

D a n n y V a r u g h e s e

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

- Highly-committed with over 10 years of experience as a Community Support Worker in an organization that supports individuals with an intellectual disability, in partnership with their families and the community to lead enriched and meaningful lives.
 - Self-starter and director of an entertainment service start-up company with a track record of successful marketing, branding and business leadership.
 - Multi-talented with nearly 5 years of broad experience as the sole music director at a mega church in the GTA, developing, coordinating and providing leadership for an effective well-rounded church music programme
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WORK EXPERIENCE

COMMUNITY SUPPORT WORKER *Brampton-Caledon Community Living, Brampton, ON / 2009 – till present*

- Leveraged gentle persuasive approach to care for clients with mentally challenging behaviour, and championed client's personal, psychological, emotional, and intellectual needs; Counselling and provided companionship to clients.
- Devised and implemented over 500 care plans and day-programmes in collaboration with fellow support workers, nurses, nutrition specialists, clients and families to define care needs and ensure delivery of high quality service.
- Provided computer-related software and hardware training and support to upper management which have resulted in minimized downtime and eliminated recording errors and automated work process.

CREATIVE DIRECTOR

Creative Candy, Mississauga, ON/ 2015-2018

- Co-founded and managed a company that operates as a full service provider of audio, visual and entertainment solutions for high traffic events.
- Actively sought business opportunities to maximize revenue and ensured proper and prompt follow up on each event opportunity.
- Directed the administrative and operational aspects of each event.

MUSIC DIRECTOR

Church on the Queensway, Mississauga, ON/ 2011 – 2016

- Provided musical leadership at a 600 member church by working collaboratively with the band and church leaders to plan and produce music concerts or events.
- Prepared annual, seasonal and weekly church music.
- Completed annual budgets included but not limited to maintenance and repair of instruments and sound system, guest musicians, purchase of new music and music library.

EDUCATION

SHERIDAN COLLEGE, Brampton, ON

2006- 2009

- Diploma in Child Youth Work

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER SECONDARY SCHOOL, Mississauga, ON

2001- 2005

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

WORD

POWERPOINT

EXCEL

PUBLISHER

OUTLOOK

ADOBE PREMIERE

PHOTOSHOP

TECLA

LOGIC PRO X

INTERESTS

MUSIC

EVENT MANAGEMENT

SPORTS

TRAVELLING

HISTORY

VOLUNTEERING

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