

Kade Kolpien

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EDUCATION

Taylor University- Upland, IN

May 2023

Bachelor of Arts in Business Management

GPA: 3.3/4.0

Post-Grad Transition To Teacher Licensure Program

May 2024

Carson Newman University- Jefferson City, TN

Masters in Business Administration

EXPERIENCE

Assistant College Baseball Coach- Carson Newman University

August 2024-July 2025

Graduate Assistant Coach

- Instructed hitters on mechanics and approach, along with infielders, outfielders, and catchers on defensive drills to improve overall performance and game readiness
- Helped run practices, attended camps, and went on recruiting trips while also maintaining facilities for training and games
- Managed time effectively to balance graduate school and coaching duties, along with youth lessons

Pro Pro Classic Fishing Tournament - Guntersville, Alabama

May 2018-Present

Organizer/Idea Generation along with participation in Tournament

- Worked to develop fishing tournaments partnering Major League Baseball Players and Professional Bass Fisherman
- Work behind the scenes at the event to ensure event success, along with participating in the tournament

Landscape and Mowing Business- Fort Wayne, Indiana

April 2017 -August 2024

Co-Owner

- Manage landscaping and lawncare needs of over 30 clients
- Led client consultations to clarify project goals and set expectations
- Managed monthly billing and accounts receivable

ACTIVITIES

Taylor University Baseball player

September 2019-May 2024

Teammate

- Won 2 conference regular season championships and 2 tournament championships
- Hosted three regional tournaments in Upland, Indiana
- Competed in the NAIA world series in Lewiston, Idaho

Crossroads League (NAIA) Leadership Team

November 2023-May 2024

Team Member

- Meet monthly to discuss events within the Conference and how the conference can be improved
- Talk through potential ideas to improve Crossroads League Experience for future athletes
- Discuss issues within own school or other schools and give suggestions on how issues can be handled

Fellowship of Christian Athletes Baseball

June 2023

Kids Camp Volunteer

- Volunteered to direct 100+ kids to help develop baseball specific skill along with life skills
- Worked as a mentor with kids ages 9-16

REFERENCES

Tom Griffin
Head Baseball Coach
Carson Newman University
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Kyle Gould
Head Baseball Coach
Taylor University
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Nick Byall
Head Baseball Coach
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