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APPLYING FOR:

Chess Club Director, Mechanics' Institute

PERSONAL:

Born 1/13/46; 5'9", 220 lbs., single

EDUCATION:

A.A. degree, College of Marin; 1 additional year, UC Berkeley

WORK EXPERIENCE:

I worked 9 years as a Benefit Authorizer for the Social Security Administration in Richmond CA, starting at the GS-4 level and rising to GS-8. My duties included training new hires, and I won two Sustained Superior Performance awards. I was Assistant Director of Broadcast Operations for the New York Network, PBS television for the state of New York. I have also worked as a scanner for the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory, for the U.S. Post Office, as a cab driver in San Francisco, and as a retail sales clerk in the Bay Area.

RELATED EXPERIENCE:

I have organized, directed, and played in chess tournaments for 35 years. I have directed the U.S. Championship three times, the U.S. Women's Championship twice, the U.S. Amateur Championship, the U.S. Junior Open, and numerous state championships. I have directed tournaments at the Mechanics' Institute since 1965, and currently direct four annual tournaments there. I am one of fewer than 25 people who hold both titles of National Tournament Director and International Arbiter, qualifying me to direct international tournaments. I have received the U.S. Chess Federation's Outstanding Career Achievement Award. I have held a USCF rating at the expert level for most of my chess career, which ranks me above the 90th percentile for tournament players. I have been an active and key figure in national and state chess for many years, holding various offices in the Northern California Chess Association (CalChess). I have a reputation for being reliable, dependable, and well-organized.

REFERENCES:

Available on request.