## Vivian Cossey

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### **EDUCATION**

## College of Lake County

Grayslake, IL

Associate Degree in Liberal Arts (GPA 3.75)

December 2020

### **EXPERIENCE**

Kohls - Sales Associate

DECEMBER 2017 - APRIL 2018

- Responsible for Cash Handling and Ringing up sales at registers and/or bagging merchandise
- Maintained tidy sales floor
- Ensured customer satisfaction and assisted customers in locating merchandise when needed
- STOCKED SHELVES AND ORGANIZED DISPLAYS

### Chipotle Mexican Grill - CREW MEMBER

AUGUST 2018- JANUARY 2021

- Maintained food safety standards
- Ensured a positive customer experience
- WORKED CLOSELY WITH A TEAM TO MAXIMIZE SPEED AND EFFICIENCY WHEN PREPARING AND SERVING FOOD
- RESPONSIBLE FOR PREPARING ORDERS, RINGING UP ORDERS, AND CLEANING THE STORE

### Chipotle Mexican Grill- KITCHEN MANAGER

FEBRUARY 2021- SEPTEMBER 2021

- PREPARED FOOD INGREDIENTS
- Executed opening and closing of store according to policies and procedures including inventory
- Ensured food standards are upheld at all times
- SUPERVISED KITCHEN AND PREP AREAS
- Maintained equipment and placed orders for goods and repairs as needed

#### **BULLDOGS GRILL - SERVER**

JULY 2021- JULY 2022

- RESPONSIBLE FOR OPENING AND CLOSING OF FRONT OF HOUSE, INCLUDED CASH DRAWER AND ICE CREAM BAR
- CREATED CUSTOM MILKSHAKES AND SUNDAES
- ENSURED SMOOTH SERVICE AND PROVIDED EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE

# ROGERS PARK BUSINESS ALLIANCE - FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY COORDINATOR (TEMPORARY)

JUNE 2023- OCTOBER 2023

- Tracked finances of Illinois LINK Match and SNAP program for vendors of Glenwood Sunday Market
- Assisted in Glenwood Sunday Market daily tasks

#### **ELAWA FARM - EVENT ATTENDANT AND SERVER**

MAY 2023 - CURRENT

- Assisting in food service and working with team of chefs, bartenders, and porters
- Communicating with vendors, caterers, and event planners as to service needs
- RESPONSIBLE FOR LOCKING UP PROPERTY AND ASSISTING IN BREAKDOWN OF EVENTS
- Enforcing proper use of facilities to ensure safety of guests and property (event attendant only)

## **CERTIFICATIONS:** Illinois Food Handlers License and ServSafe Certified