ELVIRA FLORIO

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PERSONAL STATEMENT

When I have firstly seen the call for this proposed programme of work, I understood it was the perfect position for me, to achieve new knowledge and skills so useful in this difficult work we have chosen, the art of Medicine. My MA dissertation focused on the examination of undiagnosed ASD and its prevalence, the topic was very fascinating, thus I started to review the literature and investigate its genetical and environmental development. After the dissertation viva (which I have passed with 106/110), I am now focusing on expanding my knowledge not only about ASD, but also by studying in deep every part of medicine that I had neglected, to become not only a more complete doctor but also a more complete person.

For this reason, nephrology and dialysis mechanism are fascinating to me. I am an extremely empathic person, with a strong will and I am a true goal-oriented person, very eager to learn and my natural attitude is to develop a special connection with people.

EDUCATION

From 2011-12 to 2018-2019

University of Catania, Italy. Second Cycle-Master's Degree in Medicine and Surgery.

Class LM-41 – Class of Laurea Magistrale Degrees in Medicine.

(Ministerial Degree 270/2004) with the final grade of 106/110, in the date 20/03/2019.

From 207/2008 to 2010-2011

Liceo scientifico Galileo Galilei, High School in Scientific Diploma,

with the final grade of 94/100

TRAINING

2018-2019

University of Catania, Residency in the Psychiatry Department,

Hospital G. Rodolico Policlinico.

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2017-2018

University of Catania, Residency in the Vascular Surgery Department,

Hospital G. Rodolico Policlinico.

2014-2015

University of Granada, Spain, LLP Erasmus Studium Program (10 months).

MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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Centro di Emodialisi San Luca, Lentini, Syracuse.

acquired skills with haemodialysis Gambro "Artis Physio" machine.

acquired skills with haemodialysis Fresenius "5008S" machine.

COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Good communication and ambassadorial skills gained through my personal experience as an AirBnB Host and work experience as a receptionist at Hostel "A Putia dell'Ostello" in Catania. Here I learn how to deal with customer care solving their daily needs. Moreover, also acted as translator from English to Italian for the restaurant's menu.

Significant Relationship Skills with kids with special needs, gained from my multiple-year experience in Clown Therapy Programme at the Pediatric Department of the Hospital Policlinico Gaspare Rodolico (Catania), able to manage a various array of situatios.

Great Empathy skills, as a trait of my personality, further developed through my Internship at the Psychiatry Department of the Hospital Policlinico G. Rodolico (Catania), and through the Clown Therapy Programme.

ORGANISATIONAL/ MANAGERIAL SKILLS

Management Skills, developed as manager of my own AirBnB activity, and as a Help-Manager at the reception of A Putia dell'Ostello. Here I was dealing with customers and daily payments. Moreover, all these work experiences took place during my university years, with a great effort on my part to balance these different activities.

Diplomacy, as listed before, underlying the ability to listen and understand the other person, maintaining a firm position.

Resourceful and Enterprising person, as a part of my personality.

Not Medical WORK EXPERIENCE

During my university years, as I mentioned above, I studied and worked at the same time, with a great effort on my part to balance these different activities.

from 2017-2019

- Airbnb experience (Catania)
- A Putia dell'Ostello (Catania), Receptionist and help-manager.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- Detailed anamnesis, physical examination in adults and in paediatric patients.
- Microscopy: stereoscopes, optical reflected light microscopes, digital microscopes (Hirox RH-2000, Hirox KH-8700 3D, Dino-lite), Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM).
- Software: skilled user of graphics software (Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Word, Excel, PowerPoint), microscopy imaging systems (Zeiss Zen editions, Leica software, etc.).
- Statistical analysis: competent use of SPSS and beginner R-studio
- Skilled database user
- ECDL in 2011

LANGUAGES

- Italian: native speaker
- English: Good user level (IELTS ACCADEMIC 6.5 took in date 27/12/2019)
- Spanish: proficient level

OTHER SKILLS

Drawing and Singing as personal interest and Hobbies.

Various interest in Aerobic and Cardio Sports: Yoga, Pilates, Reax Raft, Volleyball, etc.

Driving licence B

Catania, 15-03-2020 Elvira Florio