

They Want To Move...and who can

blame them?

This is an unusual issue of the Work-WhereUPlay newsletter. This month three of our four highlighted job seekers are looking for work in the social service and healthcare fields. As the demand in northern Wisconsin rises for individuals to fill vacancies in these occupations, we find ourselves with three incredibly qualified candidates!

Take a look at the profiles listed below and see if the talent you need isn't already knocking at the door. Feel free to forward this newsletter on to anyone else who might be interested, or check us out online at: www.WorkWhereUPlay.com

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KAREN TAETS **RADIOLOGY TECHNOLOGIST**

Ashland, Bayfield, Iron, Price

- Certified: American Registry of Radiologic Technologists #415840
 - * Licensed by State of Illinois, #500506067
 - * Licensed by State of Arizona, #CRT13700
- Capable of broad spectrum of x-ray procedures and exams and bone density exams using a CT scanner
- Cross trained in CT, exams with and without IV contrast
- College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, IL: Associate in Applied Science

BRENDA WALSH **CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER**

Iron

- State of Wisconsin Certified Social Worker
- B.S.- Upper Iowa University
- 17+ years of experience in provision of general counseling/instruction to clients and families in individual or group settings

KATRIA STRAUCH **OPERATIONS & SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT**

Ashland, Douglas, Iron, Taylor

- Bachelor of Science degree in Operations and Supply Chain Management- Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
- Held many leadership roles and positions in various organizations
- Strong written communication, organization, and strategic skills
- Created efficiencies on key events and processes

KELLY PAVLOVICH **YOUTH SPECIALIST**

Ashland, Bayfield, Iron

- Excellent people skills; Relates well to youth from birth to 18.
- Extensive volunteer and leadership experience in youth settings; Information gathering and research skills.
- Bachelor of Science: Psychology- Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Michigan

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Career Objective: To obtain a position where I utilize my knowledge and experience and give myself the opportunity for continual growth and development in the medical imaging field.

Professional Profile

- * Certified by American Registry of Radiologic Technologists, #415840
- * Licensed by State of Illinois, #500506067
- * Licensed by State of Arizona, #CRT13700
- * Member of American Society of Radiologic Technologists
- * Current CPR certification
- * Student member, Illinois State Society of Radiologic Technologists

Education: Diagnostic Medical Imaging

College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, Illinois

- * Associate in Applied Science degree 07/2004-05/2006
 - * Formal Mammography course 08/2008-12/2008
- Registry eligible no later than 12/15/2008

Presentation and Awards

Awarded first place for power point presentation of research paper entitled Osgood Schlatter Disease: A Dilemma of Youth at Illinois State Society of Radiologic Technologists conference, Peoria, Illinois, 04/2006.

Work Experience

Northern Cochise Health System

01/2007-05/2008

- * Served as full time radiographer taking care of inpatient, outpatient, emergency, and nursing home residents, including extensive weeknight & weekend on call duty
- * Performed broad spectrum of x-ray procedures and exams
- * Cross trained in CT, exams with and without IV contrast
- * Performed bone density exams utilizing CT scanner

Previous Education

Western Illinois University, Macomb, Illinois

- * Bachelor of Arts degree
09/1975-08/1977

Briar Cliff College

Sioux City, Iowa
09/1973-05/1975

References Available On Request

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Education: Upper Iowa University Fayette, Iowa

Bachelors of Science 6/30/01

Licensure: Wisconsin state certified

Social Work Experience

2002 to present **Racine Correctional Institution Sturtevant, Wi. 53177**

Certified Social Worker

- Provide general counseling/instruction to clients and families on an individual or in group settings to facilitate institution and community adjustment.
- Production and maintenance of accurate records specific to clients.
- Assist clients in formulating realistic treatment and release plans.
- Review case history, formulate or refine program plan and assist clients in developing short and long term goals.
- Facilitate treatment groups.
- Release planning and Parole Board Summaries
- Worked with the Weekly Multidisciplinary Team to address client's special needs.
- Referrals to Psychological Services for psychological evaluations, behavioral treatment plans, and medication management

1998-2001 **Lydia Group Home Sturtevant, Wi. 53177**

Program Coordinator Supervisor

- Provided counseling services to clients
- Intakes and develop plans for care, service and treatment.
- Provided casework services to dependent, neglected, abused, and delinquent children and youths, children with disabilities and socially and economically disadvantaged.
- Testified in court on progress and services rendered to children and families

- Crisis Intervention Assistance
- Direct Supervision of staff
- Keep team informed of client progress

1991-1998 **Homes for Independent Living. Kansasville, Wi.**

Senior Counselor

- Assessments and treatment plans for the mentally disabled.
- Staffing reports
- Case management
- Crisis Intervention
- Chapter 51 and 55 knowledge and court reviews.
- Admissions and Discharge Summaries
- Direct Supervision of staff
- Keep team informed of client progress
- Provide counseling to individuals and families

Internships: Crisis Center in Racine, Wi., Safe Haven in Racine, Wi.

