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**OBJECTIVE**

To obtain an internship using values-based work ethic and organizational and leadership skills

**PROFILE**

* Outstanding achievement record coupled with the ability to motivate & develop others to maximum potential
* Proficient at problem analysis and resolution
* Innovative thinker and rapid learner; team-oriented with valued loyalty

**EDUCATION**

Illinois State University, Normal IL

Bachelor of Science in **Criminal Justice Sciences**, May 2013

Major GPA: **3.94/4.0** Cumulative GPA: **3.8/4.0** Dean’s List (4 semesters)

**MILITARY EXPERIENCE**

**Veteran’s Preference**: 10 Point Preference

**Security Clearance**: SECRET (Expires 2014)

**Team Leader** – **US Army Rangers, U.S. Army Special Operations Command** 2004 – 2008

* Gained valuable characteristics of leadership while interacting with and taking direction from many high-profile officials
* Trained superiors, peers and subordinates on combat operational procedures
* Selected above peers for promotion to Non-Commissioned Officer
* Rewarded by superiors for leadership and tactical expertise in training and combat
* Recognized by leadership for ability to learn quickly and consistently perform above standards
* Deployed 4 times in support of Operations Iraqi & Enduring Freedom conducting specialized joint operations
* Participated in over 75 classified direct-action special operations missions and continually trusted by unit officials to uphold mission confidentiality
* Selected by chain of command to attend rigorous academic and tactical courses in order to develop individual skill and diversify team ingenuity
* Received accolades from the Ranger Battalion Physician Assistant for emergency medical proficiency

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| **Squad Leader** – Illinois National Guard | 2008 – 2010 |

* Commended by chain of command for excellence in physical fitness
* Supervised safety, logistics and training of day and night shooting range operations for over 200 soldiers

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| **Rifleman** – 101stAirborne Division | 2002 – 2004 |

* Gained vast knowledge on how to become an effective leader by first learning how to follow
* Learned the importance of a team and gained an appreciation for the significance of loyalty
* Developed fundamentals instrumental to surpassing peers; received recognition from superiors

**HONORS & AWARDS**

Iraq Campaign Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Overseas Ribbon, Army Achievement Medal, Army Commendation Medal (three awards), Good Conduct Medal, Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Expert Infantryman Badge, Combat Infantryman Badge, Expert Marksman Badge,

Air Assault Badge, Australian Jump Wings, Parachutist Badge, Ranger Tab **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Technician/Unit Clerk** – **Emergency Department** 2009 – PresentOSF St. Joseph Medical Center, Bloomington IL

* Enhance and improve emergency medical skills as an EMT
* Apply teamwork and leadership skills to assist physicians and nurses in trauma situations
* Recognized by ER staff for maintaining a calm attitude and effectively performing under extreme duress