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EDUCATION

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION IN SPORTS BUSINESS Overall GPA: 4.0

2018-2021 HARDIN-SIMMONS UNIVERSITY, ABILENE, TEXAS
2018-2019 Member of Hardin College Baseball Team

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY Overall GPA: 3.42

2015-2018 HENDRIX COLLEGE, CONWAY, ARKANSAS
Hendrix College Odyssey Distinction Award Scholarship Recipient, Hendrix College Transfer Scholarship Recipient, 2015-2018 Southern Athletic Association Student-Athlete Academic Honor Roll, Member Phi Alpha Theta National History Honor Society, 2015-2018 Member Hendrix College Baseball Team

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES Overall GPA: 3.63

2014-2015 MILLSAPS COLLEGE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI
Millsaps College Merit Scholarship Recipient, Dean's Scholar, 2014-2015 Southern Athletic Association Student-Athlete Academic Honor Roll, 2015 Millsaps College Heritage Project Award Recipient, Member Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society, 2014-2015 Member Millsaps College Baseball Team

WORK EXPERIENCE

ASSISTANT BASEBALL COACH / HITTING COACH, FRANKLIN COLLEGE GRIZZLIES BASEBALL, FRANKLIN COLLEGE, FRANKLIN, INDIANA

November 2021 - Present

As assistant coach for Franklin College Baseball, responsible for:

- Working primarily with position players and hitters; conduct batting practice (i.e., fungo, LH BP throw).
- Compiling video and intel on opponent teams.
- Compiling in-depth scouting reports.
- Recruiting at local, state, and national locations.
- Team administrative support including ordering and organizing essentials (i.e., uniform apparel, lockers, equipment, etc.).

As an assistant strength and conditioning coach, provides the following:

- Coordinating team weight room workouts.
- Coordinating team weight room groups.

Provides administrative support to the Franklin College Baseball program and other Franklin College athletic programs including:

- Assisting with fund raising activities
- Providing transportation assistance for other Franklin College athletic programs.



WORK EXPERIENCE

**ASSISTANT BASEBALL COACH, PRACTICAL PROPERTY GROUP PLLC PARK RANGERS,
GRAND PARK COLLEGE SUMMER LEAGUE, WESTFIELD, INDIANA**

June 2022- July 2022

Assisted with day-to-day operations of the club including, but not limited to:

Throw batting practice, consult with the head coach in setting starting lineups, hit fungo to infielders and outfielders, coach first and third base, position infielders and outfielders during game, and consult with our hitters mid-game, if necessary.

**ASSISTANT BASEBALL COACH / HITTING COACH, UNIVERSITY OF DALLAS CRUSADERS,
UNIVERSITY OF DALLAS, DALLAS, TEXAS**

February 2021 – November 2021

**ASSISTANT BASEBALL COACH / BASEBALL INSTRUCTOR, DULIN DODGERS BASEBALL
CLUB, FRISCO, TEXAS**

August 2020 – January 2021

**OFFICE SUPPORT / FILING CLERK, LILLARD WISE SZYGENDA PLLC, LAW FIRM,
DALLAS, TEXAS**

August 2017, July 2020 – August 2020

WORK ACHIEVEMENTS

**ASSISTANT BASEBALL COACH / HITTING COACH, FRANKLIN COLLEGE GRIZZLIES
BASEBALL, FRANKLIN COLLEGE, FRANKLIN, INDIANA**

As a member of the Franklin College Baseball coaching staff, achieved the following:

- Won the 2022 Heartland Central Athletic Conference (HCAC) Regular Season Championship.
- Won the 2023 HCAC Regular Season Championship.
- Won the 2023 HCAC Conference Tournament Championship.
- Qualified for the 2023 NCAA Baseball Tournament
- Participated in the 2023 Birmingham Southern College Regional
- First time in Franklin College baseball program history won back- to-back HCAC regular season conference titles (2022,2023).

CERTIFICATIONS

Blast Motion Hitting Certification

Rapsodo Hitting Certification

Rapsodo Pitching Certification

Driveline Hitting and Pitching Certification (Completion Summer 2023)

Baseball General Manager & Scouting, Certificate,

Sports Management Worldwide, Portland Oregon



ADDITIONAL PLAYER EXPERIENCE

January – February 2020, 2021: CALIFORNIA WINTER LEAGUE, INDEPENDENT BASEBALL,
PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

May 2019: WHITE SANDS PUFFISH OF THE PECOS LEAGUE,
ALAMOGORDO, NEW MEXICO

May 2019: WHITE SANDS PUFFISH OF THE PECOS LEAGUE,
HOUSTON, TEXAS

January 2019: AMERICAN BASEBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION CONVENTION,
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

May-July 2017: NEWARK PILOTS BASEBALL, COLLEGIATE LEAGUE,
NEWARK, NEW YORK

May-August 2016: ARLINGTON ACES BASEBALL, COLLEGIATE LEAGUE,
ARLINGTON, TEXAS

May-August 2016: TEXAS MARSHALLS BASEBALL, COLLEGIATE LEAGUE,
DALLAS, TEXAS

PLAYER AWARDS

2017 All-Southern Athletic Association (SAA) First Team, 2017 American Baseball Coaches Association (ABCA)/Rawlings All-South Region Second Team, 2017 D3baseball.com All-South Region Third Team, 2017 Natural State Baseball All-Arkansas Honorable Mention, 2015-2017 SAA Student-Athlete Academic Honor Roll, SAA Player of the Week, D3baseball.com National Team of the Week

REFERENCES

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