

Getting Ready for the Road to Match:



presented by Dakota Bibbs

What is the difference between a resume and a CN?



A full history of your academic, professional, and personal credentials



a concise, abbreviated picture of your skills and qualifications tailored for a specific position.



is a visual guide to MIND GOM MIC.

Take your time and make it a masterpiece.

How do I structure my CN?

1. Header:

Nicholas Dakota Bibbs

2500 North State Street Jackson, MS 39216 Notice your name can be a bit larger than the rest of the header. This makes it stand out!

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2. Education

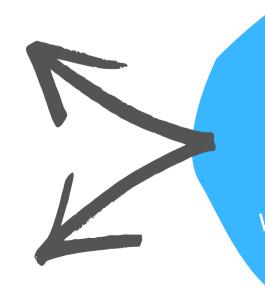
Education

Arkansas Tech University

Master of Science in College Student Personnel Graduated May 2016

Mississippi College

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology Minor in Spanish (Proficient in Spanish) Graduated May 2014



Everything you put on your CV should be in descending order beginning with the most recent item.

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3. Experience

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When listing responsibilities of positions make sure to use no less than 2 and no more than 4 bullet points. 3 is the magic number.

University of Mississippi, School of Medicine, Jackson, MS

Academic Counselor, January 2021-Present

- Monitors student academic performance and counsels students on how to improve their academic performance
- Facilitates an immersive online course that focuses on the science of learning, time management, study methods, test taking strategies, and self-efficacy
- Established a robust network of resources focused on medical student success
- Developed two summer enrichment programs for high school students

Northwest Rankin High School, Flowood, MS

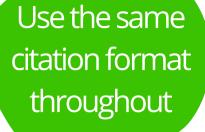
Spanish Teacher, July 2020 – December 2020

- Developed curriculum to enhance student understanding and critical thinking skills
- Executed innovative and effective instructional methods to improve student performance
- Mentored at-risk and struggling students to achieve academic success
- Implemented dynamic instructional leadership in coordination with district and state standards

Concise, descriptive clauses that highlight what you have accomplished are essential. Learn to sell yourself in a positive and creative way.

How do Istructure my CN?

- 4. Research
- 5. Presentations/Publications
- 6. Licensure/Certifications
- 7. Leadership Experience
- 8. Service
- 9. Extra Curricular Activities
- 10. Professional Associations
- 11. Honors/Awards
- 12. Hobbies/Interests



Only include the issue date.

No more

than 3 and

be specific!

Here is a list of headers
that are typically
included but do not have
to be. (Don't panic if you
do not have something
for every category listed
here. They are
suggestions.)

The rest of your CV can be structured in whichever order you prefer. Be intentional with how you choose to structure and place each category.

What should I do to make my CV shine?

Explain and express yourself well.

Include everything that you think is important. (Even pertinent experiences from undergrad.)

Be concise.

Make sure that your formatting is uniform. (Each section should be formatted the same.)

List every item in reverse chronological order.

What should I avoid doing on my CN?

Sprinkle unneccessary spaces throughout.

Leave your text unevenly aligned to the left or right.

Use vague language Use paragraphs to explain your experiences

Go beyond 5 pages (if you can help it).



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EDUCATION

University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD

Expected May 2020

M.D./Ph.D. Program (Medical Scientist Training Program)

July 2014-May 2017

PhD in molecular medicine

Masters in Public Health

May 2018

MPH Capstone project: "Disparities in wheelchair access Inner City Baltimore"

Georgetown University, Washington D.C.

May 2011

Post-Baccalaureate Premedical Certificate

University of Maryland, College Park, MD

May 2010

B.S in Psychology; B.S. in Biology

EMPLOYMENT

University of Maryland School of Medicine

January 2018-present

Research Assistant

 Performs laboratory research projects, including molecular biology techniques such as PCR, cloning, and antibody expression and characterization.

Baltimore Coffee and Tea

2013-2015

Manager

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of Maryland School of Medicine

Aug 2016-present

Department of Neurology

PI: Whatami Doing M.D., Ph.D.

Medical Trainee

 Clinical project examining the changing attitudes of UMSOM graduates towards fellowship training

University of Maryland School of Medicine

July 2014-June 2017

Department of Psychiatry

PI: Hello ToU Ph.D.

Graduate Student

Investigating the role of YOLO in the central nervous system reward centers. Two
manuscripts in preparation

PUBLICATIONS

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Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- Kessling JM, Lastname FN, Levine MA. A piolot survey to define quality in residency education. Acad Med 2000; 75:71-73. PMID: 123456
- Friendman D, Lastname FN. Cocaine-induced pseudovasculitits. Mayo Clin Proc 2005; 80: 671-673. PMID: 111222334

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles/Abstracts (Other than Published)

Moana E, Lastname FN, Ariel G. Use of water therapy in happiness and quality of life. J
of Good Mood, accepted 5/2018.

Chapters

 Lastname FN, Moana M. "Happiness." The Book of Feelings. Ed. Walt Disney. Orlando: Disney Publishing, 2018. 110-115.

Peer Reviewed Abstract

- Abstract
- Poster which was presented by another person
- Lastname FN; Beauty B; Beast T. Hypoglycemia in ECT. Endocrine Case Reports 2017;
 23:43. URL. http://endocrinesociety.org/abstract/2017

Poster Presentation

 Lastname FN; Peter P; Lostboy T. Malignant melanoma of the cuticle. Poster presented at: 2015 Dermatology Society Meeting; March, 2015; Boston, MA.

Oral Presentation

 Lastname FN. The role of wellness in medical school curriculum. Annual Meeting of the Minds; June 2017; Ann Arbor, MI.

LEADERSHIP

University of Maryland School of Medicine

Aug 2016-present

President, Psychiatry Interest Group

 Organized lunch talks, panel speakers and film screenings on various topics in psychiatry

University of Maryland, College Park, MD

Varsity Tennis Captain

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

University of Maryland School of Medicine

Tutor, ABAE (A Bridge to Academic Excellence)

Feb 2013-April 2013

· Tutored Baltimore City high school students in biology and language arts

Helping Up Mission

Participated in Soup Kitchen services 4 evenings per month
 July 2016-present

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

American Medical Student Association 2011-present American Academy of Physicians 2011-present

HONORS AND AWARDS

 Dean's List for 8 semesters, University 	y of Somewhere 2006-20	010
Somewhere Scholar's Program	2006-20	
 Alpha Omega Alpha (AOA), University 	of Maryland School of Medicine Fall 201	17
Award for Recognition of Volunteer A	ctivities in Baltimore Soup Kitchen	
Fall 2016	* 0 C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C	
Summer Research Grant, Center for S	ummer Studies 20	12
 Radiology Society Award for Research 	20	18

HOBBIES OR INTERESTS

Fluent in Spanish and Farsi

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schedule an appointment with me at calendly.com/nbibbs