# Jonte Vernazza

Librarian III

Profile

**Employment History** 

### Details

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I have over 5 years of experience as a Librarian and I am confident in my ability to provide excellent library services. I possess good organizational skills, and I am able to keep the library running smoothly. In addition, I have developed strong relationships with our patrons and we always work together to ensure that they are satisfied with our service.

## Librarian III at Saint Louis Public Library, MO

Apr 2022 - Present

- Led a team of 5 librarians in developing and implementing a new cataloging system that increased efficiency by 30%.
- Trained 10 new librarians in the use of the new cataloging system.
- Wrote and received a grant for \$50,000 to purchase new books and materials for the library.
- Developed and taught 3 new adult education classes on topics such as research methods and using library resources effectively.
- Created an online database of local history resources that is used by hundreds of researchers every month.

### Librarian II at Kansas City Public Library, MO

Sep 2017 - Mar 2022

- Arranged and cataloged a collection of 15,000 books.
- Assisted 500 patrons per month with research and reference questions.
- Developed and presented 10 educational programs for children and adults.
- Wrote 5 grants totaling \$50,000 to fund library programs and resources.
- Negotiated discounts with vendors resulting in a savings of \$5,000 per year.

# Master of Library Science at University of Missouri

Aug 2013 - May 2017

I have learned how to effectively manage large amounts of information and lead groups in collaborative projects.

Links

Education