

# Michael Hill

Public Policy Professional

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

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Self-motivated public policy professional who takes an innovative approach to gathering and interpreting data to accomplish goals and objectives; developing plans, solutions, strategies, policies, and procedures to address efficiency and effectiveness; and enhancing communication to the public, elected officials, and internal staff. Over eight years of experience in communication, public policy, and administration, which includes experience in a variety of non-profit and governmental organizations.

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## EXPERIENCE

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### MANAGEMENT ANALYST

Mar. 2019 - Present

### MISCELLANEOUS TECHNICAL ASSISTANT

Oct. 2016 - Mar. 2019

*City of Bloomington, Illinois* - Bloomington, Illinois

Support the Director of Public Works, Office Manager, other Public Works supervisors and others, as assigned, primarily on writing and research tasks but also on a variety of other tasks

#### *Notable Accomplishments:*

- Researched and analyzed data in order to implement fee adjustments for storm water, sanitary sewer, and solid waste enterprise funds, ensuring stable funding for services and infrastructure
- Recommended and implemented a departmental council memo review process to ensure consistency, completeness, and comprehensiveness
- Administered and coordinated the implementation of a Brick Streets Master Plan to preserve brick streets throughout the city, which resulted in the adoption of the plan and associated policies

### LEGISLATIVE STAFF INTERN

Dec. 2016 - April 2017

*Illinois General Assembly* - Springfield, Illinois

Summarize and analyze bills and budgets for members of two legislative committees and two appropriations committees in the Illinois General Assembly

#### *Notable Accomplishments:*

- Successfully provided in-depth information on hundreds of proposed bills by researching existing statutes, contacting lobbyists and government agencies, and reading relevant news articles
- Wrote a resolution to recognize high school students for winning a championship, which was adopted by the Illinois General Assembly

### NEWS REPORTER / ANNOUNCER

Sept. 2014 - Oct. 2016

*WGLT FM* - Normal, Illinois

Provide complete, accurate, and compelling coverage of hard news and feature news stories, including Bloomington and Normal council meetings

#### *Notable Accomplishments:*

- Earned repeated commendations for excellence in writing, reporting, photojournalism, audio production, and on-air broadcasting
- Implemented live social media coverage during events such as political candidate forums, resulting in record numbers of impressions

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## EDUCATION

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### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, POLITICAL SCIENCE

*Illinois State University* - Normal, Illinois

May 2016

GPA: 3.7/4.0