bloglovin', Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, Twitter, YouTube
- Writing and Editing of Various Media
- Photography: Digital, Film, iPhone; Photo/Video Editing; Basic Graphic Design
- Adobe Muse and Adobe Spark

Misc. Activities

- First chair clarinetist in local orchestra
- Featured contributor on global creative platform, hitRECORD.
- Author of blog, *Reflections*, that has garnered more than 200,000 views in more than 20 countries worldwide.