Special Interests: Reading, Crocheting, and Walking

Katria J. Strauch

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OBJECTIVE: Obtain full-time employment in logistics or supply chain management

SUMMARY: •Held many leadership roles and positions in various organizations
•Strong written communication, organization, and strategic skills
•Created efficiencies on key events and processes

EDUCATION: **Bachelor of Science degree in Operations and Supply Chain Management, December 2006**
Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. *Overall GPA 3.12/4.0; Major GPA 3.65/4.0*

EXPERIENCE: **Senior Business Analyst – Merchandise Planning, January 2007- present**
Target Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota

- Inventory flow manager of key categories for special events and basic replenishment
- Department and division captain of company space, division meetings, and unproductive inventory reduction
- Mentoring and training an analyst and four summer interns on advertising projects
- Improving instocks significantly over last year driving sales and improving customer confidence

Commercial Airplanes - Procurement Quality Assurance Intern, May 2006 to August 2006
The Boeing Company, Everett, Washington

- Applied lean techniques to maximize efficiency in metric generation
- Provided support for PQA Finance, including International Lean Forecasting
- Served as Everett site focal for Boeing's supplier management synergy study

Operations Intern - Engineered Business Solutions, January 2006 to May 2006
Rockwell Automation, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

- Analyzed raw data to update lead times and purchasing information
- Contributed in the transfer of domestic manufacturing to international production
- Evaluated components to derive material composition for further analysis

Camping Cashier Manager, July 2005 to August 2005
FACE Entertainment, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota

- Facilitated the accommodation of 20,000 people camping in campgrounds
- Created contingency plans for possible changes in personnel and materials
- Recorded information of sales and inventory

OTHER WORK

EXPERIENCE: **Document Processor, MITlending, August 2004 – December 2004**
Operations and Sales Assistant, Superior Displays, May 2004 – August 2004
Office Assistant, Marquette University: Electrical and Computer Engineering, 2003-2006
Summer Recreation Softball Coach, Augusta Area Schools, Summers 2002-2005
Cashier-WE Fest, FACE Entertainment, August 2004
Substitute Teacher's Assistant, Augusta Area Schools, Breaks 2003-2005

LEADERSHIP

ACTIVITIES: •**Raincheck Reduction and Advertising Optimization Project Lead, Target Corp, 2008**
•**Global Village Ambassador, Marquette University, 2005-2006**
•**Study Abroad Participant, BI Norwegian School of Management, Oslo, Norway, 2005**
•**Operations & Supply Chain Club Vice President & Secretary, Marquette University, 2005-2006**

•**Alpha Omega Epsilon President & Membership Educator**, *Marquette University*, 2003-2006

Kelly Pavlovich

Permanent Address: N10601 Vanderhagen Rd. Ironwood, MI 49938

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Career Objective: To continue my work with youth in an interactive community based program and further develop my skills as a youth advocate.

Qualifications:

- Excellent people skills.
- Relates well to youth from birth to 18.
- Open minded, respectful, and able to work with people of diverse backgrounds.
- Information gathering and research skills.

Education:

Bachelor of Science: Psychology, Minor: Theater May 2007
Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Michigan

Associate of Liberal Arts May, 2004
Gogebic Community College, Ironwood, Michigan

Relevant Coursework:

- Social Psychology
- Child psychology
- Guidance Techniques
- Developmentally Appropriate Practices (NAEYC curriculum approved)
- Psychology of Exceptional People
- Observation and Assessment of Children

Previous Work Experience:

Aerators Volunteer Homeless Student Tutor Fall 2008 - Present
True North AmeriCorps, Duluth, MN

Responsibilities: Provide in-school tutoring and support services to students considered to be the most at-risk population of students in the Duluth, MN public school district (homeless students). I work with students grades K-12 in all subjects, providing emotional support when necessary, testing reading and math skills and working toward improving those skills, maintaining student data on computer and assist in utilizing information, monitoring students attendance on the district system and connecting with teachers to better assist the student academically. I also run an after school program with a small group of students and apply behavior management skills and arrange for additional volunteers to assist with the after school program.

Assistant Program Advocate Fall 2007 – Fall 2008
True North AmeriCorps, Duluth, MN

Responsibilities: Assist in planning and supervision of the Duluth YMCA mentoring programs Mentor Duluth and 5 Points in the cities of Hermantown and Proctor, MN, recruiting volunteers and presenting the programs to area groups, assisting with intake and update interviews with mentors, and families, keeping required paperwork organized and up to date, plan and supervise specific activities for families and matches involved in the programs, acting as interim Program Advocate during a three month leave of supervising Program Advocate. I also worked with the YMCA's Summer Schools Out program as general program staff.

Members Service Winter 2008- Present
Duluth Area Family YMCA, Duluth, MN

Responsibilities: Checking members in, program registrations, membership sign-ups, merchandise sales, answering phones, and communicating information between members and different YMCA departments in a courteous, helpful and friendly manner that upholds the values and missions of the YMCA.

Fitness Consultant Spring 2006 – Fall 2007
Mainstreet Fitness, Ironwood, MI

Responsibilities: Assisting clients in the proper use of the gym's fitness equipment, signing up new memberships and maintaining records of current memberships, registering clients for classes, also keeping the public areas of the fitness center clean and sanitary for the clients.

Library Circulation Clerk

Fall 2004 – Spring 2007

Olson Library, Northern Michigan University, Marquette, MI

Responsibilities: Assisting students/patrons locate resources in the library, also responsible to carry out tasks for supervisors and performing office work, checking in/out materials, restocking materials, and help to keep the books and library neat and orderly.

Computer Proficiency: Familiar with both PC and Mac programs, proficient in Microsoft programs, excellent typing skills.

Leadership/Volunteer

- PSI CHI lifetime member since November 2006.

Experience:

- SERVE youth group active member 2000 – 2002, Youth Leadership Camp 2000 Our Lady of Peace Parish, Ironwood MI.

- Catechist teacher after-school program 1998-2002, vacation Bible School instructor 1996 to present Our Lady of Peace Parish, Ironwood MI.

- Mentor with the YMCA Mentor Duluth program.

- 5 Points academic mentor in the Duluth, MN and Hermantown, MN Schools.

- Duluth YMCA Running Buddies volunteer/assistant coordinator 2008.

- Red Cross CPR Certified & Red Cross Babysitter Trainer Certified.

Personal Interests: Family, Exercising & being healthy, theater, music, reading, being outdoors, friends, traveling, sports, cotton candy making.