

Michael Macchiarola

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I aspire to use my communication, digital media, and hospitality skills to pursue interests in the Hospitality and Tourism industry. I am a sophomore enrolled at the University of Central Florida as well as a student of the Burnett Honors College and Rosen College of Hospitality. I plan to earn my four-year degree by the summer of 2026.

Education:

- **University of Central Florida** | Burnett Honors College Expected: May 2026
- *Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Management, Lodging Track.*
 - **GPA:** 4.0

Experience/Extracurriculars:

I have three years of experience in the hospitality, retail, and restaurant industry, and am involved in several clubs on campus.

- **Burger 21, Crew Member** (2021-2022)
 - I greeted guests and inputted orders for rapid service.
 - I prepared over ten milkshake recipes from memory at our bar.
 - I bussed tables and delivered food and beverages to guests.
- **Ross Stores, Front Associate** (2022-2023)
 - I helped serve guests as a cashier, floor, and fitting room attendant.
 - I organized the presentation and display of merchandise in various sectors.
 - I marketed jewelry, handbags, and charity initiatives to guests.
- **Chase Suites Hotel, Social Hour Attendant** (2024-Crt)
 - In my current position as a social hour attendant I serve and prepare drinks and appetizers to guests.
 - I create a festive and amicable atmosphere during dinner hours.
 - I maintain standards of kitchen safety and cleanliness.
- UCF Screenwriters Club (2023)
- UCF Arboretum Regular Volunteer (2023)
- Author of *Dreamwalkers* (2024)

Honors and Certifications:

Certified Bilingual (Spanish) - Wiregrass Ranch High School (2021)
UCF Pegasus Gold Scholar (2023)
CHFLA Hospitality Scholar (2023, 2024)
Microsoft Office Systems Expert (2023)

