### JOSEPHINE KRAEMER

Master of fine arts recipient, theater artist, and educator with a genuine passion for learning. Dependable collaborator and educator, with experience tactfully resolving issues and offering empathetic assistance for clients.

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### **Bookseller, San Mateo CA** — Barnes & Noble

### November 2021 - April 2022

- Created a welcoming and helpful environment for customers on the floor and over the phone by being readily available for assistance and by offering up-to-date knowledge and suggestions of books.
- Ensured a vibrant and tidy bookstore environment through beautiful signage and engaging bookseller recommendations and end-caps. Hand-sold featured publications through friendly and enthusiastic interactions with customers.
- Fulfilled online orders for pick-up in store, as well as prepared merchandise to be delivered in shipping/receiving.

# **Lessons with Josephine** — *Private French teacher & essay tutor* **Since May 2020**

- Created and implemented 100+ lesson plans for students ages 9 and up, with 300+ cumulative hours of lessons.
- Create visually memorable lessons using a broad assortment of teaching resources made for online learning
- Lessons personalized by student level (A1-C2) and adapted to each student's pace and goals.
- Elevated student performance in French subject with noticeable increase of the student's enthusiasm for the subject.

# Albert Alphin Library, Boston MA — Library worker February 2019 - May 2020

- Worked at the circulation desk, helped to create a welcoming and helpful library environment.
- Performed routine library duties, including checking out and shelving library-owned materials, processing interlibrary loan requests, completing patron tallies, and maintaining library equipment such as computers and printers.
- Assisted students and staff with their reference questions; instructed individuals on how to use the library services.

## **Boston Conservatory Theater Office, Boston MA** — *Office assistant* **January 2019 - May 2020**

- Assisted students and university faculty from the reception desk, offering empathetic solutions and ensuring efficient communication between office personnel, including processing reimbursement forms.
- Developed newsletters and surveys in order to receive feedback from the student body.

### **EDUCATION**

Boston Conservatory at Berklee, May 2020 M.F.A. Musical Theater

University of the Pacific, May 2018, Cum Laude **B.A. French Studies, B.A. Music** 

LANGUAGE — English (native), French (native), German (C1)

#### SKILLS

- Communicative and collaborative spirit in both French and English-speaking settings
- Teamwork and leadership-oriented when developing and managing projects
- Eager to find creative solutions and devising detailed plans for problems and challenges
- Proficient in Zoom, Powerpoint, Google Slides

#### DISTINCTIONS

**PI DELTA PHI** — National French Honor Society, UOP '16

JAN GOOD AWARD — 1st place in French essay contest, UOP '17

**DEPT. OF MODERN LANGUAGES ANNUAL AWARDS** — Best Student of Modern Language, French, UOP '18