# LIA KERSHAW

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#### EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Senior Technical Editor, Integral Consulting Inc., Portland, OR. October 2017 to present.

Technical Editor, Integral Consulting Inc., Portland, OR. November 2015 to October 2017.

- Perform editorial review of technical reports and memoranda for environmental consulting firm.
- Edit and format text, references, tables, figures, and appendices using Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Acrobat.
- Edit for readability, style, consistency, and grammar following company style guidelines and Chicago Manual of Style.
- Create bookmarked PDFs for client electronic deliverables.
- Work with Publications team to produce new templates and perform quality assurance review.
- Edit and format corporate resumes and prepare PDFs for distribution.
- Produce bound hard copy reports and labeled discs for client deliverables.
- Review and format conference materials including PowerPoint presentations.
- Review press releases announcing conference presentations, publications, and other professional achievements of Integral staff.
- Post company press releases on Integral's website and corporate LinkedIn page.
- Edit and update marketing materials using InDesign.

**Report Production Manager,** Archaeological Investigations Northwest, Portland, OR. May 2011 to November 2015.

- Managed and logged all steps of cultural resource report production, from assigning report numbers to producing deliverables for clients to archiving files.
- Edited and formatted report text, references, tables, photographs, and appendices.
- Edited for style, consistency, and grammar following SAA and Chicago Manual of Style guidelines.
- Produced bound hard copies of reports and electronic deliverables on discs or flash drives for clients.
- Created and updated report templates.
- Trained new staff on policies and procedures for report production and formatting.
- Maintained electronic inventory of all books, reports, and periodicals in in-house library.
- Organized and filed all photographs taken during company fieldwork.
- Maintained Access database of archaeological resource temporary and Smithsonian numbers and associated projects/reports.
- Edited company entries in Washington's Historic Property Inventory database.
- Updated company WordPress website as needed.

#### Editorial Review Professional, Stream Global Services, Beaverton, OR. November 2010 to April 2011.

- Thoroughly checked search engine advertisements for relevancy, spelling, grammar, and style.
- Ensured advertisers' adherence to policy guidelines, preventing disallowed content from serving online.
- Approved or rejected advertisements and suggested changes as needed.
- Assisted other team members with approval/rejection processes, answered questions regarding policies, and performed second proof on their work.

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Contract Assistant, Third Brain Studio, Portland, OR. November 2010 to February 2011 (as needed).

- Assisted owner of qualitative user experience research firm that incorporates ethnographic methods.
- Combined contact lists in Excel and Constant Contact, creating master file for marketing mailings.
- Researched and compiled information on various email marketing providers for comparison.
- Created spreadsheet of user experience, research, and other conferences relevant to business interests.

Advertising Production Assistant, Center for Professional Education, Inc., Broomall, PA. June 2005 to June 2010.

- Proofread and edited catalogs, fax and email blasts, letters, brochures, web content, and marketing materials.
- Trained new employees on company proofreading procedures.
- Sent seminar materials and biographies to instructors for review and processed any edits.
- Entered information about seminars, locations, and dates into company database.
- Maintained organized filing systems for instructor biographies, ad copy, and archived catalogs.

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATION**

Kershaw, L. (2005, February). *Ethnographic Study of the Beginnings of a College Television Station*. Presented in roundtable discussion at the 7th Annual Chicago Ethnography Conference.

### SOFTWARE

Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, Publisher, Access) Adobe Acrobat and InDesign WordPress SharePoint

### EDUCATION

Widener University, Chester, PA Bachelor of Arts in Behavioral Science **Concentration**: Anthropology; **Minor**: Communications Graduated Magna cum Laude (GPA: 3.65) in May 2004